

The CAPA Florence Center

The CAPA Florence Center is in the heart of the Santa Croce neighborhood, one of Florence's most affluent areas. This neighborhood is a go-to destination for entertainment, sightseeing, and accommodation.

The CAPA Florence Center Via Pandofini, 20 50122 Firenze

8:15 - 18:30 Monday to Thursday 8:15 - 15:00 Fridays

Fun fact: Every June, Santa Croce square is the location of the Historical Soccer tournament (Calcio Storico), a form of soccer first born in the fourteenth century!



Click on the image above to watch a tour of the CAPA Florence Center!

The <u>Florence Center</u> is within walking distance of some of the city's most important museums and monuments, including:

- Uffizi Gallery
- Bargello Museum



- Santa Maria del Fiore cathedral (Duomo)
- Palazzo Vecchio
- Basilica of Santa Croce

The two most colorful and famous <u>markets</u> in Florence are also within 10 minutes of walking:

- Sant'Ambrogio Market
- San Lorenzo Market (Mercato Centrale)

The CAPA Florence Center occupies the first floor of the XVI Century Palazzo Galli Tassi; it is embellished by numerous frescoes (most of which are still visible) and has recently gone through a major operation of restoration and involved the work of professional art conservators. During the work, important pieces of art were discovered and brought back to their original sixteenth-century splendor!

You will enter the building through No. 20 and walk into a courtyard home to a beautiful marble sculpture representing Hercules and lole.



As you continue up the stairs to the first floor, you will enter the Florence Center where all our eight <u>classrooms</u> are located, as well as our Global classroom, faculty

room, some quiet study spaces, and two restrooms.

Though this is not a typical University campus experience, you will find all that you need to have a successful study abroad experience within the Center. Your dedicated student-facing staff all reside in this building.





FINE ARTS CLASS

Art classes are held in another building, still located in Via Pandolfini, 46r: at the Accademia d'Arte (AD'A), only a very short walk away from the Florence Center!



