

"ARTS & GARDENS EXPERIENCE" ITINERARY 4 DAYS / 3 NIGHTS

Guided walking tour of *Pistoia*, discover the hidden jewel of Tuscany. The walking tour will pass through the city centre and its amazing narrow paved streets, medieval palaces, churches and squares. A visit to *historical buildings*, like Battistero and the exhibitions of Pistoia Museum, a contemporary museum.

According to the season of travelling visit a interesting *plant nursery* in Pistoia and its family care.

The small town's storied gardening tradition, in fact, has made Pistoia the proud home to the greatest number of commercial plant nurseries in all of Europe.

Visit the beautiful *Villa La Magia*, which hosts in his garden a very interesting contemporary art collection. Contemporary artists represented are: Marco Bagnoli, Anne & Patrick Poirier, Nagasawa, Daniel Buren and others. The contemporary art collection in this space makes for a fantastic contrast with the Villa itself, built in the early Renaissance. The garden gives a clear idea of the greenery around the Villa in the XVI century, dividing the real garden from the farm land.

Romantic pic-nic lunch on the grass with Tuscan specialties

Time at leisure to walk the great park or just relax and enjoy the nature's scents and aromas. Dinner at leisure.

Included in the price:

- 3 nights in a double room/apartment with buffet breakfast
- Half day group tour of Pistoia with special focus on gastronomy
- Visit a plant nursery
- Visit Villa La Magia and its beautiful garden, with pic-nic lunch

