VICENZA

Here are some useful information for visiting the city of Vicenza



The city of Vicenza is located about 25 minutes from the agriturismo and is easy to reach by bus which stops in Piazza Matteotti, in front of Palazzo Chiericati, 1 minute from the Teatro Olimpico and the information center where you can buy the Vicenza Card and tickets to the main attractions. You don't have to worry about parking and the historic center is a 5-minute walk away.

It is also accessible by train, the station is in fact only a 10-minute walk from Piazza dei Signori. By car, on the other hand, it is not very practical to get around, the road system is confusing and the parking situation is not the best. You can check the updated situation of available parking spaces on the website: www.muoversiavicenza.it

Where to park

Parcheggio Verdi Park Verdi, 36100 Vicenza (VI) 800 394909



Information on the Vicenza card

The **Vicenza Card** is a cumulative ticket that is valid for 8 days from the date of issue, provides for a single pass for a single location and allows you to visit:

Teatro Olimpico, Civic Museum of Palazzo Chiericati, Church of Santa Corona, Naturalistic-Archaeological Museum, the Galleries of Palazzo Thiene, Museum of the Risorgimento and Resistance, Galleries of Italy - Palazzo Leoni Montanari, Diocesan Museum, Palladio Museum, Basilica Palladiana (exhibitions excluded), the Jewelery Museum.

MAIN ATTRACTIONS

Olympic Theater

It is the **oldest covered theater in the world** and the last work by Andrea Palladio. The architectural masterpiece is recognized as an UNESCO World Heritage Site. We recommend booking. https://www.teatrolimpicovicenza.it Piazza Matteotti, 11 - 36100 Vicenza VI 0444 320854

Palladian Basilica

Symbolic building of Vicenza, renowned for the serliane loggia, also designed by the great architect Andrea Palladio, it surrounds the medieval Palazzo della Ragione.

https://www.museicivicivicenza.it/it/tbc/basilica palladiana/

Piazza dei Signori - 36100 Vicenza VI 0444 222850



Sustainable Vicenza

It is possible to use the bike sharing service, here is the info about it:

https://www.comune.vicenza.it/uffici/cms/mobilitatrasporti.php/mobilita ciclabile/bike sharing

link for the English version

https://www.comune.vicenza.it/uffici/cms/mobilitatrasporti.php/mobilita_ciclabile/bike_sharing_english

Palazzo Chiericati

Magnificent Renaissance building designed in 1550 by Andrea Palladio for Girolamo Chiericati, it houses the civic museum and temporary exhibitions.

https://www.museicivicivicenza.it/it/mcp/palazzo_chiericati.php

Piazza Matteotti, 37/39 - 36100 Vicenza VI 0444 320854

Piazza dei Signori

Main square of the historic center of Vicenza, it has a rectangular shape and along one side stands the Basilica Palladiana and the Bissara tower, while on the opposite side stands the Loggia del Capitanio (also the work of Palladio), the Palazzo del Monte di Pietà with the Church of San Vincenzo.

Wine and gastronomic experiences

Some typical dishes to taste

Spunciotti and Prosecco: Spunciotti are canapés from Vicenza (meat, fish, with cheese), they are eaten as an accompaniment to an aperitif.

Vicenza-style cod: prepared with stockfish, also known as dried cod; the cod is usually of high "Ragno" quality, it is cleaned, floured and cooked over a very low heat in an earthenware pan with plenty of onion, milk and oil in equal quantities. It is served with yellow polenta.

Soppressa vicentina: a PDO cured meat obtained exclusively from Large White Landrace and Duroc breed pigs born in the province of Vicenza (tradition has it that it is accompanied by polenta).

Risotto with bruscandoli: bruscandoli are the sprouts of hops and grow in humid environments, often found near watercourses, rich in beneficial properties.

Putana Cake: typical cake made with stale bread. Cestini's: shortcrust pastry tartlets filled with a special butter cream. You must try Pasticceria Venezia, the city's historic pastry shop in Contrà Pescaria 4.