

Welcome to Milan!

Your Home Away from Home



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NoLo Centrale Apartment

Welcome to Milan!


Address: Via Soperga 52, Milano IT


Hosts: Maurizio & Andrea 

Quick Links (tap to open):


-  [Apartment](#)
-  [Milano Centrale](#)
-  [Loreto \(M1/M2\)](#)
-  **Emergency number: [112](#)**

Hello & Welcome!

Hello and welcome to Milan! We are **Maurizio** and **Andrea**, your hosts. We are thrilled to have you here at **NoLo Centrale Apartment** — your **home away from home** 


If you need anything during your stay, we're just a message away. Enjoy Milan and make yourself at home! 

✅ Check-in & Access




- Check-in is generally done in person. 🏠
- We'll meet you outside the main building entrance at the agreed time. 📍
- We'll walk in together and you'll receive:
 - Key(s) for the main building door 🔑
 - Key(s) for the second building door 🚪
 - Your access code for the apartment entrance door (Nuki keypad) 





How to reach the apartment

- You can go up by stairs or by the iconic glass elevator (vintage style, fully renovated). 
- Apartment location:
 - 3rd floor — Staircase A (main staircase) 
 - Door on the right ➡
 - Look for the brass plate that says: "*Trabucchi Apartments*" 




Smart-lock Nuki tips


- When you close the door, the lock auto-locks: you'll clearly hear the "click / lock" sound. 
- If it doesn't lock immediately:
 - Wait a few seconds and you'll usually hear it lock.
- If you ever have a problem:
 - Message/call the host 
- From inside the apartment:
 - The lock can also be operated manually, so you can always open easily. 

2) Wi-Fi

- Dual-band 2.4 GHz + 5 GHz 
- Fiber line up to 2.5 Gbit/s 

Guest network




- Name: Vodafone: Loreto-Centrale GUEST 
- Password:
loretocentralequest3 
- Security: WPA2/WPA3 +
firewall 

(QR code will be provided in the apartment for quick access.) 





Safety & Emergencies

Safety equipment in the home:

- Smoke detectors in all rooms 
- Heat + carbon monoxide (CO) detection 
- Fire extinguisher (serviced / compliant) 

If you smell gas / suspect a leak:

- Open windows, leave the apartment, do not use switches/flames. 
- Call [112](#) and contact the hosts immediately. 




Water leak:

- Contact the hosts immediately (the sooner, the better). 🕒



Power outage:

- Extremely rare — usually a temporary city issue and returns within minutes. 💡
- If it doesn't return quickly: contact the hosts. 📧

Thermostat

- The thermostat is at the apartment entrance. 
- Set temperature by turning the dial: 
 - Right = warmer ➡
 - Left = cooler ←
- You'll see the target temperature on the digital display. 

Appliance manuals

- Manuals (English) for washing machine, dishwasher, microwave, etc. 
- You'll find them near the boiler area in the kitchen. 

House Rules (simple & important)



We only have a few rules — friendly but essential — to ensure a peaceful stay for you and our neighbors 🙏

Quiet Hours — 10:00 PM to 8:00 AM

- Please keep noise low at night, especially in shared areas (entrance hall & stairs) and on the balcony. 🚫
- Inside the apartment you can relax and enjoy — just avoid high volume late at night. 🎧






No Parties / Unauthorized Events

- No parties in the apartment, please. 
- Any extra guests beyond the reservation must be agreed with us in advance. 




No Smoking Indoors

- This is a non-smoking home.
- Smoking is allowed only on the balcony 
- Please use the ashtray and never throw cigarette butts outside. 
- Keep balcony doors closed while smoking. 



Cleanliness & Waste

- Please leave the apartment as tidy as you found it. ✨
- Dishwasher is available 
(please load/empty it as needed)

Recycling color code (bins in the inner courtyard)




- **GREEN** → Glass
- **YELLOW** → Plastic & metals
- **WHITE/BLUE** → Paper

Inside the grey metal door to the left of those bins:



- **BROWN** → Organic waste
- **CLEAR/NEUTRAL** → General waste (non-recyclable)





Keys & Security

- Please take good care of the keys. 
- When leaving, make sure the **Nuki smart lock** has locked the door automatically 
- No curfew — come back anytime, just keep stairs quiet late at night 


Elevator


- Please always check inner doors + main door are fully closed. 
- Quick check: the “occupied” light on the left should be OFF. 

Appliances & Energy

- Switch off lights and electronics when leaving. 
- Use heating and fans as needed, but turn off when not in use 

No Pets

- No pets allowed (allergies + building rules), unless we agreed an exception before your stay. 

 **On arrival** we'll review everything quickly and give you a short apartment tour.

If anything is unclear, just ask 



TV & Channels Guide



Good news

The TVs you'll find in our apartment are already set to:

- **Prefer English audio** (when multiple audio tracks exist)
- **Prefer English subtitles** (when the program/channel provides them)



Main channels

- **1 Rai 1** — main Italian channel (shows + big events)
- **2 Rai 2** — entertainment + series
- **3 Rai 3** — culture + regional news

- **4 Rete 4** — talk/news + movies
- **5 Canale 5** — prime time shows + entertainment
- **6 Italia 1** — series + lighter entertainment
- **7 La7** — current affairs + talk shows
- **8 TV8** — entertainment + some sports/events (*varies by day*)
- **9 Nove** — comedy + easy shows



News

- **48 Rai News 24** — 24/7 news
- **50 Sky TG24** — 24/7 news
- **51 TGCom24** — 24/7 news



Movies & Series

- **20 20 Mediaset** — action, series, movies
- **21 Rai 4** — action / sci-fi / series vibe
- **22 Iris** — movies + cult titles
- **24 Rai Movie** — movies (often great picks)
- **25 Rai Premium** — drama/fiction series
- **26 Cielo** — movies/series (*varies*)
- **27 Twentyseven** — classics / sitcoms / movies
- **34 Cine34** — Italian cinema (comedies, classics)



- **37 Warner TV** — movies + series
- **38 Giallo** — crime & investigations
- **39 Top Crime** — crime & investigations



Family-friendly

- **5 Canale 5 / 6 Italia 1 / 8 TV8 / 9 Nove** — general entertainment
- **31 Real Time** — lifestyle
- **33 Food Network** — cooking
- **56 HGTV** — home & design (*if available*)



Kids

Preschool (0–6)

- **43 Rai Yoyo** — gentle, educational shows for little kids (stories, learning, calm cartoons). Great “safe background” for parents.
- **46 Cartoonito** — colorful preschool cartoons and simple adventures (very easy to follow, lots of short episodes).

Kids / Teens (6–14)

- **40 Boing** — mainstream cartoons and comedy shows; usually the “default” choice for kids who just want fun, fast-paced content.

- **41 K2** — more “school-age” programs: adventures, game-style shows, and teen-friendly series (often live-action mixed with cartoons).
- **42 Rai Gulp** — family-friendly series and cartoons with a slightly more “teen” vibe (often includes adventure/anime-style slots depending on the day).
- **44 Frisbee** — lighter, younger-kid friendly cartoons (easy and safe, often better for the lower end of 6–10).
- **45 Boing Plus** — extra Boing content: more reruns, longer blocks, and alternative cartoon schedules.

- **47 Super!** — teen-leaning mix: cartoons + live-action kids/teen series, often very “after school” style.



Sports

- **58 Rai Sport** — highlights + some live events
- **60 SportItalia** — sports news/events (*varies*)
- **64 SuperTennis** — tennis



Culture & Documentaries

- **23 Rai 5** — culture, concerts, theatre
- **54 Rai Storia** — history documentaries
- **57 Rai Scuola** — educational / slow TV

Music TV

- **36 RTL 102.5 TV** — studio + music videos + live radio shows
- **66 Radio 105 TV** — hit music with visuals
- **67 R101 TV** — pop music + radio simulcast at times
- **69 DeeJay TV** — music rotation + the most-played tracks + DeeJay-style shows
- **70 Radio Italia TV** — Italian music videos
- **258 Radiofreccia** — rock radiovision (music + studio)
- **266 Radio Zeta** — young hits / Italian & trending



Public radio

- **701 Rai Radio 1** — news & talk
- **702 Rai Radio 2** — music & entertainment
- **703 Rai Radio 3** — culture, documentaries, classical
- **704 Rai GR Parlamento** — politics / institutions
- **705 Rai Isoradio** — traffic & travel updates
- **706 Rai Radio 3 Classica** — classical
- **707 Rai Radio Kids** — kids radio
- **708 Rai Radio Live** — live music / events (*often “Live Napoli” style programming*)

- **709 Rai Radio Techetè** — archives, classics, old gems
- **710 Rai Radio Tutta Italiana** — 100% Italian music
- **711 Rai Radio 1 Sport** — sports talk
- **712 No Name Radio** — fresh/alternative selection




National stations


- **713 Radio Capital** — adult contemporary + talk
- **714 Radio DeeJay** — hits + shows
- **715 m2o** — dance/electronic
- **724 RDS** — pop hits
- **728 inBlu2000** — talk + music

- **733 Vatican Radio** — news/culture
- **736 RTL 102.5** — hits + talk
- **737 Radio Zeta** — younger hits
- **738 Radiofreccia** — rock
- **739 RTL 102.5** — news updates
- **740 RTL 102.5 Best** — “best of” selection
- **741 RTL 102.5 Napulè** — southern/Italian vibes
- **742 RTL 102.5 DOC** — classics & iconic tracks
- **743 RTL 102.5 Music** — nonstop music



- **744 RTL 102.5 Bro & Sis** — urban/young
- **746 Radio 24** — business, economy, news
- **770 Radio Italia** — Italian music only
- **771 R101** — pop
- **772 Radio Monte Carlo** — chill / elegant pop
- **785 Radio 105** — hit music
- **786 Virgin Radio** — rock

NoLo Neighborhood Guide (North of Loreto)

[NoLo](#) is one of Milan's most vibrant, creative up-and-coming districts. 

It's multicultural, lively, and still authentically local. 


What you'll love here

-  **Safe & welcoming** day and night (use normal big-city common sense).
-  **Street art & murals** everywhere — perfect for photos.

- 🍕 **Food diversity:** trattorias, pizza, noodles, sushi, falafel, everything.
- 🍷 **Local hangouts:**
 - [Giardino degli Artisti](#)
 - [Piazza Morbegno](#)
 - [Parco Trotter](#)

Essentials nearby

Supermarkets, bakeries, pharmacies, ATMs — all within walking distance.

 **Friday morning open-air [Via Marco Aurelio market](#) (local experience!)**



FOOD & DRINKS



Your Host's Favorites

- [Corner NoLo](#) (pizza • burgers • easy & trendy) 🍕 🍔
- [I 3 Fratelli](#) (classic Italian comfort food, friendly vibe) 🍝 🍷
- [Osteria Pasta e Fagioli](#) (cozy osteria, hearty Southern Italian) 🍲 🥖



Milanese / Classic Italian

- [Osteria del Treno](#) (Centrale)
— Milanese & Lombard classics in a beautiful historic setting; great for risotto + cotoletta 🍲 🍖

- **Trattoria Sabbioneda da Romolo** (Buenos Aires / Lima) — super authentic “old Milan” vibe; simple, hearty dishes (often busy at peak hours) ❤️🍷
- **Trattoria Bertamè** (near Loreto / Piola) — cozy trattoria feel; a solid pick for ossobuco + risotto ★🍴🍴
- **Antica Osteria Cavallini** (Centrale) — classic Milanese restaurant with a lovely garden; perfect for a relaxed traditional dinner 🌿🍷
- **Osteria de Milan** (Centrale) — contemporary take on Milanese comfort food (think risotti + mondegghili) ✨🍅

Pizza (always a good idea)

- [Spontini](#) (**Loreto**) — iconic Milanese thick-crust slices, super quick ⚡
- [Pizzium](#) (**Viale Andrea Doria**) — Neapolitan-style pizza with “regional” toppings from all over Italy ★
- [San Mina](#) (**near Centrale**) — simple, local vibe + generous toppings (great value) 🍷
- [Gianni — Nolosso Pizzeria](#) (**NoLo**) — cozy, super-friendly spot with excellent ingredients 😊

Meat Lovers

- [La Griglia di Varrone](#) (**Porta Garibaldi**) — premium grill

for steak nights + special cuts 🔥 🥩

- **FOCUS — Bracerie Italiane (Isola)** — Italian meat on the grill, energetic vibe (often a “night out” feel) 🎵 🔥
- **PitBeef Milano (Isola / Bosco Verticale)** — excellent meat + whisky pairing concept 🥃 🥩
- **Osteria Braceria La Ciccia (Porta Venezia)** — barbecue in sight + classic Italian sides, very guest-friendly 🍷 🔥
- **Osteria della Carne Sedda & Faedda (Centrale)** — old-school, all about the meat (great when you want “serious” portions) 🍴 🥩

Seafood Lovers

- [Gelmetti 1952](#) (Via Vitruvio / **Centrale**) — seafood “bistrot”
vibe: great fritto, pasta, also
perfect for quick take-
away 🦐🍷
- [Il Salernitano](#) (Via Vitruvio / **Centrale**) — classic Italian
seafood: spaghetti “al
cartoccio”, scampi, risotti di
mare (very traditional) 🍝🦑
- [La Caletta](#) (Via Sammartini / **Centrale**) — Sardinian
seafood spot: simple,
generous plates + super local
atmosphere 🌊🐟
- [Da Salvatore](#) — **Trattoria
Siciliana (Centrale)** — Sicilian
family-run place with

excellent fish options (warm hospitality) 🍋 🍷

- **Bel Paese (Via Sopperga)** — super close and very guest-friendly 🍷 🍷

🌍 **Ethnic / International**

- 🍜 **Ramen Shifu (Centrale)** — Japanese ramen + gyoza, easy and satisfying
- 🥟 **Wàng Jiao “Mong Kok” (NoLo / Viale Monza–Padova)** — real-deal Chinese (dumplings + spicy dishes), loved by locals
- 🍲 **CasaVietnam (Centrale)** — Vietnamese classics (pho, fresh/summer rolls), also great for takeaway

- 🌶️ [Kashmir](#) (**Centrale**) — Indian/Pakistani comfort food: curries + naan (good vegetarian/halal options)
- 🥢 [Jeonju Bibimbap](#) (**NoLo**) — Korean favorites: bibimbap, bulgogi, kimchi (small & authentic)
- 🍷 [Fairouz](#) (**Centrale / Cornalia**) — Lebanese mezze + grilled specialties, perfect to share
- 🌮 [Piedra del Sol](#) (**Repubblica**) — Mexican classics + margaritas (super close to Centrale/Caiazzo)

Vegetarian / Healthy

-  [Radicetonda](#) (**Porta Venezia**) — organic vegan comfort food (soups, bowls, daily specials) + great pastries/juices
-   [Flower Burger](#) (**Porta Venezia / Repubblica**) — fun, colorful vegan burgers (easy, quick, very tourist-friendly)
-   [Giardi](#) (Centrale) — fully plant-based “real food” spot, perfect for a light lunch near the station
-   [Joia](#) (**Porta Venezia**) — Michelin-star vegetarian fine dining for a special “wow” dinner

Breakfast / Coffee

- [Caffè Panzera](#) (**Piazza Duca d'Aosta**) — classic Milan “bar breakfast” right by Centrale: cappuccino + brioche in a real old-school setting ✨🍩
- [Bar Pasticceria Rovida](#) (**near Centrale**) — local favorite for fresh, non-industrial pastries; great if you want a more “authentic neighborhood” vibe 🙌☕
- [Nepà](#) (**Via San Gregorio**) — small, curated pastry spot that many travelers call a “must” (try their signature pastries / maritozzo-style options) 😍🍰

Gelato

- [Terra Gelato](#) (**Via Vitruvio**) — often mentioned by tourists as one of the best gelato stops near Centrale; creamy, high-quality flavors 🍦 ✨
- [Venchi](#) (**inside Milano Centrale**) — easy, tasty option for chocolate lovers (gelato + hot chocolate) 🍫 🍦

Pastry / Chocolate

- [Pasticceria San Gregorio](#) (**near Centrale**) — famous Milan pastry bar with beautiful, “wow” desserts (a bit pricier, but iconic) 🥮 ✨



“Milan aperitivo” classics

- **Bar Basso (Porta Venezia)** — the iconic spot for the Negroni Sbagliato vibe; lively, very “Milan” 🍷 ✨
- **Frida (Isola)** — hidden courtyard, plants + music + social atmosphere; praised for friendly service 🌿 🎵



Easy, social & international

- **Ostello Bello Grande Bar (Centrale)** — super welcoming mixed crowd (Italians + travelers) + nightly events (DJ set, comedy, games, etc.) 🍷 😊



Cocktails

- [Nottingham Forest](#) (**Porta Venezia**) — creative cocktails + “experience” style  
- [Kilburn](#) (**Porta Venezia / Repubblica area**) — classy, cozy cocktail bar  
- [Gesto](#) (**Porta Venezia**) — cocktails + small plates + cool music vibe; good for groups or a fun pre-night-out  

Views / “special night”

- [Terrazza Gallia](#) (**Centrale**) — elegant rooftop-style atmosphere at Hotel Gallia; great for a refined aperitivo  

- **Radio Rooftop Bar** (Repubblica / Porta Nuova) — stylish rooftop with skyline views, great cocktails, very popular with international guests 🍸 🏙️ ✨
- **Terrazza Aperol** (Duomo) — iconic Duomo view (classic “Milan postcard” moment), perfect for aperitivo photos ❤️ 📷

🎵 Live music / late night energy

- **Blue Note Milano** (Isola) — legendary jazz club; perfect “dinner + show” night 🎷 ★
- **Moebius** (Centrale) — cocktails + design + music nights in a cool warehouse venue 🎲 ✨



Food & Drinks for Families (Kids-Approved)

✅ **Family tip:** ask for seggiolone (high chair) + “posso avere un tavolo comodo per passeggino?”







✅ **Best time:** early dinner (19:00–20:00) = calmer + faster service



Closest & most relaxed near home

- [HUG Milano – Il Bistrot Sociale](#) — community-hub
vibe: big tables, stroller-friendly, super inclusive
(books/drawing corner + weekend activities) 📖🎨
- [Corner NoLo](#) — easy, relaxed
pizza/burgers. ✅ 😊

Big spaces + kid-friendly setup

- **Fuorimano OTBP** — huge indoor/outdoor spaces + courtyard feel (great when kids need to move). Weekend family brunch is a classic. *Note:* some areas (like the ornamental pool zone) have rules for minors  
- **Mare Culturale Urbano** — big courtyard + family corner with games/books, often with an educator at key times (great for aperitivo while kids chill)  
- **Un Posto a Milano (Cascina Cuccagna)** — countryside-in-the-city vibe.  

🌟 THE JOLLY “Super Giochi”

- [Mamusca](#) — the closest thing to “Twister-style” in the city: **kids books + board games vibe**, made for families. Great for breakfast / merenda / aperitivo while kids play 🧩☕



🐾 “WOW” snack for animal-loving kids

- [Crazy Cat Café](#) — magical if your kids love animals (cats walk around!) 🐱💛



🍰 Merenda

- [Pasticceria Gelsomina](#) — bright, pretty, very “Italian sweet break” (their *maritozzi* are famous). Great area for a family stroll after 🧁☕

Pizza near home

- [Pizzium](#) (Viale Andrea Doria 17) — “verace” Neapolitan pizza, quick service, usually easy with families  

Extra “let them run!” (safe, beautiful, modern park)

- [BAM – Biblioteca degli Alberi Milano](#) — one of the best spots for kids: play area + wide open space (perfect before/after a meal)  



What to See & Do in Milan — Must-See Classics



[Duomo di Milano](#) + Terraces

The heart of Milan. The cathedral is stunning, but the real wow is going up to the terraces for skyline views and gothic spires close-up.



[Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II](#)

Right next to the Duomo. A beautiful glass arcade with historic cafés and luxury shops.

Don't miss the famous "bull mosaic spin" (a fun little tradition).



[Teatro alla Scala \(La Scala\)](#)

Iconic opera house. Even if you don't attend a show, the museum/venue area is a classic Milan experience.



Castello Sforzesco

A huge castle complex + the city's most famous park behind it.



Brera District

Charming streets, romantic corners, and the [Pinacoteca di Brera](#) (major art museum).



Navigli Canals

Milan's canal district — lively, photogenic, and best in the evening.



If you're traveling with kids

-  **Natural History Museum**
(dinosaurs!)
-  **Leonardo da Vinci Science & Technology Museum** (huge + very interactive)

✨ **Hidden Gems & Modern Milan (Local Favorites)**

Milan isn't just the Duomo — it's also canals, street art, design, and skyline views. Here are the best "locals' Milan" ideas 📍

🌿 [Naviglio Martesana](#)



A peaceful canal with a walking/cycling path, perfect for a slow stroll, a morning jog, or an early evening walk.

🎨 **Street Art Hunt**

Milan has incredible murals and urban art — and it's a fun "treasure hunt" for adults and kids. Focus on [NoLo](#) • [Isola](#) • [Lambrate](#)



Porta Nuova Skyline

-  **Bosco Verticale**: Vertical Forest towers
-  **Unicredit Tower**: sleek buildings, modern squares



Fondazione Prada

A contemporary art space in a transformed industrial complex.



Triennale Design Museum

Perfect if you like architecture, furniture, fashion, and modern culture.



Liberty Milan

For a charming, romantic walk:

- **Porta Venezia / Liberty buildings:** beautiful facades, elegant streets
- **Villa Invernizzi flamingos:** a quirky hidden surprise in the city

Best Views

- **Torre Branca:** panoramic tower in Parco Sempione
- **Rinascente Rooftop:** great “Duomo view” vibe — perfect for coffee or aperitivo

Cimitero Monumentale

Open-air sculpture museum — peaceful and impressive.



Getting Around



Stations

- [Pasteur](#) (M1): 5 min walk (400 m)
- [Loreto](#) (M2 + M1) : 10 min walk (600 m)
- [Milano Centrale](#) (M3 + M2 + trains): 10 min walk (700 m)



Bus (ATM)

- [Via Sammartini](#): 5 min walk (400 m)



Tram

- [Via Venini](#): 2 min walk (200m)

Day Trips from Milan

You can do a beautiful “fuoriporta” and still come back to sleep comfortably at NoLo Centrale Apartment.



Bergamo (Città Alta)

Medieval upper town + views + great food + very walkable.

Getting there

- Direct train from [Milano Centrale](#) → [Bergamo](#)
- About 50 minutes

Perfect mini-itinerary

-  [Funicular](#) up to Città Alta
-  Wander the historic streets, [Piazza Vecchia](#), viewpoints along the walls



Como + Brunate

Lake scenery, zero planning.

Getting there

- Milano → Como S. Giovanni
- Around 40 minutes

What to do


-  Stroll the lakefront
-  Take the Como-Brunate funicular for panoramic views

Lecco + Piani d'Erna

Dramatic mountain scenery, fresh.

Getting there

- Milano Centrale → Lecco
- About 40 minutes

 **Highlight:** cable car to Piani d'Erna



Torino

Why it's great: elegant, walkable, "big-city wow" without being overwhelming — perfect even on a rainy day.






Getting there

- Direct train [Milano Centrale](#) → [Torino Porta Susa / Porta Nuova](#)
- Around 1 hour



Perfect mini-itinerary

-  [Piazza Castello](#) + [Via Roma](#) stroll (classic Turin vibe)
-  Historic café stop
-  Sunset walk by the Po River (or a museum if it rains)



Verona

Why it's great: romantic, compact, super photogenic — ideal for couples or first-timers in Italy.






Getting there

- Direct train [Milano Centrale](#) → [Verona Porta Nuova](#)
- About 1h15–1h30, frequent



What to do

-  [Piazza Bra](#) + [Arena](#) area
-  Walk to [Ponte Pietra](#) + viewpoints along the river
-  Aperitivo in the historic center (easy “wow” photos)




Bologna

Why it's perfect year-round: miles of porticoes = rain-proof day trip, plus legendary food.

Getting there

- Train [Milano](#) → [Bologna Centrale](#)
- Around 1 hour, very frequent

Perfect mini-itinerary

-  Walk under the [porticoes](#)
-  Lunch: tagliatelle al ragù or tortellini
-  Quick city viewpoint before heading back




Parma

Why go: huge food satisfaction
(great for a chill day).

Getting there

- Train [Milano](#) → [Parma](#)
- About 1h20–1h40, frequent

Perfect mini-itinerary

-  Historic center stroll
-  Food shop stop
-  Gelato + easy train back




Varenna + Bellagio

Why it's special: classic lake scenery + charming villages with minimal planning.

Getting there

- Train Milano → Varenna-Esino
- Around 1h-1h30

Perfect mini-itinerary

-  Lakeside promenade + old town in Varenn
-  Ferry hop to Bellagio
-  Viewpoints + gelato




Stresa + Borromean Islands

Why it's a top lake day: elegant promenade + islands = big payoff, very tourist-friendly.

Getting there

- Train Milano Centrale → Stresa
- Often around 1 hour

Perfect mini-itinerary

-  Stresa lakefront stroll
-  Boat to Isola Bella / Isola dei Pescatori
-  Back to Milan in time for dinner




Monza

Why it's underrated: feels like a mini escape, perfect for families and "low effort, high relax."

Getting there

- Train [Milano](#) → [Monza](#)
- About 10–15 minutes, very frequent

Perfect mini-itinerary

-  [Villa Reale](#)
-  Walk/bike in [Parco di Monza](#) (huge, peaceful)
-  Coffee in the [historic center](#)




Pavia + Certosa

Why it's great: quiet, beautiful, and “real Italy” — ideal if you want something less touristy.

Getting there

- Train [Milano](#) → [Pavia](#)
- Around 25–40 minutes

Perfect mini-itinerary

-  Historic center stroll
-  Optional: [Certosa di Pavia](#)
-  Back in Milan for aperitivo




Lake Garda

Why it's special: lakeside views + cute towns; perfect when guests want a "wow lake" beyond Como.






Getting there

- Train Milano Centrale → Desenzano del Garda
- From there: short taxi/bus to Sirmione

Perfect mini-itinerary

-  Lakeside walk + old town vibes
-  Viewpoints + quick beachy promenade
-  Gelato + scenic return

Check-out Quick List

-  Take trash to the courtyard bins
-  Wash dishes / run dishwasher if needed
-  Close windows and turn off lights
-  Leave the keys on the table inside the apartment (unless otherwise agreed in advance with the host)
-  Confirm Nuki smart lock locked the door



Share Your Experience

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