

Apartment Giglio

Region: Venice Sleeps: 6 - 7

Overview

Location, location, location! You'll love vacationing in Apartment Giglio, in a perfectly positioned former palazzo on the Grand Canal in the heart of central Venice, with views of the Accademia, the Guggenheim Museum, and a vista of blues of the lagoon. This wow factor, one-storey, luxury residence, is on the second floor of a previous palace, with breathtaking Venetian views and a nearby water taxi jetty to whisk you to wherever you want to go.

The apartment has three ensuite double bedrooms and can comfortably accommodate up to six guests, ideal for sharing with a family or group of friends. This unique architect designed apartment has the most exquisite interiors, which include tall bronze windows that let in lots of natural light, dazzling terrazzo marble floors, smooth marmorino plaster walls, gracious ceiling mouldings, and an iconic selection of mid-twentieth century carefully curated Italian furniture, from the most famous and fashionable craftsmen.

Enter the apartment through the formal foyer, which opens onto the gothic windowed reading room with a serene view over the canal. This leads into the elegant main salon, with views of the Grand Canal and Accademia Bridge. The salon is furnished with a collection of contemporary pieces by Ponti, Albin, Dominioni, Paris, Arte, Gambone, and Fantoni, to name a few. The adjacent Peggy Salon is a stylish dining room inspired by the Guggenheim Museum, which you can see out of the windows, and can cater for up to fourteen guests. The fitted galley kitchen is fully equipped with everything you will need to cater for your stay, including a Gaggenau oven and hob, a maxi-size fridge freezer with an ice dispenser, and of course, an Alessi kettle. A marble guest cloakroom completes the living space.

At the opposite end of the apartment is the Master Bedroom, with a king-size bed, Frette linens, and floor-to-ceiling doors that open onto a Grand Canal furnished terrace. The ensuite sage green bathroom is home to a large bathtub hewn from one slab of marble, a double walk-in shower, a double hand basin, and complimentary Aesop amenities. The second bedroom or Loft Suite has a modern king-size, wrought iron, four-poster bed with twin mattresses and views over the courtyard and Grand Canal. There is a shared adjacent marble bathroom with a single rain shower and hand basin.

The third bedroom is a twin room with two single beds, which can be made into a double, a handy workspace with an Apple TV, and an ensuite opulent



floor-to-ceiling marble bathroom with a double shower and single basin. If you love art, if you love style, and want to live like an Italian, they you'll love staying at the Apartment Giglio.

Facilities

City Homes & Apartments • Instagrammable • Ideal for Babies & Toddlers • Ideal for Kids • Ideal for Teens • Wi-Fi/Internet • Air-Con • Walk to Village • Walk to Restaurant • <1hr to Airport • Washing Machine • Tumble Dryer • Dishwasher • Microwave • Coffee Machine • Hairdryer • Smart TV • TV • Heating • Cot(s) • High Chair(s) • Walking/Hiking Paths • Outdoor Pursuit & Activities • Tourist Towns & Villages • Historical Sites • Romantic • Boat Trips

Interior & Grounds

The Apartment

Three bed ensuite apartment in former palazzo, found on the second floor and across one storey:

Interior Grounds

- Galley-style kitchen, well equipped with a Gaggenau oven and hob, and a maxi-sized fridge with integrated ice-dispenser
- Foyer
- Small salon
- Grand salon
- Dining room
- Master Suite: King size bed, ensuite bathroom with stand-alone rain shower & bathtub, his and hers sinks
- Loft Suite: King size bed, shared access to hallway bathroom with stand-alone rain shower
- Twin Suite: 2 twin size beds or king size double bed, ensuite bathroom with stand-alone rain shower
- Guest marble cloakroom

Exterior Grounds

- Terrace
- Jetty for water taxis nearby

Additional Facilities

- Air conditioning
- Central heating
- Wi-Fi
- Apple TV
- Sonos music system
- Complimentary Aesop amenities
- Hairdryer
- Washing machine and dryer



Location & Local Information

Apartment Giglio is perfectly positioned on the Grand Canal, in the heart of Venice, with views of the Accademia, Peggy Guggenheim's Palazzo, and the iconic azure blue lagoon. The property has a nearby water taxi boat jetty, perfect for picking you up for a day's sightseeing and dropping you off after an evening out. The international Marco Polo airport is a thirty-minute private water taxi journey away or seventy-five minutes by the public vaporetto.

The apartment is ideally located within walking distance of most of the major sights of Venice. One of the joys of a holiday here is walking over many of the four hundred bridges and some of one hundred and eighteen canals, as the architecture reveals the city's colourful history. Take a trip down the Grand Canal to the impressive St Mark's Square and the eleventh-century Basilica, where mass is still held today. Visit the Byzantine Doge's Palace, climb the clocktower, and cross the Bridge of Sighs. On the other side of the square is the Correr Museum, highlighting the history of Venice in its royal rooms and library. Take time out to stroll around the square, and window shop in the jewellery stores, before sitting down for tea in Florian's whilst the orchestra plays your favourite tunes. Cross the nearby bridge to the Napoleonic Accademia Gallery to view classical Venetian art and the seventeenth-century Basilica of Santa Maria della Salute, with its iconic cupola and twelve paintings by Titian.

Make time to visit the Peggy Guggenheim Museum, a homage to twentieth-century modern art housed in her original palazzo home. Take a three-island tour to see the glassblowers at work on Murano, the colourful houses and lacemakers on Burano, and the seventh-century cathedral on Torcello, with its Byzantine art. Cross the sea to the Lido, famous for its grand hotels and long sandy beaches, and for those who like to chance their luck, there's a casino too. Venice is a food lovers paradise. Sample the local dish of Baccala Mantecato, a salted cod dish best served with a glass of chilled white wine.

A walk to St Mark's Square will take you through back streets selling the very best quality hand-crafted leather goods, silk scarves, and cashmere sweaters, not to mention the designer dress shops with brand labels you'll want to buy. For the romantics, get into a gondola and cruise the canals, or simply take one to cross the water from one side to the other. In the evening, enjoy a stroll to Harry's Bar for a Bellini before a night at the opera at the Fenice Theatre, then dine in a local restaurant, serving traditional Venetian dishes overlooking the Grand Canal under a Tiepolo blue sky. If you are lucky enough to be there during the Carnival, make sure you wear a mysterious mask and join in the fun and frolics of this fabulous festival.



Local Amenities

Nearest Airport	Venice Marco Polo Airport (18.8 km)
Nearest Ferry Port	S. Maria del Giglio (350 m)
Nearest Town/City	Venice (0 km)
Nearest Restaurant	Beccafico Guna (220 m)
Nearest Bar/Pub	Terrazza Aperol (240 m)
Nearest Supermarket	Crai SanMarco (750 m)
Nearest Beach	Venezia Spiaggia Blue Moon (13.8 km)

What we love

- Apartment Giglio is one of the most stylish residences we have ever seen. The original 1950s and '60s furniture by the most iconic designers is of museum quality and has to be seen to be believed
- The views are simply stunning, overlooking the Grand Canal, the Accademia Museum, and Peggy Guggenheim's former palace is superb, not to mention the ever-changing blues of the iconic lagoon
- The master bedroom is a masterpiece, especially the sage green marble bathroom with the huge bathtub hewn out of one piece of marble. Now that's some craftsmanship!
- Apartment Giglio is perfectly positioned within walking distance of almost everything you will want to see, just minutes from St Mark's Square, world-class museums, designer label shops, and the most fabulous Italian restaurants serving classic Venetian dishes

What you should know...

- Air conditioning is in the three bedrooms and kitchen only
- The Loft Suite has a king size four poster bed with two mattresses that can be dressed as a double or separately, but the bed itself cannot be divided
- The third bedroom is a twin room with two single beds that can be made into a double if requested prior to your arrival

Terms & Conditions

- Security deposit: Oliver's Travels to charge €3000 to client's credit card before arrival and refunded two weeks after departure, subject to full site inspection.
- Arrival time: 4:00 PM.
- Departure time: Before 10:00 AM.
- Energy costs included?: Yes, included in the rental price.
- Heating costs included?: Yes, included in the rental price.
- Linen & towels included?: Yes, included in the rental price.
- End of stay cleaning included?: Yes. However, guests are required to leave the accommodation clean, tidy and in the same condition as on their arrival. Any extra cleaning, laundry, maintenance and/or rubbish disposal required will be charged against the security deposit.
- Internet access?: Wi-Fi internet access included.
- Minimum stay: 7 nights during high season, 4 nights during all other seasons.
- Changeover day: Flexible.
- Pets welcome?: On request only and with prior agreement with the owner. An additional charge may be required which is confirmed and payable locally.
- Smoking Allowed?: Smoking & Vaping are not permitted.
- Tax: Venice city tax is €4 per person per night. City tax is not included in the rental rate and is payable locally.
- Insurance: Guests are required to be in possession of a valid insurance policy, which covers them for cancellations, loss of personal belongings, personal liability and any accidental damage caused during their stay.
- Other Ts and Cs: High chair and cot are available on request.