

VENICE, ITALY

Venice is a city in Northern Italy, in the east of the Adriatic coast, on the island city of Italy. Venice has been one of Europe's most important business capitals. The population of Venice is 268,993.

You can visit many interesting places in Venice. There are lots of palaces, canals and bridges. Fondaco dei Turchi is a typical example of Byzantine architecture. It's a palace built by Giacomo Palmiere in the first half of 13th century. After 1938, Turks who were living in Venice changed the architecture of the palace. They built a mosque and a bath. Fondaco dei Turchi is placed on the right side of the Grand Canal.

Grand canal is another place that you can visit in Venice. It is approximately 4 km long, it's the largest canal in Venice. It is also called "Volta die Canal". Today there are 4 bridges over the canal. Rialto bridge is the oldest of them. Rialto is also one of the most colorful places in the city. You can see an amazing view of the city from the Rialto bridge, too. You can reach the canal with marine transportation or with gondolas.

The average temperature is 13,5 C during a year. The hottest months of the year are July and August. The coldest month is January in Venice.

The people in Venice are interested in tourism. More than 50% of people living in Venice are involved in tourism. 150,000 tourist visit Venice in a day. That's a record for the city. Everything is more expensive than the whole Italy in Venice.

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