

	WHERE/WHAT	IMPORTANT
Wed. Nov. 8	Departure from school at 12:15 pm Eat Lunch A  Dress NICELY! No Sweats, jogging pants, leggings, shorts – all cotton! <i>Air plane</i>	<b>OVERNIGHT BACKPACK! NO ACCESS TO SUITCASE</b> till Palermo hotel pm <b>Brittany</b>
Thu. Nov 9  Napoli Porto / Palermo	Arrival Amsterdam connection to Rome Lunch in Rome (pay on your own) Transfer to Naples by bus to catch Ferry to Palermo by 5pm Dinner on Ferry (Self-service dinner with a first dish, a second dish with a side dish, a roll, a fruit, ½ l water) night in cabins (4) on ferry with private bathroom facilities. <i>Ferry</i>	Retrieve €uro from ATM in Amsterdam  Bus: Monica and Chloe  <b>Ashley</b>
Fri. Nov 10  Palermo / Monreale	Breakfast on board (a hot drink, a croissant, a juice) Arrival at 7 am, immediate transfer to hotel to park bus. Luggage deposited. Meeting with guide; all day full day guided tour of the historical center of the city, summary of the Arabic, Norman and Baroque art. Lunch (three groups; pay on your own). Afternoon at Monreale, a guided tour of the Duomo with its beautiful mosaics and cloister depicting episodes of the Old and New Testament. Dinner and overnight stay in hotel in <i>Palermo</i>	Transfer with private mini bus  Bus: Ashley and Jordan  <b>Mason</b>
Sat. Nov 11  Palermo/ Selinunte/ Agrigento	Breakfast at the hotel and departure for the ancient Greek colony of Selinunte, considered the largest and most important city of Hellenic civilization in Sicily. Guided tour of the Archaeological Park. Lunch in Agrigento (pay on your own—3 groups). Guided tour of the Valley of the Temples, one of the most amazing archaeological sites in the world; the name of "the most beautiful city among those inhabited by mortals". Transfer to hotel. Dinner and overnight in Hotel, <i>Agrigento</i>	Bus: Isabel and Kayla  <b>John</b>
Sun. Nov 12 Agrigento/ Piazza Armerina/ Catania/ Giardini Naxos	Breakfast, departure for Piazza Armerina, notable for the Roman Villa del Casale, which preserves one of the most eloquent testimonies of the splendor of Imperial Rome. Guided tour. Lunch (pay on your own—3 groups). Continue for Catania, at the foot of Etna. Guided tour. Evening transfer to hotel in <i>Giardini Naxos</i> ; dinner and overnight stay.	DO NOT DISTURB SIGN ON DOOR  Bus: Brittany and Chloe  <b>Monica</b>
Mon. Nov 13  Giardini Naxos /Siracusa	Breakfast, hotel and departure for Syracuse, the richest and most influential bastion town of Magna Grecia. Guided tour of the Archaeological Park of Neapolis with the remains of a Roman amphitheater and the most complete Greek Theater. Lunch (pay on your own—3 groups). In the evening, return to the hotel for dinner and overnight in <i>Giardini Naxos</i>	Bus: Monica and Jordan  <b>Chris</b>
Tue. Nov 14  Giardini Naxos/ Monte Etna/ Taormina/ Catania Porto	Breakfast in hotel, departure for guided excursion to Mount Etna (permitting environmental conditions): the highest active volcano in Europe. Taormina, a medieval town that preserves testimonies of the Greek and Roman times. Lunch (pay on your own – 3 groups). Transfer to Catania port Embarkation by 8.30 pm; 9 pm dinner self-service on board (a first dish, a second dish with a side dish, a roll, a fruit, ½ l water). Night travel. Departure 11.45 pm for Naples. Maritime passage in cabins of 4 with private facilities. Night on <i>ferry</i>	WARMEST CLOTHES & BOOTS, Windbreaker pants!  Bus: Ashley and Kayla <b>PACK overnight BACKPACK!! NO ACCESS TO SUITCASE!</b>  <b>Chloe</b>

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Wed. Nov 15  Napoli/ Paestum/ Ostia	Morning breakfast on board (a hot drink, a croissant, a juice). Arrival Napoli at 11.45am. Disembarkation and continuation to Paestum, "the city of Poseidon", one of the most famous centers of Magna Grecia, founded by Greek colonists of Sibari as a maritime trade center at the beginning of the 6th century BC. Lunch during the transfer (pay on your own) 2.30 pm Guided tour of the archaeological area (1 hour). Transfer to <i>Ostia</i> . Dinner and overnight stay in hotel.	DVD - text reformulation  Bus: Isabel and Brittany  <i>Kayla</i>
Thu. Nov 16  Ostia/ Genova	Breakfast at the hotel and transfer to the guided tour of the archaeological park of Ostia Antica, also known as the "small Pompeii" in Rome. In ancient times it was the most important port in Rome, since in the past it was situated at the mouth of the Tiber River. Today, it is possible to admire, among the quiet of the maritime pines, the ruins of streets, houses, taverns and temples that once made Ostia one of the most important cities of the Empire. Lunch (pay on your own – 3 groups). Travel to Genova; pick up with families in Piazza della Vittoria	DVD – text reformulation  Bus: Chloe and Ashley  <i>Coltyn</i>
Fri. Nov 17	10 am welcoming in school with Principal and teachers. Welcoming lunch and 2:30 pm City Tour	<i>Isabel</i>
Sat. Nov 18	Family Day	<i>Jordan</i>
Sun. Nov 19	Family Day	ALL
Mon. Nov 20	trip to Casella to see an Italian bakery	<i>Ashley, Chris</i>
Tue. Nov 21	morning at school (9-12.50) 3 pm Aquarium	<i>Mason, Coltyn</i>
Wed. Nov 22	day trip to Camogli	<i>John, Kayla</i>
Thu. Nov 23	9-12.50 morning at school 3 pm kitchen at Palazzo Ducale to cook dinner for Thanksgiving. Dinner with Italian students at Palazzo Ducale.	<i>Monica, Chloe</i>
Fri. Nov 24	8.15 am from Piazza della Vittoria day trip to Turin (including Venaria)	<i>Jordan, Isabel</i>
Sat. Nov 25	Family Day	ALL
Sun. Nov 26	meeting point at the Airport at 5 a.m. Flight at 7.05 am Return Home from Genova via Paris to Washington Dulles  Transfer from Dulles to HHS by school bus	Get MOBILE PASSPORT APP READY FOR CHECK-IN School Bus pick up <i>Brittany</i>

**Photo Book Days:** A typed summary of the day. Collaborate with your partner – if applicable. Summary due by 10:30 pm. This will be an in lieu assignment for journals only on your assigned day. Note taking is still a requirement.

On ALL Days, every student will send ONE picture and a short description of their day by 10:30 pm. Pictures and descriptions will be published on hampshirehigh.com web site. (not in lieu of journal entry)

**BUS CLEAN UP DAYS:** before exiting bus -- seats upright, curtains drawn back and fastened, collect all trash and discard, check that nothing is left on bus (Lisa)

**LOADING/UNLOADING LUGGAGE:** Chris, John, Mason, Coltyn every time bus is loaded or unloaded (Ryan)

Three (3) Journal/3-Ring Binder checks at Ryan's discretion

Itinerary subject to change – weather pending