

Montessori Express Rome Trip Registration - Terms and Conditions -

The following travel conditions are recognized by the “participant” when booking. They are the basis of the contractual relationship with Montessori Europe e.V. (the “organizer”).

Conclusion of the participant contract

By registering, the participant offers the organizer a binding conclusion of a travel contract. The contract comes into being upon acceptance by the organizer. Immediately after conclusion of the contract, the organizer will hand over the confirmation of participation to the participant. Verbal side agreements require written confirmation, otherwise they are not legally binding.

Online Registration

Registration is available until March 27, 2020. Please read the information below carefully before submitting your registration.

Please note: You are registering as an individual person, not as an organization. We do not offer registration in the name of an organisation and do not issue invoices to organisations.

Registration becomes binding from your side after paying a deposit of € 250 by March 27, 2020. If Montessori Europe decides that the trip takes place, the contract becomes binding and the deposit is not refundable.

Montessori Europe will decide by March 31 whether the trip will take place. The decision will be based on the number of paid-up registrations (min. 35), and immediately afterwards the registrants will be informed. If the trip is overbooked, attendees will be selected based on the order in which their deposits were received.

More information about this trip can be found here:

<https://montessori-europe.net/working-groups/secondary/>

Fee Schedule

Options	Fee
Double-room accommodation	€925
Single-room accommodation	€975

A deposit of €250 must be paid by March 27, 2020.

Details on room assignment

When registering, you can choose among the following accommodation choices in Rome:

Choices	Explanation
Double-room accommodation	We can only accept your registration if double room accommodation is available. You can specify a person to share the room with you. If you do not, ME has the right to assign you a roommate.

Single-room accommodation	We can only accept your registration if there are single rooms available.
Flexible accommodation	We will assign you accommodation as needed to optimize the accommodation overall, at the relevant price.

A few rooms have external bathrooms, i.e. not in the room. We will assign the rooms with bathrooms first, in the order in which payments are received.

Payment

After you register online, the ME office will send you an e-mail with an invoice for the deposit, including instructions for payment of the deposit by bank transfer or PayPal.

When we receive payment, we will send you a Registration Confirmation by e-mail.

If the trip takes place, the remaining payment must then be made by May 31, 2020. If the payment deadline is not met, Montessori Europe is free to declare its withdrawal from the contract in accordance with the cancellation provisions below.

For international bank transfers: We require you to all to pay all transfer charges, including correspondent (intermediary) bank charges. If it is not a SEPA transaction, please select the "OUR" option on the international wire transfer (SWIFT) instruction form. The only exception is EU-payments in EUR which can be made with share (SHA) instruction.

Deadline for Registration

Attendance is limited by the capacity of the bus and the requested accommodation. Registration including deposit payment receipt must occur by March 27, 2020.

Additional travel information

Montessori Europe cannot take responsibility in case, on the bus travel to or from Rome, the bus might arrive at a later time at the airports of Munich, Frankfurt or Amsterdam.

Advice: Take care that you plan enough time (3 hours) between your arriving or departing flight. The bus may arrive a little later, but will depart at these times, even if passengers do not show up. In this case, the traveller has to organise him/herself a flight or train to Rome or home.

Photography

By attending the trip, you grant ME permission to use photographs from the trip for marketing purposes of ME.

Cancellation

If you need to cancel your *registration*, please send us your cancellation by email to office@montessori-europe.net no later than March 27, 2020. If you paid by bank transfer, please include your bank account (IBAN + BIC).

You can withdraw from the travel contract at any time before the start of the trip. If you withdraw from the contract or do not start the trip, we can demand compensation for the travel arrangements made for your trip. Please note that, by the time of final payment, Montessori Europe will have entered into binding contracts with the service providers on a

group travel basis. When calculating a possible refund, saved expenses and possible other use of the travel services must be taken into account.

If you need to cancel your *booking*, send us your cancellation by email to office@montessori-europe.net. If you paid by bank transfer, please include your bank account (IBAN + BIC).

Please note that is possible, and Montessori Europe recommends, to take out travel cancellation insurance, e.g. from [Zurich Insurance](#).

Termination of the contract due to exceptional circumstances

If the execution of the trip is made significantly more difficult or impaired due to exceptional circumstances such as war, internal unrest, strikes, sovereign orders, epidemics or natural disasters that were not foreseeable when the contract was concluded, Montessori Europe e.V. as well as the traveller can withdraw from the contract.

In the event of influences that were not foreseeable when organizing the trip (e.g. hotel closures, etc.), Montessori Europe e.V. informs the travellers prior to departure and explains adequate alternatives. However, there is only a possibility to terminate the contract in the event of significant changes that question the travel destination Rome.

Obligations of Montessori Europe

Montessori Europe e.V. undertakes to organize the trip in the manner announced and to protect the rights and interests of the traveller in the preparation and implementation of the trip. The service description of the hotels is based on the respective national conditions. Montessori Europe e.V. is liable for the correctness of its own advertising materials.

Traveller obligations

The traveller is obliged to fulfil his contractual obligations and for his part to ensure that the trip is carried out without any problems. The accuracy and updating of personal travel documents are just as mandatory as the correct observance of generally applicable travel regulations for land travel.

Warranties

As part of an obligation to mitigate damage, the traveller is obliged to immediately notify a representative of Montessori Europe e.V. of a complaint. At the same time, complaints must be submitted directly to the service provider. This step, as well as the greatest possible minimization of any damage that may arise, are deemed reasonable within the scope of your obligation to cooperate.

Claims for damages can be formulated in cooperation with Montessori Europe e.V. to a third party (e.g. hotel, bus company, etc.). Warranty claims in the event of natural disasters, epidemics, strikes and events of a similar nature are excluded. Any additional costs incurred shall be borne by the traveller.

All travellers will receive detailed instructions about do's and don't's during the trip and some rules for the luggage transport and luggage administration.

Please note: [Further information on your most important rights under Directive \(EU\) 2015/2302](#)