



Villa Alba Tuscany, Italy



What we love...

We love the amazing heated infinity pool and lounge area – a real study in tranquility.

Cosy, comfortable and with true rustic beauty, Villa Alba is a wonderful retreat, ideal for a family of four with visiting guests, or a small group of friends.

Perched on top of a peaceful hillside, looking out over the Val d’Orcia natural park, the stone farmhouse has been lovingly restored to create a luxury Tuscan villa you’ll feel right at home in within seconds of arrival.

For food-lovers, the open-plan country kitchen is a lovely space in which to potter, throwing together fabulous local ingredients and fresh vegetables and herbs from the estate’s own kitchen garden. Alternatively, sit back and let a private chef do the work while you open a few bottles of local wine. In the cosy sitting room, comfy sofas are gathered around a stone fireplace and flatscreen TV.

The two beautifully designed bedrooms are decked out in Italian country style, with pretty stripes and checks bringing the neutral backdrop to life.

The jewel in this luxury villa’s crown, however, is outside. A wonderful infinity pool is the perfect spot to relax with a book and a picnic for the whole day if you like. And up by the house, a pergola shades the al fresco living and dining areas, giving a real outdoor living experience.

And while you feel as though you are in the middle of nowhere here, you’re only ever a stroll away from the ‘borgo’ of the Rosewood Castiglion del Bosco estate, on which the villa is located, with its restaurants, sauna, steam room and experienced staff to ensure you want for nothing during your stay here.



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Rooms

Villa Alba sleeps 4 - 6 people in two bedrooms and one guest room.

All bedrooms have TVs.

Bedroom one
Double bedroom with king-sized bed; en-suite bathroom.

Bedroom two
Twin bedroom; en-suite bathroom

Guest annexe
Double bedroom with king-sized bed; en-suite bathroom and outdoor living area.

Eating

Food, as is the case all over Italy, is one of the cornerstones of Villa Alba.

An in-villa chef service gives you your own private chef and waiter so you can enjoy fabulous local cooking without leaving your villa. Your chef will be on hand to prepare everything from light lunches to five-course dinners and special occasion cooking. The service is completely flexible.

The estate on which the luxury villa is situated is home to two wonderful eating spots, Ristorante Campo de Drago, which serves traditional Tuscan cuisine alongside the estate's own wines. The interiors are neutral and contemporary, and if you eat outside on the terrace you'll enjoy a wonderful view of the hills and woodland below. Then there is the more casual trattoria, Osteria La Canonica, ideal for a light lunch or a pizza in the evening. Both benefit from ingredients picked from the estate's own kitchen garden and a rustic, local menu.

There is also a delivery service to your villa if you prefer, which includes a kids' menu.

If you want to take a flavour of your holiday home with you, you can even take part in cookery classes at the estate's cookery school and learn how to make everything from Tuscan favourites to fresh pasta.





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Kids

Children receive a warm, Italian welcome here and are made to feel right at home. The chef will be happy to prepare special child-friendly meals for you, or you can order from the kids' in-villa delivery menu.

The villa is blessed with lots of outdoor space for little ones to hare about in, and kids will love the infinity pool for an endless amount of fun splashing about.

The estate has a fantastic kids' club, which can be accessed freely and provides a magical environment for imaginative minds to play and learn, enjoying everything from painting to treasure hunts. There are also structured lessons available in swimming, tennis, cookery, archery and much more besides – the astronomy sessions are a highlight.

Location

This luxury villa with swimming pool is property of Rosewood Castiglion del Bosco estate, just outside Siena.

The nearest airports are Florence - 1h 45m away, and Pisa, 2h 30m drive. Private transfers to and from the hotel by helicopter or car can be arranged from airport or main cities.

Staff

Firefly pre-arrival concierge service

Villa staff include:
Daily housekeeping
Villa concierge service

Additional staff such as a private chef, nannies and massage therapists can be arranged on request.

Facilities

- Outdoor heated swimming pool
- Outdoor shady terrace
- Outdoor dining area
- Kitchen
- Fireplace
- Laundry room
- TVs
- Wifi
- Mini bar
- Air conditioning

Guests of the villa also have access to all the facilities of the Rosewood Castiglion del Bosco Hotel, including sauna and steam bath, gym, bocce and tennis courts as well as golf and walks in the woodlands and nature reserve.

