

Directions to La Serena from Chiusi-Chianciano Station

Cars can be rented from Avis, Europear or Hertz from very close to Chiusi Station, which saves you driving all the way from Rome... Europear and Hertz have offices within walking distance and Avis provide a courtesy bus from the Station to their office which is not far away.

Satellite Navigation Users: Please note that our address cannot be found on most systems. However, the following Longitude/Latitude coordinates should work! They are: N 43° 00' 54" E 12° 15' 56" (or if your Sat Nav is set to decimal, it is N 43.015 & E 12.266). The alternative is to enter Castiglione della Valle ('postcode' is 06072) which is only 1 kilometre away from us. Once you have entered those into your system, enjoy the rest of the journey and concentrate on the Italian driving!! Buon Viaggio!

The journey from Chiusi Station will take approximately 30 to 40 minutes, depending on the traffic en route!

From the Station, turn right and follow the road parallel to the railway tracks, taking a sharp left-hand bend into the town (going straight ahead at this point will take you to a dead-end!). Continue up a small hill to a set of traffic lights, where you turn right onto the flyover over the railway.

At the end of the flyover, you come to a roundabout where you take the third exit (to the left) on a new road which curves around the small industrial and shopping area. At the next roundabout, take the third exit signposted *Perugia*.

Follow this road for about 4 kilometres, where you will reach the small town of *Moiano*. In *Moiano*, take the right turn signposted *Piegaro*. The road climbs a small hill then bends to the right. Follow this road for about 9+ kilometres until you come to a T-junction (watch out for the sharp hair-pin bend after about 8 kilometres!).

Turn left towards *Tavernelle* and follow this road all the way into *Tavernelle* (about 5 kilometres). At the small roundabout, take the second exit into the town, go through the first and second set of lights, then straight across the next roundabout (second exit). Continue on the same road for another 5 kilometres, when you will see a right-hand turn signposted for *Castiglione della Valle*.

Take this right turn and follow the same road for about nn kilometres, through the lower part of the village of *Montepetriolo*. You will see the church of *Castiglione della Valle ahead* of you. Continue, still, on the same road keeping *Castiglione della Valle* on your left-hand side.

About 800metres after *Castiglione della Valle* you will cross a small bridge of a small river (the Caina) and the road will bend around to the left. Just after the bend you will see *La Serena* on your left with solar panels in the front garden.

Turn right into our driveway and enjoy the welcome that is *La Serena in Umbria!* and the real start to your fantastic Umbrian holiday.





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From La Serena: turn right and keep going (over the River Caina) until you see a fork junction. Take the left fork, with *Castiglione della Valle* on your right.

Stay on this road for about 5-6 kilometres, where you will come to a T-junction (just after some roadworks). Turn left towards *Tayernelle*.

Stay on this road for about 10-11 kilometres, going straight through the town of *Tavernelle*. There is a roundabout just before *Tavernelle* itself and another roundabout at the end. There are 2 sets of traffic lights in the middle of *Tavernelle*, which are sometimes showing a flashing amber (orange). If so, simply treat them as a normal junction and go across the junction when clear.

Staying on the same road after Tavernelle, you will see a sign for *Piegaro* on your left (also sign-posted *Montegabbione*. Ignore the left turn, but be ready to turn <u>right</u> quickly afterwards, towards *Moiano*. Stay on this road for about 9-10 kilometres. Towards the end of this road, you will climb a hill and the road bends round to the left over a bridge with a small canal under it. You will come to a T-junction in the middle of *Moiano*.

Turn left at the T-junction towards *Chiusi*. Follow this road for about 4 kilometres where you come to a roundabout. Take the exit signposted *Chiusi* and *Chianciano-Terme* and follow this new road to another roundabout. Take the first exit at this roundabout.*

Just after the roundabout, you will see a small sign on your left for the "*Stazione*" with a *P* sign. Take this left turn, and turn right into the car park. Look for the spaces that have white lines – there is no charge for parking in these. If you park in the spaces with blue lines (underneath the solar panels) you need to get a ticket at the machine for €2 which is for 24 hours parking.

On foot, turn right out of the car park, towards the railway lines. Walk through the tunnel at the end of this road and turn left at the end of the tunnel (not before). After about 50-70 metres, you will see the station on your left-hand side.

* If you are dropping someone else at the Station, ignore the next 2 paragraphs and follow the road you join from the roundabout over a large flyover (over the railway tracks) where you will come to some traffic lights. Take the left filter at these lights taking the road into *Chiusi Scalo* (you will see a sign for the *Stazione*. Follow this (one-way) road for a few hundred metres and take the right fork towards the station. You will come to a large roundabout where you will see the front entrance of the station ahead of you.

To leave the station, take the road that runs parallel with the railway (on your right-hand side) where you come to a junction. Turn left and this road takes you back up to the traffic lights at the end of the flyover mentioned before. Follow the above directions in reverse to return to La Serena.