

The many ways of getting to us: -

Whether its by car, train, taxi or boat, below is the information you need to reach La Casa Della Seta.

To make the most of your holiday we recommend booking an early flight out and late afternoon return.

Airport: The best airport is (we think) Milan Malpensa and whether its Terminal 1 (BA, Wizz Air and others) or Terminal 2 (Easyjet) there is car hire desks and train stations at both.

You can reach us via Bergamo (2 hours) and Milan Linate (1.5 hours) airports but we recommend Malpensa for ease and to avoid Milan traffic at around 1.15 hours.

By Car: This is the easiest way to reach us from the airport, good deals can be had by booking online before you leave, but we would recommend Centauro if available on the comparison sites as they service both terminals and have an easy shuttle service, others are available at both terminals near to the train stations.

Once you have your car, google 'Trattoria Rana Tremezzo, 22016" (do not use our address) and follow directions to this location. 'Whats app' us about 10 mins before your arrival so we can meet you at the car park below the village. As you drive up the hill, you will see car parking on the left hand side, please park in the parking spaces marked in WHITE. If this is full, carry on up the hill and park opposite the Hotel Le Perla.

If you are staying at our Casa Mia apartment, you have a private parking space on site.

Finally we recommend hiring a small car (Fiat 500 or similar), it makes for a more enjoyable drive.

Tolls: Remember if you are coming from Malpensa you will use the Pedemontana toll road which you will have to pay via online at https://apl.pedemontana.com within 15 days and will need your number plate.

Other tolls road are cash or card at the toll gates.

The journey should take 1.15 hours to reach us, but take your time and enjoy the view!

By Train to Como: If you don't fancy driving and have taken an early flight into Malpensa (arriving around 10am-12pm) then this is the way to get to Como town.

At both terminals you will see 'Treni" signs where you can use the self service ticket machines or better still, book before you arrive online at www.thetrainline.com. You need to book your ticket to 'COMO LAGO' (do not book to Como Camerlato) and this takes you directly to the Lake from where you can catch the bus or boat.

You will have to change at Saronno station and look on the timetable screens for Como Lago and which 'Binario' it goes from. The journey takes about 1.15 hours and will cost around 10€.

Then by Bus: So you have arrived at Como town and as you leave the station you will see to your right the bus station 'Stazione Autolinee' from here you can get the C10 bus to Meneggio and then get off at Tremezzo. The journey takes about an hour.

Or by Boat: This is the way you need to arrive! But, you should try and book before you arrive at https://www.navigazionelaghi.it/en/tickets-and-timetables-lake-como/ but sadly you cannot book the Rapido service online which takes about 50 mins to Tremezzo (you can only do this at the ticket office). As you leave the station, cross the road to the lake side and head left along the lake to the ferry ticket office. The normal boat service takes 2 hours to get to Tremezzo but you do get a great view of the lake. In high season expect queues for the ticket office in Como and the rapid service could be full and therefore you will have to catch the next boat but this allows plenty of time to explore the old town and maybe an Aperol Spritz or two.

As your boat arrives at Argegno, 'Whats app' us to see if we can collect you from Tremezzo boat stop.

Then Taxi: We have 'Mario' the village taxi driver who can transfer you to and from the airport, Como or the boat station and these are indicative costs only for up to 4 people when booked in advance: Mario +39 338 204 7279 (mention La Casa Della Seta)

Viano to/from - Malpensa: 200€ / Linate 210€ / Bergamo 250€

Como Station to/from Viano: 100€

Viano to/from Menaggio: 20€

Tremezzo boat stop to Viano: 15€

Having a car does provide a lot more options during your stay to explore the local area, but if you prefer not to drive, there are plenty of walks and we are only a 20 minute walk from the lake and we also have a trattoria in the village.

Any problems, just 'whats app' us and we will help all we can.

We look forward to welcoming you and to probably the start of the best holiday ever!

Ash & Summer