

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

EAT

Pewex is the closest grocery store. It's located on Via Cola di Rienzo 86c. You can buy bottled water, fruit, snacks, and other good things here. Unlike the vast majority of grocery stores in Italy that close around 8pm, Pewex is open until 9:30pm (this may change by season)! They take Ticket Restaurant Meal Tickets.

Bar Lepanto is located on Viale Giulio Cesare 31. You can get a cornetto (croissant) and café for breakfast or you can go for lunch and order a panino (sandwich) ranging from €2 to €3, or eat at the Tavola Calda (literally, "Hot Table") which will have a few primi (pasta), secondi (meats), and contorni (side dishes) for you to choose from. Price varies depending on your selection. Bar Lepanto does not serve dinner.

Mastrogusto is located on Via dei Gracchi, 193. You can customize your own tasty sandwich for €4-€5. This is the gourmet Italian version of Subway. They take Ticket Restaurant Meal Tickets.

Mondo Arancina- Pizza, located just across the street on Via Marcantonio Colonna (go left when you leave the campus. It's one block down next to the gelateria) You pay for your pizza by weight (so tell them a bigger or smaller size chunk) and then you can ask for it hot (calda, per favore) and to go (da portare via). Also try the Arancine, a Sicilian specialty of fried balls of rice stuffed with cheese, meat, vegetables, or other good things. They take Ticket Restaurant Meal Tickets.

Vero is located right on Marcantonio Colonna (go left when you leave the campus. It's right next door to the gelateria). The café sells sandwiches, sushi, salads, iced coffee, and yummy deserts. They take Ticket Restaurant Meal Tickets.

PLUG-IN

The local Ferramenta (hardware store) sells plug adapters as well as small electronics. You will need a plug adapt for your American electronics, as any high tech electronics (laptops, smart phones, tablets, etc...) have internal converters. For electronics that would need converters (blow dryers or straighteners), it is suggested to buy them once in Italy instead of bringing from the US. The closest store to St. John's is named "Ferramenta Paesano Aldo" and can be found on Via Lucrezio Caro, 83.

CONNECT

The best way to call home is usually through FB Messenger, Skype, FaceTime, WhatsApp, Telegram or Viber. All of these options are free, all you need is access to Wi-Fi. Have your parents (or whomever you wish to call) download these apps if you wish to talk with them for free.

CASH MONEY

There are a number of banks within very close walking distance. On Via Pompeo Magno, 23 there is CheBanca! On Via dei Gracchi, 152 & 142 there are two banks Banco BPM and Banca Sella. The best way to get money is by ATM's (bancomat) which are open 24/7, but banks will also exchange most traveler's checks for a fee during their business hours (usually the morning, closed for lunch, and then open again for a few hours in the afternoon).

WI-FI

First, check the info stand (2nd floor by the elevator) or the SJUROME.com website for the Campus Wi-Fi Instructions sheet. If you still cannot get the Wi-Fi to work, you can make an appointment with Andrea Notarnicola notarnia@stjohns.edu, office 206. He is available Monday through Friday during working hours (from 9AM-5PM). Desktop computers are available in the computer lab located on the 2st floor. St. John's students must use their account information to log onto the computer. Students from visiting schools must speak to Andrea for their login information.



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