

School of Arts and Crafts

of the Fabbrica di San Pietro in Vaticano

4TH EDITION



FABBRICA DI S. PIETRO IN VATICANO



EDUCATIONAL PROJECT

› 5 courses:

- ‹ STONEMASONS AND MARBLE WORKERS
- ‹ BRICKLAYERS, PLASTERERS AND DECORATORS
- ‹ CARPENTERS
- ‹ BLACKSMITHS
- ‹ MOSAICISTS

- › For young people (female and male) from all around the world aged **from 18 to 25**
- › The students will live in **shared apartments** favouring communal living
- › Said experience is **free of charge**
- › The duration is **6 months**
- › **Enrollment:** from June 2 to August 15, 2025



For further information and **enrollment**, fill in the **form** on:

- › (<https://www.basilicasanpietro.va/en/news/fourth-edition-school-arts-crafts>)
- › (https://www.fondazionefratellitutti.org/en/?post_type=articles&p=37261&preview=true)



Basilica San Pietro



Fondazione Fratelli tutti

TEACHING PLAN

› CORE SUBJECTS

- › History of Art Techniques
- › Form, space, matter: fundamentals of History of Architecture
- › Elements of History of Construction: techniques, apparatus, building sites
- › Materials, technologies and executive methods of artifacts
- › The Basilica di San Pietro in Vaticano
- › Biblical and theological foundations



COURSE SUBJECTS



STONEMASONS AND MARBLE WORKERS COURSE

- › Stone materials in the building tradition: characteristics and uses
- › Tools and techniques for working stone materials: craftsmanship and new technologies



BRICKLAYERS, PLASTERERS AND DECORATORS COURSE

- › Traditional masonry works: materials, techniques and procedures
- › Stucco works: substrates, components, techniques
- › Plasters: materials and techniques
- › Fresco and plaster decoration: materials and execution procedures



CARPENTERS COURSE

- › Wood species: characteristics and uses
- › Wood in architecture and art: history and technique
- › Fabricated and digital woodworking techniques



BLACKSMITHS COURSE

- › Iron in architecture: history and techniques
- › Metal-working tools, methods and procedures
- › Elements of mechanical drawing and measuring techniques
- › Elements of metal chemistry and physics



MOSAICISTS

- › History of Mosaic
- › Mosaic materials and techniques
- › Computer graphics for mosaic decoration

› LABORATORY

› EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

In-depth seminars, field trips, curricular visits





ADDRESSES

Website of the Basilica di San Pietro in Vaticano
www.basilicasanpietro.va

Website of the Fondazione Fratelli tutti
www.fondazionefratellitutti.org

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