

# GE Oil & Gas Florence Learning Center Fact Sheet

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## Where are we?

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The GE Florence Learning Center is situated in the industrial area north of Florence, called “Firenze Nova”. It is a modern building in front of the GE Oil & Gas factory entrance. It is 15 minutes away from the airport “A. Vespucci” and 20 minutes from Florence downtown by taxi.

## Airports



The Amerigo Vespucci Airport (called Peretola airport as well) is 15 minutes by taxi from Florence downtown and only 5 minutes away from the Florence Learning Center.

The Pisa Airport “Galileo Galilei” is on the West Coast, 1 hour away from Florence by car (80Km) and 1h about by train. The railway station located at Pisa Airport is connected directly to the airport terminal. Trains and buses leave hourly from Pisa Airport to the main Florence train station (Firenze - Santa Maria Novella).

## Trains



Santa Maria Novella Train Station is the main station in Florence and it is situated in the city center. It connects Florence with other Italian and European centers.

The nearest Station to the Learning Center is Rifredi. It is 10 min. walk from the Learning Center. You can reach it directly departing from Santa Maria Novella. Trains going between the two stations leave approximately every 10 minutes during peak hours. The trip is 5 minutes each way.

The official timetable for the Italian train system can be found at the following Web site: [www.trenitalia.com/en/index.html](http://www.trenitalia.com/en/index.html)

To use the timetable, however, you have to know the exact Italian names of the station of interest. Below is a list of the names of the most important train stations:

Rome's main station = Roma Termini  
Florence's main station = Firenze S. M. Novella  
Florence Nuovo Pignone station = Firenze Rifredi  
Milan's main station = Milano Centrale  
Pisa Airport = Pisa Aeroporto

## Buses



The bus line servicing the Florence Learning Center from the center is the number 23. In the center the Bus stop is right at the main train station. The direction to follow is "Zona Industriale". Get off at the last stop. The stop is called "Nuovo Pignone – Capolinea."

Ticket price – one way € 1.20 (valid for 1 hour).

Tickets are sold on board. Tickets can be purchased at ATAF ticket counter at the main station, at any kiosk that sells newspapers & magazines."

For more information about the Florentine bus system see the following Web site: <http://www.ataf.net/>

## Taxis

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+39 055-4390  
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Rates are indicated on the meter and they are approx.:

Center – Florence Learning Center:	Euro 15
Center – Airport:	Euro 20
Florence Learning Center – Airport:	Euro 10

Not all the taxis accept credit cards. If you need a taxi that will accept credit cards call ahead of time to reserve one.

