School of Agricultural Sciences and Veterinary Medicine

VIRTUAL CAMPUS TOUR
WELCOME TO THE “AGRIPOLIS” CAMPUS
The **School of Agricultural Science and Veterinary Medicine** was established in 2013 after the latest Italian University reform when the former Faculty of Agricultural Sciences and the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine merged. Presently, the School accounts for around 4,000 students (undergraduate and graduate).

The *Agripolis* campus is in Legnaro, a small town in the south of Padova.

It includes also the *Veterinary Teaching Hospital*, the "*Lucio Toniolo*" experimental farm, the Regional Agency for Agriculture ("*Veneto Agricoltura*"), the Regional Institute for Animal Health and Disease and many agricultural and student associations.

Most lectures take place on the main Campus, but some programmes includes classes in *Vicenza* and *Conegliano*.
GETTING TO AGRIPOlis

BY PLANE
> From Venice Airport "Marco Polo", take the bus or train to Padova train station (40 km): click here
> From Treviso Airport "Antonio Canova", take the bus or train to Padova train station (70 Km): click here

BY BUS
BUSITALIA:
line E003 (stops in front of the campus) or E001/E604, E002, E004, E005_V/E005_Z (bus stop: Legnaro)
Click here for more info

BY TRAIN
The railway station in Padova which is served regularly by trains from most major Italian cities; from there you then need to take the bus to Agripolis. Click here to see the train schedules

BY CAR
> Highway A4: Milano - Venezia
Exit Padova Est, follow Piove di Sacco – Chioggia signs
> Highway A13: Bologna - Padova
Exit Padova Zona Industriale, follow Ponte S. Nicolò – Chioggia signs
LET’S START OUR TOUR!

Veneto Agricoltura

Classrooms, canteen, admin offices

DORMS

Regional Institute for Animal Health and Disease

EXPERIMENTAL FARM

TEACHING HOSPITAL

PENTAGONO

Library and classrooms

PRIMA STECCA

Departments and classrooms

SECONDA STECCA

Departments and classrooms

CA’ GIALLA

Classrooms, canteen, admin offices
LET’S START OUR TOUR!

The bus will drop you in front of the main entrance: let’s meet there!
On your left, you will see two buildings: they are called “Stecche” (sticks) because of their shape.

Here you can find most Professors’ offices, as well as laboratories and lecture rooms (on the ground floor).

Click on the name of the Department to get to its website.

**SECONDA STECCA**
- Department of Agronomy, Food, Natural Resources, Animals and the Environment – DAFNAE

**PRIMA STECCA**
- Department of Animal Medicine, Production and Health – MAPS
- Department of Land, Environment, Agriculture and Forestry – TESAF
In the "Museum" building you can find the laboratories of the Department Of Comparative Biomedicine And Food Science (BCA), but also the Educational Museum of Veterinary Medicine. It offers precious insights into the world of vertebrate species and their qualities, and it spreads all over the building: for example, you might find yourself refilling your water bottle next to the skeleton of a bovine…
Behind you can see the VTH (more commonly referred to as OVUD) which falls within the competence of the Department of Animal Medicine, Production and Health (MAPS). The hospital is divided into 20 units and it treats conventional and unconventional animals, livestock, and equines. The services also include 24/7 emergency veterinary care for animal owners. Here students of Veterinary Medicine carry out their mandatory traineeship.
Next stop: the Pentagono. This building owes its name to its peculiar shape.

Here, you will find lecture rooms and laboratories, as well as admin offices and study spaces. On the third floor is the library.

Worried you might get lost? Check the floor maps here.
The “Pietro Arduino” library

Your UniPD ID card doubles as a library card: this means that you can read and borrow exam textbooks and access e-resources even when you are off-campus. This applies to every library within the University Library System! You can check out opening hours and locations here.

With your student ID you can also sign up for workshops and connect to the eduroam WiFi service.

If you are looking for a place to stop and study, you will need to make a reservation via Affluences, a free app you can download from Google Play or the App Store.
The semi-circular building belongs to the Regional Agency for Agriculture “Veneto Agricoltura”.

Veneto Agricoltura is the Veneto Region’s Agency for Innovation in the Primary Sector, and

➔ it supports the Regional Committee in the development of policies concerning farming, agro-food, forestry, and fisheries sectors
➔ it aims at encouraging innovation and promoting environmental sustainability
➔ it provides specialist services for the enhancement and commercialization of typical regional products
➔ it supports applied research, carrying out activities within European, national, and regional projects.
At the end of the path is Ca’ Gialla (“The yellow House”).

Next to the entrance, on the right, you will often see people hanging out and getting something to drink from the cafeteria.

At Ca’ Gialla you will find classes and laboratories. On the second floor are the admin offices for the BCA and MPAS departments; on the first floor there is the canteen. Don’t forget: Remember: to access the canteens you need to use your Tesserino Mensa.
The “Lucio Toniolo” experimental farm was set up in 1960 and currently occupies an area of 68 hectares. Also located near the farm are the premises of the National Institute of Nuclear Physics (INFN) and the Regional Institute for Animal Health and Disease (Istituto zooprofilattico delle Venezie), a public veterinary institute. The farm is equipped with greenhouses, stalls, and an agrometeorological station used daily for logging data, plus machinery including tractors and seeders. Its activities include teaching, experimental work, and crop cultivation, as well as the maintenance of green assets on the entire campus.
The Corte Benedettina, which dates back to the 15th century, used to be a monastery and has now been converted to university use: the number of degree programmes and students keeps growing!

It takes only a few minutes to go from the campus to the Corte: follow the directions to Scuola di Agraria e Medicina Veterinaria / School of Agricultural Sciences and Veterinary Medicine.
Besides the lecture rooms Sala Agricoltura, Aula Montecchio, Aula Filanda I and Aula Filanda II, in the Corte Benedettina you will also find:

➔ The academic administration offices of the School of Agricultural Sciences and Veterinary Medicine

➔ The Tutor Desk (enrolled students who support other students throughout their University career)

➔ The Mobility Desk

➔ The Career Stage Office

➔ The International Desk

➔ The Students Association AUSF (a non-political and non-profit organization founded by a group of forest science students, but open to students from any programme)
We look forward to seeing you there!