

A stylized, light green map of the Cannaregio district in Venice is overlaid on a dark green background. The map shows the district's irregular shape and internal canal network. The title text is centered over the map.

GREEN SPACE IN CANNAREGIO, VENICE

in depth details on publicly available spaces in
Cannaregio

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ABOUT THIS CATALOG



Over 900 green spaces have been recorded in Cannaregio, Castello, and Giudecca, of Venice, Italy. This catalog goes into detail on the publicly available green spaces in Cannaregio. Data collected at each space includes **availability, vegetation, amenities, and photos**. These spaces are categorized as parks, gardens, urban wilds, street spaces, and courtyards. This in-depth data is aimed to help parties that want to use green spaces (residents, tourists, environmentalists, etc.) as well as stewardship organizations interested in their maintenance and possible reutilization. The resulting catalog is available to the public in the form of an interactive map, website, and this booklet, all of which are aimed to **promote sustainable stewardship and green space use in the city**.

Find our full interactive catalog on our website <https://sites.google.com/view/ve22-green/home>



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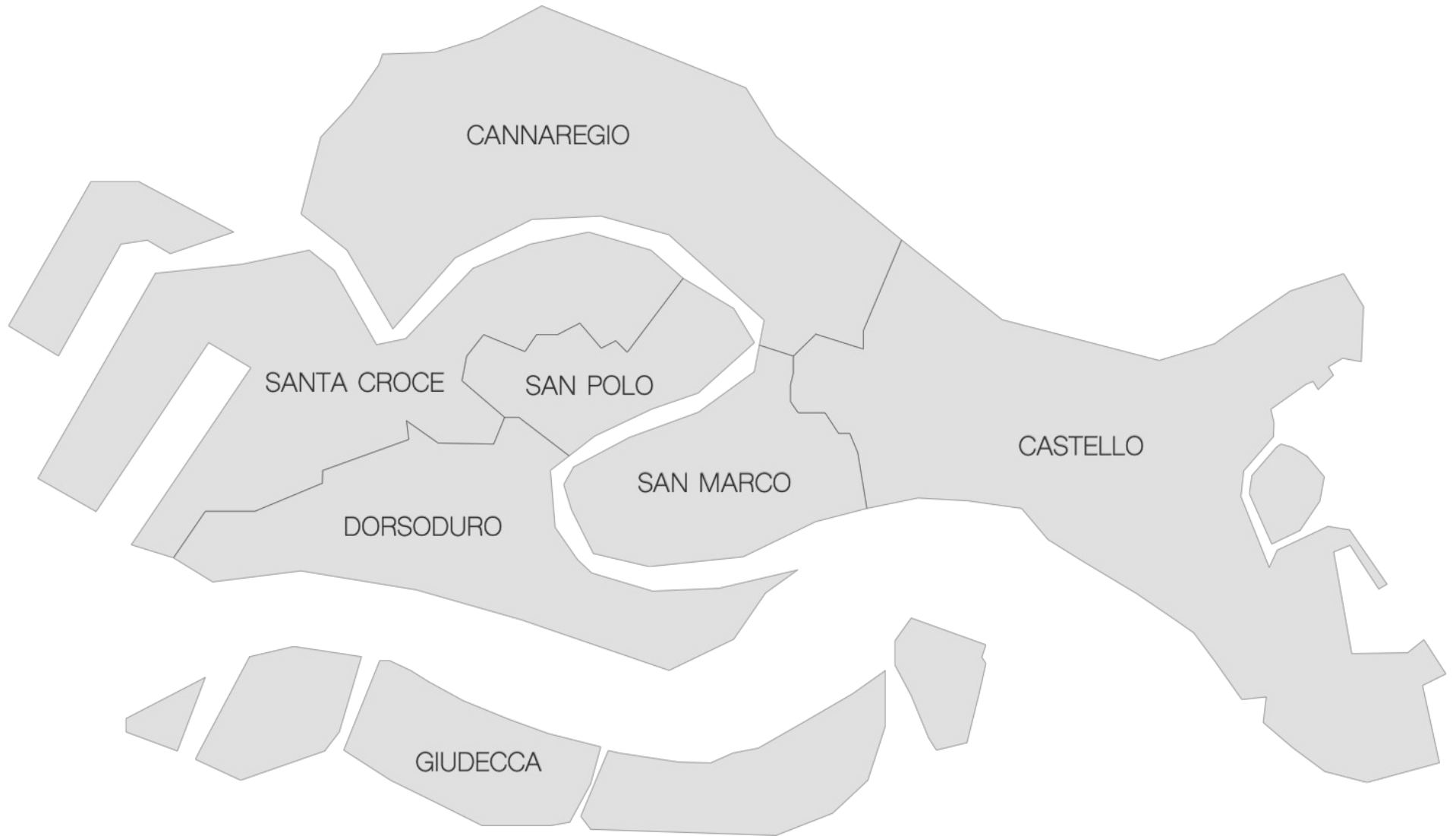
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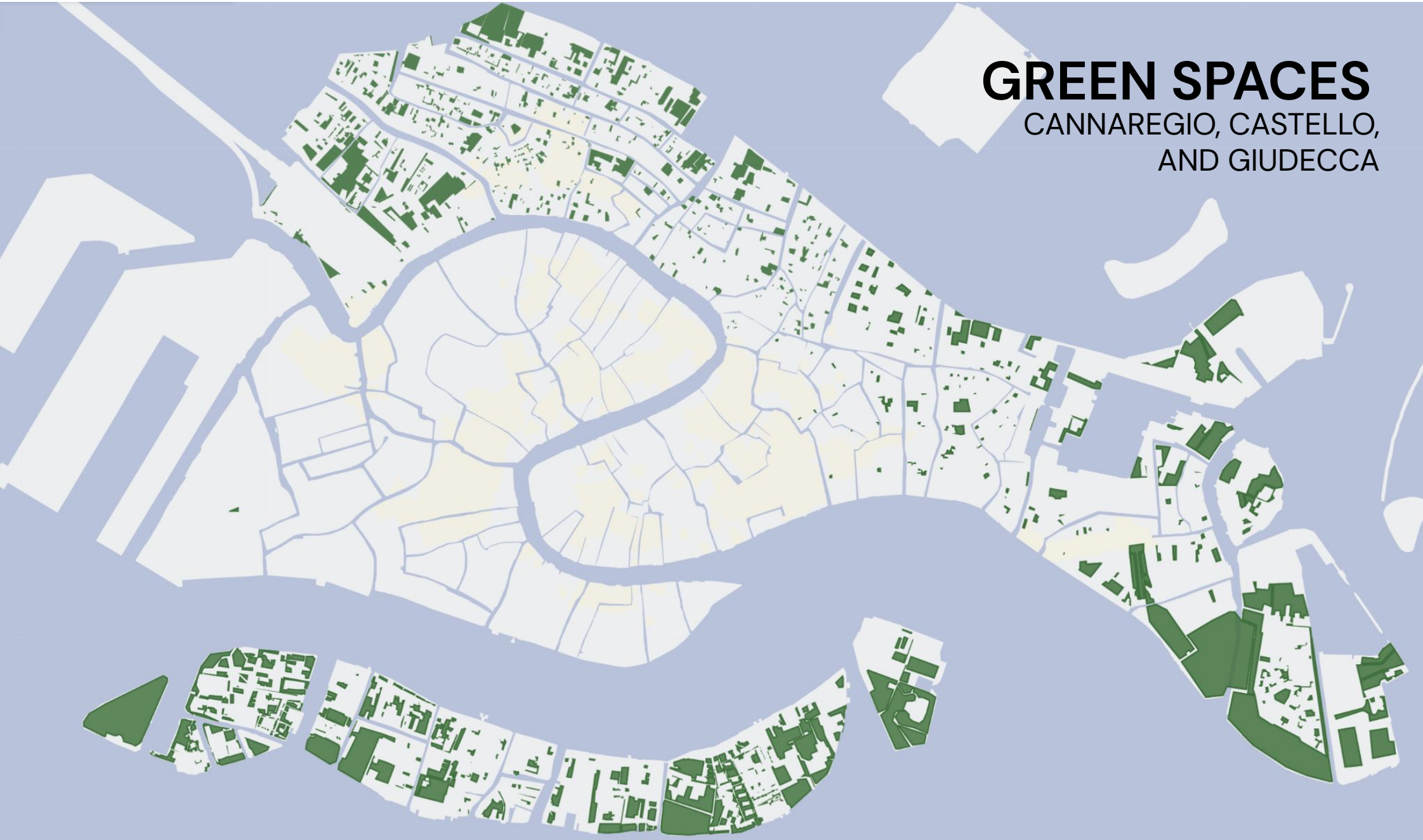
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SECTIONS OF THE HISTORIC CITY



GREEN SPACES

CANNAREGIO, CASTELLO,
AND GIUDECCA



CANNAREGIO

AREA: 1,213,567m²

POPULATION: 14,366

GREEN SPACES: 493

GREEN SPACE AREA: 186,817.7m²



LAND TYPE



PARKS

Regularly maintained areas allowing for recreation, relaxation, and socialization.



STREET SPACES

Small areas of green space along streets and buildings that are still able to promote biodiversity in a city.



URBAN WILDS

Areas of uncultivated land that can still be home to active ecosystems.



GARDENS

Can serve as areas for food cultivation or increase the overall aesthetic of an area.



COURTYARDS

Areas often associated with a certain building and act as part of their architecture, offering quiet outdoor areas for recreation.

AVAILABILITY

The following 4 categories were used to describe the availability of a space to the public.



FULLY Available

Open to the public 24/7

Total spaces: 35



MOSTLY Available

Accessible at certain times

Total spaces: 12



CONDITIONALLY Available

Accessible with tickets or permission

Total spaces: 23



NOT Available

Unable to enter

Total spaces: 419

Availability Map of Cannaregio



Best green spaces to visit in Cannaregio

1. Parco Savorgnan

Description: This is a large park that has a few open areas for recreation purposes. There are a lot of walkways through the park with plenty of vegetation scattered throughout the park. Within the park there are multiple playgrounds, which would make it a great park for parents to bring their kids.

General Information:

Total land Area: 11240m²

Address: Calle Pesaro, 427, 30121 Venezia VE

Hours of Operation: Open between the hours of 7:00-20:30.

Mostly Available:

Available during open hours.

Canal Access: Direct canal access

Land Access: Can be accessed from several open gates along the perimeter

Handicap access: is limited due to the gravel pathways

Amenities:

This park has benches, light posts, trash cans picnic tables, drinking stations, as well as water fountains.



Photos of Parco Savorgnan

Human made pond



Small spruce trees in center



Architecture with roof



2. Parco Villa Groggia

Description: This park is an open area park that has plenty of seating. One unique aspect of this park is that within it there is a theatre and even a swimming pool in the facilities within the park. Along with these there are plenty of historical statues located within. This space is mostly grass with some paved areas. The open area makes it a great place for all age groups to enjoy.

General Information:

Total land Area: 4211.8m²

Address: Parco di Villa Groggia Cannaregio 3160A Calle del Capitolo
30121 Venice Italy

Hours of Operation: Open between the hours of 8:00-18:30 (winter)
open between the hours of 7:00-20:30 (summer).

Mostly Available:

Available to the public during open hours.

Canal Access: There is no direct canal access

Land Access: Can be accessed from one entrance gate.

Handicap Accessibility: Fully handicap accessible

Amenities: In this park there are benches, light posts, water fountain, and trash cans. There are also different statues that are located within the park.



Photos of Parco Villa Groggia

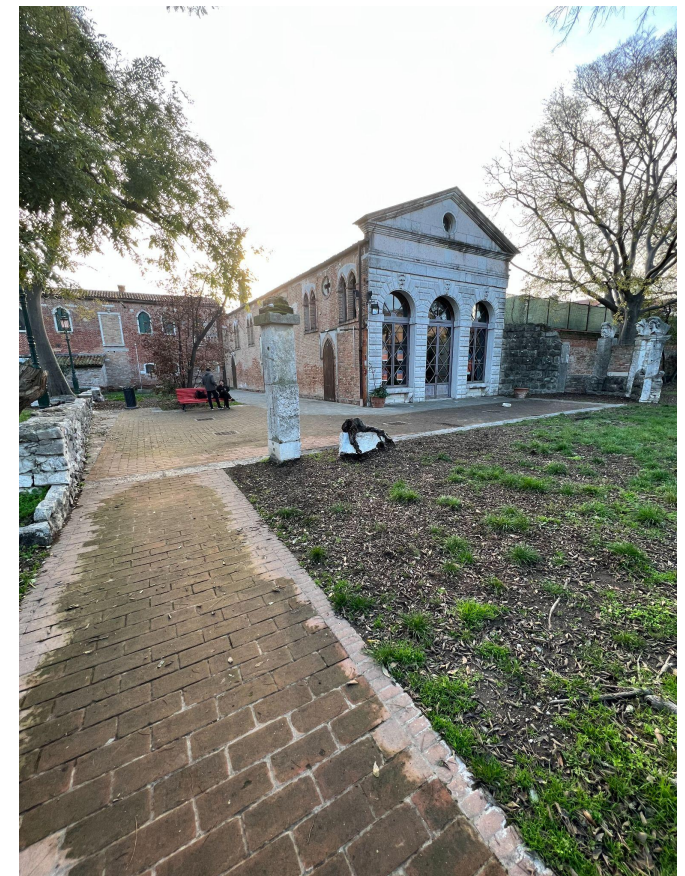
Middle of the park



Area view from pathway



The theater



3. Giardino della Stazione

Description: This is a well designed green space that is aesthetically appealing. It has 3 main seating areas where 2 of these areas are in a circle formation with benches facing each other. There is some open grass areas but mostly this place is gravel walkways. It is by the train station with an overview of the canal so it would be a good place for people who want to sit and relax.

General Information:

Total land Area: 1646.6m²

Address: Santa Croce, 500, 30135 Venezia VE

Fully available:

Canal Access: Direct canal access

Land Access: Only one way to enter and exit the park

Handicap Access: is Limited access, pathways are dirt and gravel so it would not be as easy for a person in a wheelchair to assess

Amenities: This park has benches, light posts, trash cans, no bathroom, and no ash trays.



Photos of Giardino della Stazione

View from center



From the other end view



Corner view



4. Northwest Cannaregio Coast

Description: This green space is made up of little green spaces all lined up along the northwest coast of the Cannaregio are. It is a great place to look out into the open ocean and to get away from the noise. Not much actual vegetation in this area but it still is a nice quiet place for people to go to be around trees and relax.

General Information:

Total land Area: 1586m²

Address: Santa Croce, 500, 30135 Venezia VE

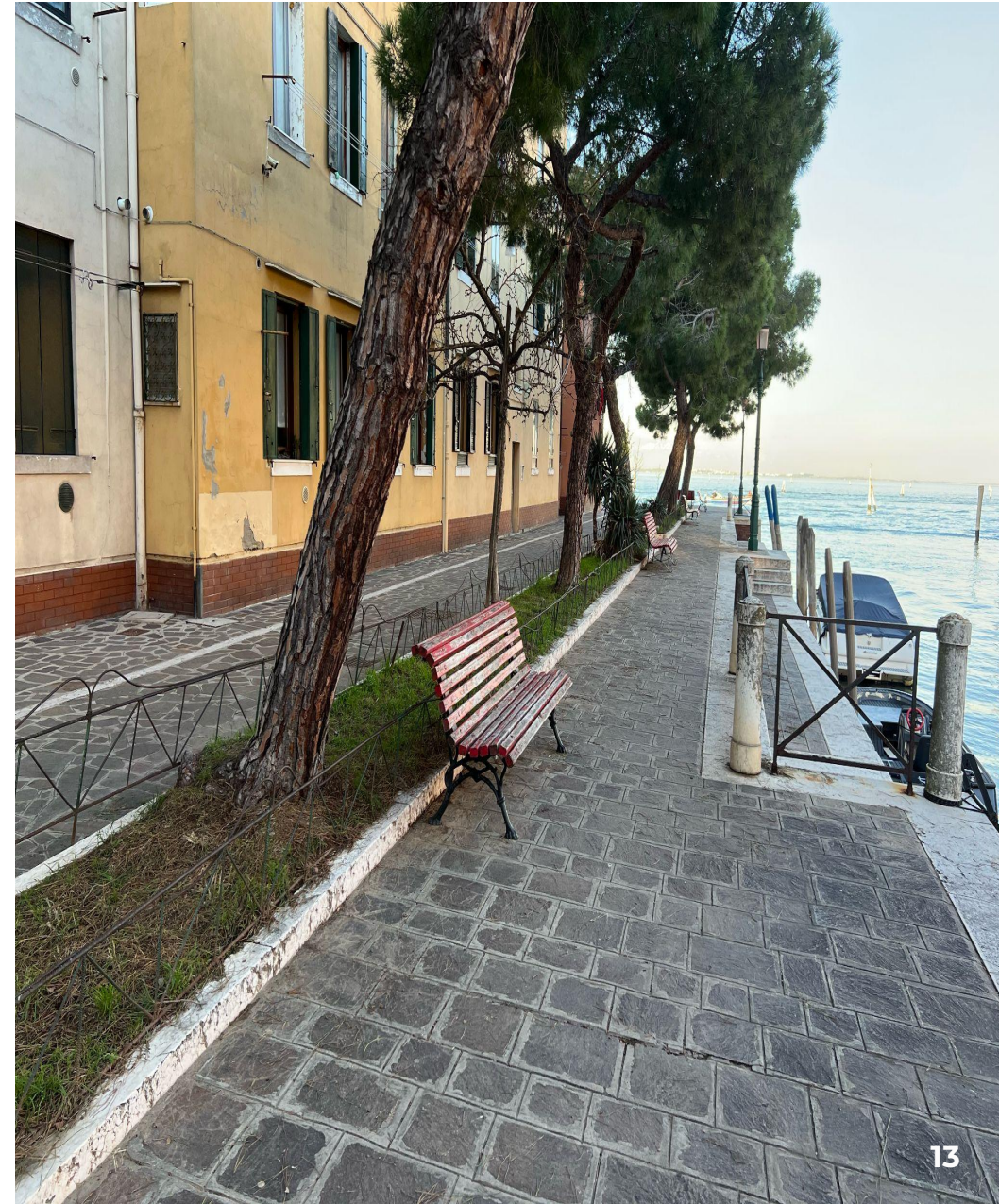
Fully Available:

Canal Access: Direct canal access

Land Access: Can be accessed by both sides of the strip

Handicap accessibility: Fully handicap accessible

Amenities: There are assorted benches that view the coast line, as well as trash cans that our lined up along the green space.



Photos of Northwest Cannaregio Coast



Overview



Street Spaces



More Street Spaces



Benches looking the alps

5. Northern Cannaregio Coast

Description: Little strip of green space in the northern coast of Venice that overlooks the open lagoon. This space is mostly grass filled with only a paved walkway to access the grass area. It is a quiet area that is good for younger adults and middle aged adults to spend time.

General Information:

Total land Area: 1568m²

Address: Cannaregio 3144 Fondamenta dei Riformatori del Bersaglio 30121 Venice Italy

Hours of Operation:

Mostly Available:

Open during hours of operation.

Canal Access: Direct canal access

Land Access: Can be accessed from one entrance gate

Handicap Accessibility: Limited handicap accessibility due to the fact that most of the space is grass which would be hard for a person in a wheelchair to access it by themselves.

Amenities: There are only light posts that light up the entrance.



Photos of Northern Cannaregio Coast

Walkway



View of water



Area photo



6. Palazzo Moro University

Description: This is a semi-private area that has plenty of room to sit and socialize in. The green space has a good amount of picnic tables along with walkway lights to ensure things don't get too dark.

General Information:

Total land Area: 11331.5m²

Address: Cannaregio 2978C Calle Feraù 30121 Venice Italy

Mostly Available:

Open during university hours

Canal Access: No direct canal access

Land Access: Multiple entrances into the area

Handicap Accessibility: Full handicap accessibility

Amenities: This space has tables, lights, and paved walkways.



Photos of Palazzo Moro University

Bench area to sit down



Entrance into green space



7. Corte del Bagolaro

Description: This is a large courtyard split in half with a walkway. On both sides are nice patches of grass with lampposts to illuminate the area. Great for kids to run around in or a place to read.

General Information:

Total land Area: 1303m²

Address: Corte del Bagolaro, 30121 Venezia, VE

Fully Available:

Canal Access: No direct water access

Land Access: Can be accessed freely

Handicap access: Can be accessed via the pathway in the middle.

Surrounding pavement is also stones.

Amenities: This area only has trash cans, fire hydrants, and lamp posts.



Photos of Corte del Bagolaro

The area of green space with pathway splitting it



8. Jewish Ghetto

Description: A wide open spaced area for kids to run around and play. This area is mostly paved but it does have vegetation such as trees scattered throughout the space. This area is great for kids for the fact that it is so wide open.

General Information:

Total land Area: 765.2m²

Address: Campo del Ghetto Novo Campo de Gheto Novo
30121 Venice Italy

Fully Available:

Canal Access: Direct Canal Access

Land Access: Multiple entrances into the green space

Handicap Access: There is full handicap accessibility

Amenities: There are benches, light posts, water fountain, fire hydrant and an aiuola.



Photos of Jewish Ghetto

Photo of historical artifact within the Ghetto square



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9. Giardino mistico

Description: The Giardino mistico is a private garden with a paid entry, within it there is a an arrangement of plants lined up to perfection. You can walk through the garden on fined gravel. This garden is a must see place in Venice.

General Information:

Total land Area: 5547m²

Address: Cannaregio 54 Calle Favretti 30121 Venice Italy

Hours of Operation: Only opened to the public in the spring

Conditionally Available:

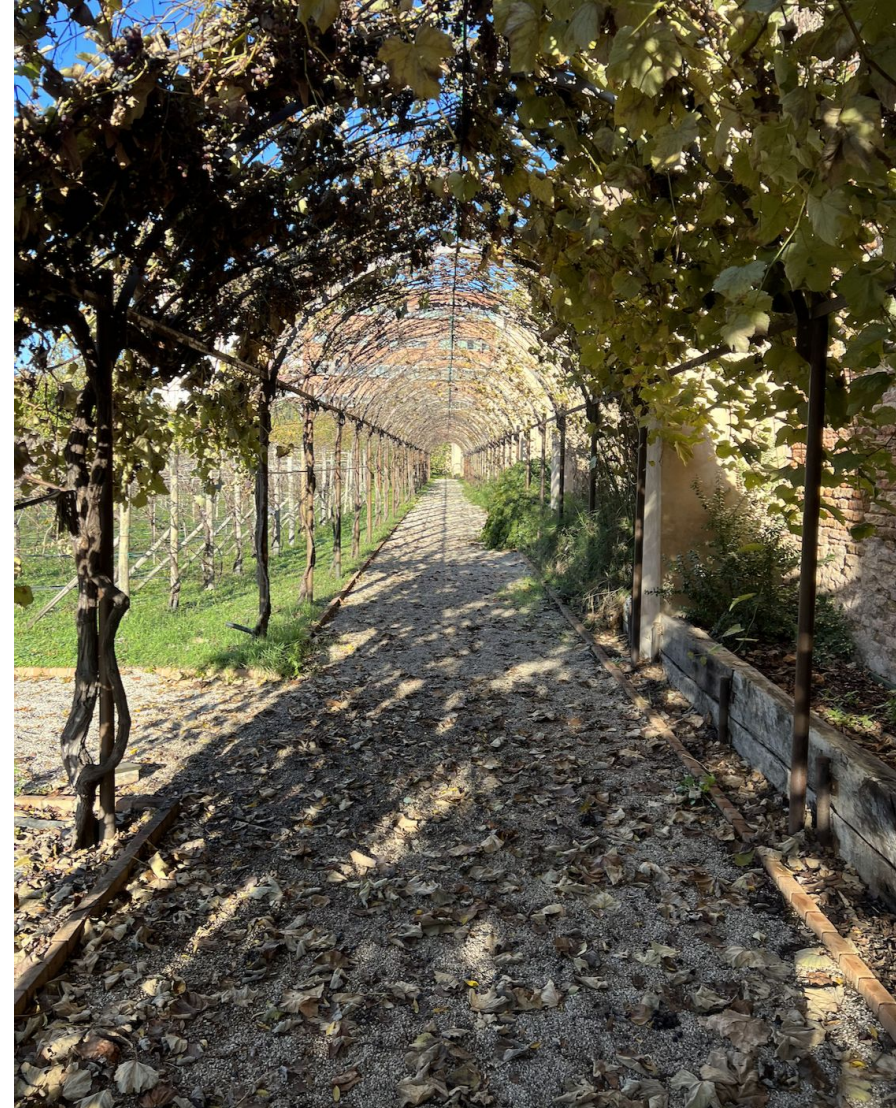
Access with a purchase of a ticket and a reservation (€25 per person).

Canal Access: No direct canal access

Land Access: Only able to enter through the church

Handicap Access: No access due to the fact all the pathways are loose gravel

Amenities: There are a few benches here, a water fountain, and multiple statues to sight see.



10. Jewish botanical gardens

Description: This garden is a beautiful little area that is a part of the Jewish museum.

General Information:

Total land Area: 57.2m²

Address: Ghetto Ebraico, Calle Ghetto Vecchio, Venezia, VE, Italia

Hours of Operation:

Sunday-Thursdays: tours at 11:00, 12:00, 14:00, 15:00, 16:00

Fridays tours at 11:00, 12:00, 14:00

Closed on Saturdays and any other Jewish holiday

Conditionally Available:

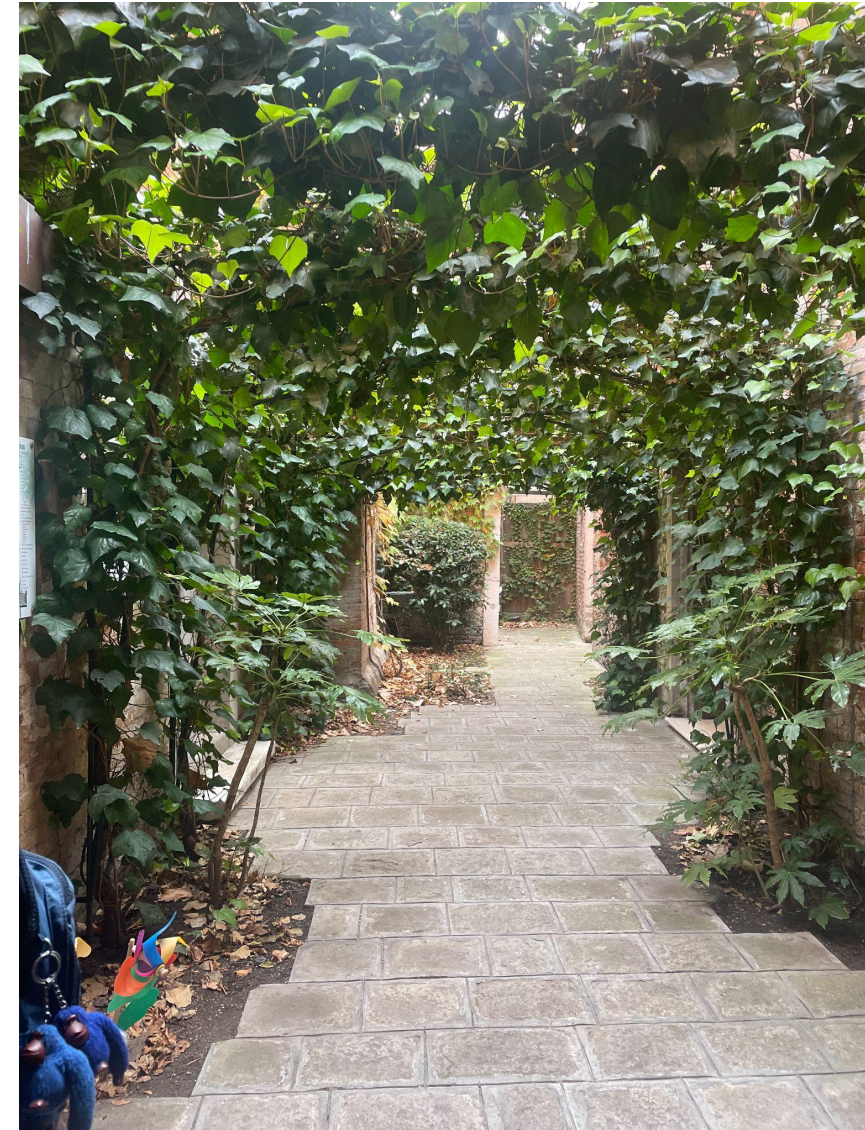
Access with a reservation to enter the garden

Canal Access: Direct water access

Land Access: Can be accessed from several open gates along the perimeter

Handicap Access: is limited due to the gravel pathways

Amenities: There are benches, water fountains, bathrooms, and fountains at the gardens.



11. Flower shop

Description: Even if you are not looking to buy flowers this local flower shop should be on your list of places to visit if you're in Venice.

General information:

Total land Area: 1640.5m²

Address: Foundations of the Abbey, Sestiere Cannaregio, 3546, 30121 - Venice VE

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday: 9:00-12:30, 14:40-17:00
Saturday: 9:00-12:30
Sunday: Closed

Mostly Available:

Open during hours of operation.

Canal Access: There is Direct canal access

Land Access: There is one gate to which you enter the area

Handicap Access: There is full handicap accessibility

Amenities: There are greenhouses and a water fountain.

