

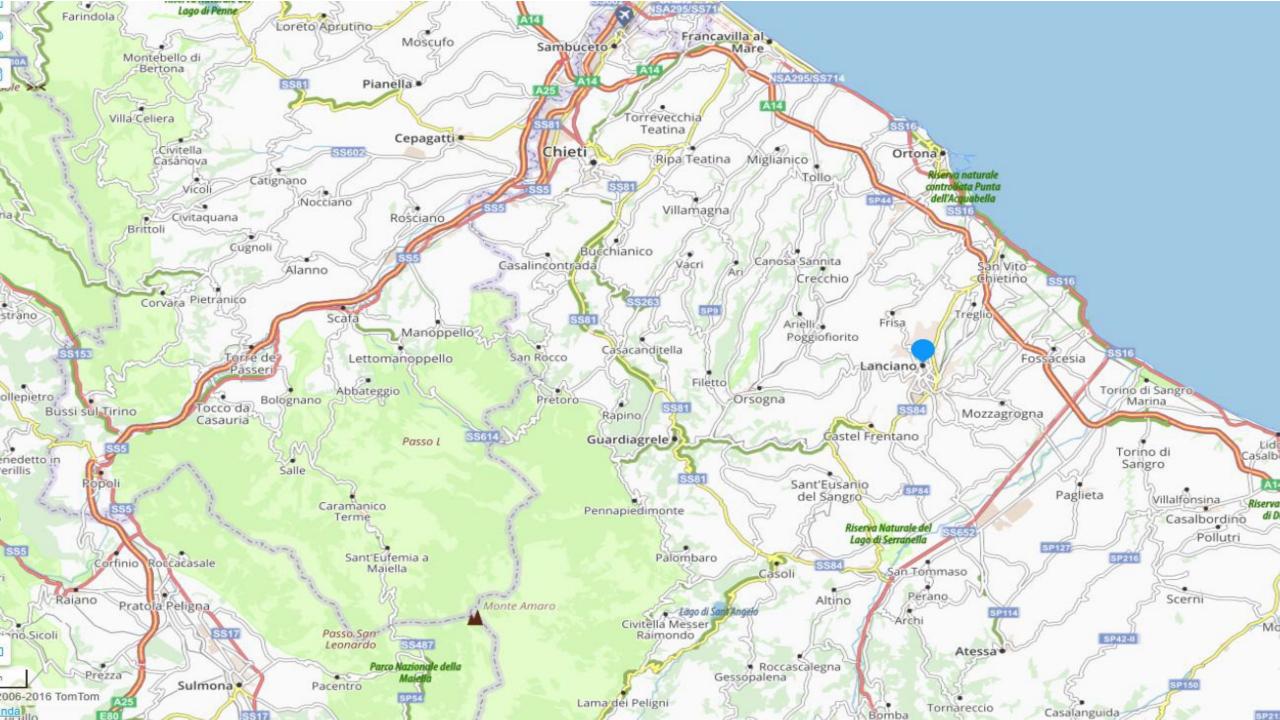


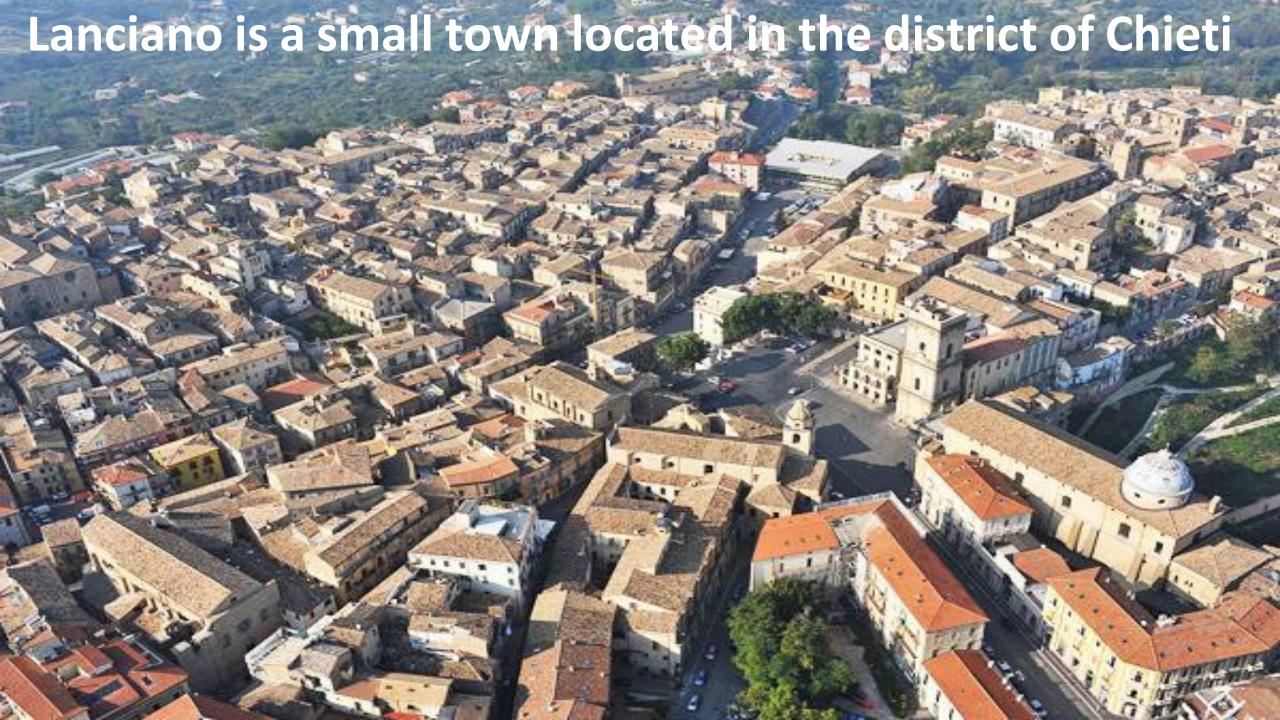
## **Erasmus**+



ITALY

















The ancient Roman name of Lanciano was *Anxanum*, a city of the Frentani Italic tribe.

The city is said to have been founded in 1181 BC by Solimus, a Trojan refugee arrived in Italy along with Aeneas.

Legends aside, archaeological findings have shown that the area was settled from the 5th millennium BC.



Lanciano, because of its geographical position, drew thousands of the merchants from all over the world to its fairs.

From the end of August and beginning of September the historic centre of the town celebrates the medieval period when fairs were the hub of the commerce and the centre of culture for many cities. In those days there are markets, taverns, concerts of medieval music, dancers, flag-waving groups.

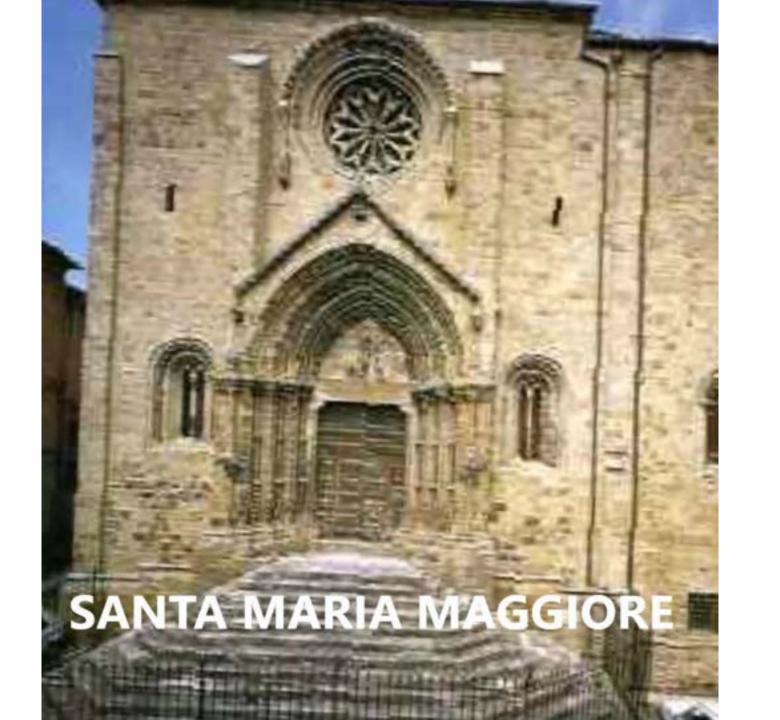
The event celebrated is called the MASTROGIURATO, who was the political and juditial official that administered the fair and the trade.











This church contains the first and greatest Eucharistic Miracle of the Catholic church.

This event took place in the 8th century A.D. as a divine response to a monk who doubted about Jesus real presence in the Eucharist.

During the holy mass, the host was changed into live flesh and the wine into live blood.

In the Middle Ages Lanciano was surrounded by walls and now it is possible to admire...









During World War II Lanciano was an active center of the Resistance against the German occupation.

On 6th October 1943 local citizens attacked German soldiers and died (revolt of the martyrs of October 1943).

In 1952 the town was awarded the Gold Medal to Military Valour by President Luigi Einaudi.

Our primary school, that is near where these Heroes were tortured and killed, is called "Eroi Ottobrini" in honor to them.

### ITALIAN SCHOOL STRUCTURE

#### nursery school

(scuola dell'infanzia) Age 3-5

#### primary school

(scuola primaria o elementare) Age 6-11

#### lower secondary school

(scuola secondaria di primo grado o media) Age 11-14

#### upper secondary school

(scuola secondaria di secondo grado o superiore) Age 14-19

#### university

(università)





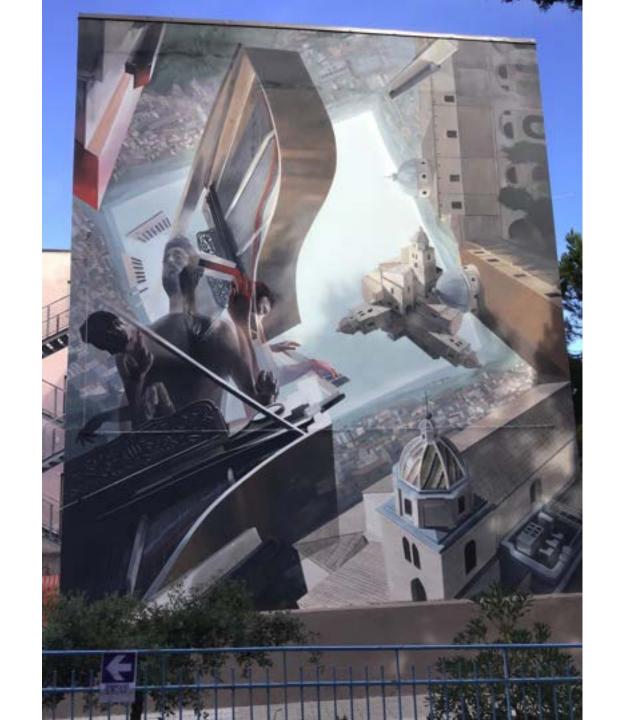












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