

Loop castle celle



Itinerary: Poggio alla Croce, Pian D'Albero, Celle, Badia Montescalari, Cappella dei Boschi, Fonte ai Trogoli, Poggio alla Croce.

Length: 13,4 Km

Height min: 401 m. **max:** 715 m.

Altitude gap: 715 m.

Difficulty: E Medium

Travel time: 5 hours



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Walk to Pian d'Albero, then take the path number 21 until the rough and steep junction where you have to go left and after about an hour, you arrive at the cemetery of Celle. Here, take path number 23, which leads to the steep ravine and then up a steep trail to the castle of Celle. After a level stretch, the trail descends to a small architectural jewel: a stone bridge of the Middle Ages, on the gully of Scandelaia.

Climb until the abbey of Montescalari without much difficulty (700 m.) This abbey dates back to the early decades of the eleventh century and had a lovely bell tower that was destroyed during the last world war. The abbey is no longer open today because it is a private property. A hundred meters ahead you can enjoy the beauty of an old oak tree.

Take path number 00 to return to Poggio alla Croce, which passes near Cappella dei Boschi e Fonte ai Trogoli, before the final descent.

To return to Poggio alla Croce take path CAI n. 00, passing next to the Cappella dei Boschi, to the Fonte ai Trogoli, before the final descent.