

Castelrotto – Tagusa – Tamines – Rio Brem – Castelrotto

Starting point	Kraus Square
Length of the walk	3,30 hours
To see	Church of Tagusa – The School Museum“
Recommended map	Tabacco Alpe di Siusi Altipiano dello Sciliar 1:25000
Difficulty	easy
Height difference	m. 136 uphill, m. 268 downhill
Signs	2 – 2A - 10

The starting point is Kraus Square – Castelrotto. Take the footpath marked No. 2 through the left archway to the Hotel Castelrotto, then keep on the right to the bottom of the valley and cross the little bridge over the **Rio Tisana**. Continue on the footpath marked No. 2 named **Katzenleiter** that climbs up to the woods and soon reaches a little lake named „**Radlmoser Lacke**“. Leaving the peak of the **Col di Palù** (1202 m) on your right, keep on walking level into the shady wood, famous for its mushrooms as well as its strawberries and blackberries that abound during the season, offering a natural refreshment to walkers. Near **Tagusa** (934 m) the path descends downhill quite steeply, until it suddenly comes to the village down below, which is surrounded by green fields and pastures and gathered round the church of Santa Maddalena (begun in the 14th century). The church contains a fine altar piece decorated with wooden statues of 1752, which frame the striking painting of Franz Unterberger (Christ showing himself to Mary Magdalene).

The magnificent panorama and absolute stillness of nature will give you many memorable moments in **Tagusa**. In the old school building it's possible to visit the **School Museum**.

The route continues east on the footpath marked No. 2A, along the forest road, level through the woods, to the „**Maso Tamines**“. Here you get a beautiful view of the **Seceda** and the **Odle** in the distance. Keep heading downhill, past the „**Maso Prentner**“ on the left, into the valley of the **Rio Brem**. Cross a little bridge over the stream and now continue uphill through the woods on a tarmacked road, past the dwellings „Schmied – Jogle – Mutz – Tschonmüller and Pinzger“ in order

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to reach the „Maso Schgagul“. Follow now the marking No. 10, that goes through the „Bremicher Platzl“ and past the „Masi Feger and Lafay“ and takes you back to Castelrotto.