

Ministero dell'Istruzione, dell'Università e della Ricerca - Ufficio Scolastico Regionale per la Sicilia

### Corso di formazione docenti all'insegnamento CLIL

Modulo C - Sperimentazione in classe del percorso CLIL

# The Age of Leonardo and Michelangelo



Lesson n.1 Leonardo da Vinci – drawing activity (first sketch, machines, architecture, anatomy, botanic, Vitruvian man)

Lesson n.2 Leonardo da Vinci - The Annunciation (linear and atmospheric perspective, scientific details, golden ratio)

**Lesson n.3** Leonardo da Vinci – The Virgin of the rocks (two versions, composition, perspective, sfumato)

Lesson n.4 Leonardo da Vinci - The last supper (the told event, the composition, the perspective, the painting technique)

Lesson n.5 Leonardo da Vinci - Mona Lisa (portrait, landscape, perspective, sfumato, golden ratio, reinterpretations)

**Lesson n.6** Michelangelo – sculpting philosophy (stone carving, Saint Peter Piety)

**Lesson n.7** Michelangelo - David and Tondo Doni (proportion, use of colours, the outline, the serpentine line)

**Lesson n.8** Michelangelo - The vault of Sistine Chapel (the told events, the composition, the serpentine line)

**Lesson n.9** Michelangelo – The Capitolium (the project, the giant order, the composition, the perspective)

**Lesson n.10** Michelangelo - Saint Peter Church (the central-plan, the apse, the dome)

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#### **GLOSSARY**

vault = ? dome = ? apse = ?

nave = ?

tambour = ?

lantern = ?

statuesque = ?

**bowl** = ?

engraving = ?

fresco = ?

façade = ?

plan = ?

heritage = ?

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#### TRANSLATE IN ENGLISH

volta = ?

basilica = ?

struttura = ?

cupola = ?

navata = ?

abside = ?

chiesa = ?

tamburo = ?

lanterna = ?

patrimonio = ?

superficie = ?

ovale = ?

facciata = ?

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#### **GLOSSARY**

vault = volta

dome = cupola

apse = abside

nave = navata

tambour = tamburo

lantern = lanterna

**statuesque** = scultoreo

**bowl** = calotta

engraving = incisione

fresco = affresco

**façade** = facciata

**plan** = pianta

**heritage** = patrimonio

#### TRANSLATE IN ENGLISH

volta = vault

basilica = basilica

struttura = structure

cupola = dome

navata = nave

abside = apse

chiesa = church

tamburo = tambour

lanterna = lantern

patrimonio = heritage

**superficie** = surface

ovale = oval

facciata = façade



In 1506 began the reconstruction on the new Saint Peter's in Rome. After some different projects by Bramante, Raffaello, Peruzzi and Antonio da Sangallo, the Pope Paul III called Michelangelo, exactly in 1546. He restarted by Bramante's design, a central-plan church inside a greek cross. Michelangelo drew a magnificent space with a sculp-

tural exterior perimeter and an enormous dome. However his project would have been partly changed by Carlo Maderno.

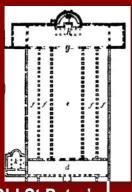




dome = cupola

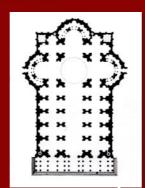


#### **TIMELINE - History of Saint Peter's Basilica**



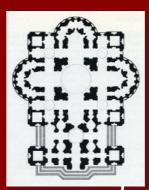
**Old St Peter's** 

Wanted by the emperor Constantine, had a typical basilica plan on a latin cross.



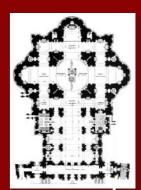
Raffaello

Pushed by the roman Church he drew a latin cross plan with three projecting apses.



Antonio da Sangallo His central-plan church is

extended with a short nave just to seem a latin cross.



Carlo Maderno

He made an extension of Michelangelo's design so that the dome was no more visible. 1607

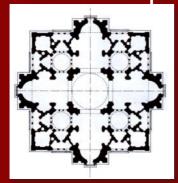
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1500

#### **Donato Bramante**

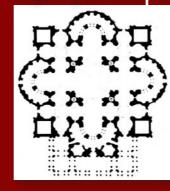
The new renaissance plan is designed on a greek cross with a central dome.





**Baldassarre Peruzzi** 

His plan is similar to Raffaello's one but the shape is again a greek cross.

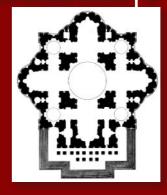


1516

#### Michelangelo

He restarted by Bramante's idea of a central-plan church with a more articulate structure.





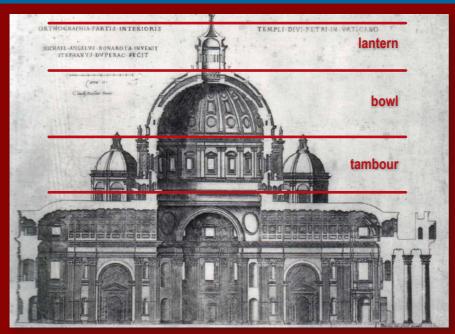
apse = abside

**nave** = navata

basilica = basilica

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Michelangelo's project for the dome (a perfect hemisphere)





Giacomo Della Porta's sketches: the dome is higher than an hemisphere

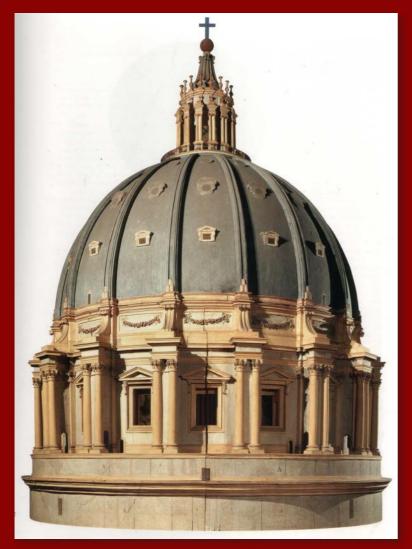
The **Cupola**, or "cupolone" (big dome), as it is commonly called by the people of Rome, is the **most significant part of the Basilica**, and it is the most characteristic sight in the city. Michelangelo supervised the work until the completion of the **tambour**.

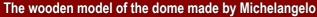
On his death, in 1564, Giacomo Della Porta took over the project (making the dome 11 m higher) and almost finished construction (including the lantern) in less than two years, completing it in 1590.

Like Santa Maria del Fiore's dome, this one has a **double bowl** but it's more statuesque thanks to the circle of **coupled columns**.

tambour = tamburo







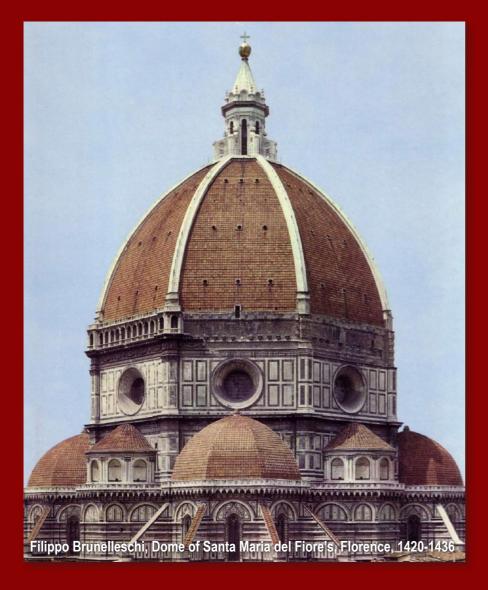




The dome has a inner diameter of 42,56 meters and was the model for others big domes all over the world.

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