

9D7N GREECE HERITAGE & ANCIENT WONDERS

DAY 1: KUALA LUMPUR - ATHENS

· Arrival Athens, transfer to Hotel

Welcome to Greece. Upon arriving at the airport, we will be waiting to transfer you to your hotel. Check the information boards in the hotel reception area for details of the welcome meeting with your guide and fellow travelers.

DAY 2: ATHENS

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- Athens City tour
- Panathinaikos stadium, Free time in afternoon
- Meet guide at vibrant PLAKA area then back to hotel

We will enjoy the city tour with a local guide which includes the Presidential Palace, the Panathinaikos stadium where the first modern Olympic games were held, the national library, the bustling squares of the center; the new neighborhoods that emerged after the 2004 Olympic games. The tour will finish at the **Acropolis site** (entry not included). In the evening we include a transfer to the PLAKA area, which is full of small Greek bars and where you will be able to enjoy the rich folklore of this country.

DAY 3 : ATHENS - KAMENA VOURLA - KALABAKA

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- Visit Kamena Vourla
- Tour to Kastraki, METEORA valley World Heritage Site by UNESCO
- Dinner included

We depart early in the morning towards the North of Greece. We will make a stop in KAMENA VOURLA, a beautiful touristic hub next to the sea surrounded by beautiful landscapes. We will then proceed to the north. We will make a short stop in the gorge where the Battle of Thermopylae took place. We will visit KASTRAKI, a picturesque village with beautiful views of the whole valley and where we will have free time for lunch before visiting the METEORA valley, a breathtaking place which has been declared World Heritage Site by UNESCO. We include admission to one of the most famous monasteries. Dinner is included in KALAMBAKA.

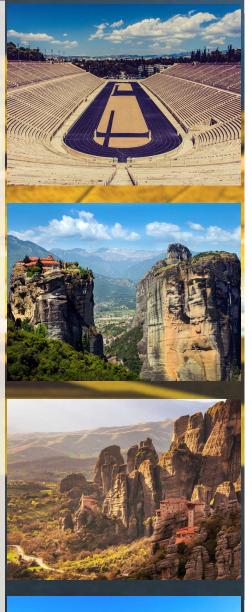
DAY 4: KALABAKA - DELPHI - ATHENS

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- Discover Delphi & archaeological complex
- Visits to the Osios Loukas Monastery, one of the most beautiful Byzantine monasteries in Europe

We will travel south through the Thessaly region. We will arrive in DELPHI after enjoying the view of wonderful landscapes. We include admission to the beautiful archaeological complex that overlooks the Gulf of Corinth with incredible landscapes, time for lunch. After that we travel to the OSIOS LOUKAS MONASTERY, one of the most beautiful Byzantine monasteries in Greece, UNESCO World Heritage Site. Its magnificent 11th century mosaics are incredible.

We continue towards ATHENS. Arrival in the evening.





DAY 5: ATHENS - AEGINA - POROS - EPIDAURUS - NAFPLIO

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- Early morning departure to Aegina, a historic island with a picturesque harbor, ancient temples, and quaint neighborhoods.
- Explore Poros, known for its charming atmosphere and clock tower, then journey to Galatas before visiting Epidaurus to see its ancient theater, concluding with free time in Nafplio, a scenic coastal city dominated by a Venetian fortress.

Our journey is very special today. Greece has almost 6.000 islands, of which more than 100 are inhabited. Several ships connect the islands with the continent. We will depart from the hotel early in the morning to get the ferry that will take us to AEGYNA. The way takes a bit less than an hour. This island has been inhabited for more than 4.000 years. You will be able to walk around the picturesque harbor, the typical quarters of little houses and old churches, or go to the Greek temple of Apollo. We then will come back to take the ferry again and, after a 1:15 h journey, we will get to POROS island. You will have free time in this charming place, full of tourist life; its old houses climb up to the clock tower. Free time for walking around and lunch. After lunch, we will make a 15-minutes journey to Galatas, a small harbor in the Peloponnese. We then continue by road, across beautiful landscapes of hills, to EPIDAURUS. The admission is included, and there will be free time to visit its old theater which was built 2.400 years ago and has been excellently preserved. It still holds performances nowadays and has capacity for 14.000 people. We then continue to NAUPLIA, which is a charming coastal city dominated by the citadel and the Venetian fortress. Free time to walk around Note: Ferry schedules are subject to change, and during low season, Aegina may be substituted with Hydra Island.

DAY 6: NAFPLIO - TRIPOLI - OLYMPIA - PATRAS

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 Explore Tripoli, Arcadia's vibrant capital, then visit ancient Olympia for a guided tour of its historic sites. Conclude in Patras, Greece's bustling port city, home to historic landmarks and religious sites.

We will travel across the mountains of the Peloponnese hinterland to TRIPOLI. Stop in the lively capital of the Arcadia region. There will be free time to walk around the Areos Square, with its cafes and restaurants. We will resume our way to OLYMPIA, where we will visit the archeologic site (admission and visit with a local guide included). This is the place where the first Olympic Games were held in the year 776 BC. Athletes from all over Greece and its colonies participated. The Temple of Zeus, the stadium, the gymnasium, and the arena are outstanding landmarks. We then continue to PATRAS, the third city of Greece in terms of population. It is a port city with an active life, a medieval fortress which overlooks the city, and the biggest cathedral in Greece. Both the cathedral and the small Saint Andrew's church are pilgrimage destinations. Dinner included.

DAY 7: PATRAS - NAFPAKTOS - MYCENAE - CORINTH - ATHENS

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 Cross the Rio-Antirrio bridge to Nafpaktos, known for its Venetian fortress and historic significance. Continue along the Gulf of Corinth to visit Mycenae's ancient citadel and Acrocorinth fortress, with a brief stop at the Corinth Canal before reaching Athens in the evening.

After breakfast, we will cross over the Rio-Antirrio bridge, a spectacular cable-stayed bridge which connects the Peloponnese with the Greek continent. NAFPAKTOS, in the Gulf of Corinth. Its Venetian fortress dominates the city and reminds us that we are in Lepanto, the city which saw the fight between the Christian and Turkish fleets, the battle in which Cervantes lost his arm. Free time for a walk around its picturesque harbor and its beautiful old town. We then continue our way along the Gulf of Corinth to MYCENAE, a colossal citadel from the 18th century BC, cradle of the European civilization (admission included). Free time for lunch and walking around the place. Afterwards, free time in the huge fortress of ACROCORINTH, entrance ticket included. The foundations of an old temple of Aphrodite rest on the highest part of the settlement. We then resume our way and make a short stop in the Corinth Canal. After that, we arrive at ATHENS. Arrival expected in the evening.

DAY 8: ATHENS - KUALA LUMPUR

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After breakfast, check-out hotel standard policy, free till transfer to airport

DAY 9: ARRIVAL KLIA

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Departure Dates

Guarantee

2024

Apr - 14, 21, 28 May -05, 12, 19, 26

Jun - 02, 09, 16, 23, 30

Jul - 07, 14, 21, 28

Aug - 04, 11, 18, 25

Sep - 01, 08, 15, 22, 29

Oct - 06, 13, 20, 27

Nov - 03, 17

Dec - 01, 15, 22

2025

Jan - 05, 12, 26 Feb- 02, 09, 23 Mar - 02, 09, 16, 23, 30



Proposed Flight Details

Qatar/MAS/Emirates/Turkish/Etihad (subject to seats availability)



MEALS INCLUDED

- 07 Breakfast
- 03 Dinners



ACCOMMODATION (LOCAL 3-4 STAR)

ATHENS - Novotel Athesn/PRESIDENT or similar KOSTA FAMISSI - IBIS STYLES SARAJEVO or similar

NAUPLIA - AMALIA or similar

PATRAS - MOXY PATRAS MARINA or similar

NOTE:

- 1) Sequence of the itinerary subject to change, tour guide will explain each day final itinerary arrangement during the tour
- 2) This is a local European group (not a group from Malaysia)
- 3) Local guide during tour (No tour leader from KL)
- 4) Return economy class flight included from KL
- 5) Hotels mostly local 3* final hotel name(s) to be provided 2days before check in
- 6) This is a standard category package (not a luxury or deluxe type)
- 7) Guarantee departures
- 8) Tour content subject to change, Final itinerary will be provided 5-7days before departure



- · Travel by bus with a local guide
- Includes return airport transfer
- City tour : ATHENS
- Evening transfer: Plaka neighborhood in Athens
- Ticket admission: Monastery at Meteoras, Archaeological Ensemble of Delphi; Monastery of Osios Loukas, Greek Theatre of Epidaurus, archaeological site of Olympia with guided tour, archaeological site of Mycenae, Acrocorinth Fortress
- Ferry: Galatas/ Poros/ Aegina/ Athens
- 3 dinner included : Kalabaka, Nafplio, PATRAS



- Travel Insurance RM155/pax
- Covid-test (If required)
- Entrance fees not mentioned in itinerary
- Personal Expenses
- Tipping Kindly pay directly to the Local Guide (Pay at own discretion)

Package price Including flight from KL

*Please contact us for actual price as it is subject to airline seats availability & seasonality



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