
ALL CRETE roundtrip

- Stay at 5 different places
- Comfortable 3*** hotels
- Relaxed tour
- Professional tour guide

Duration: 11 days / 10 nights

Tour dates: All year round!

Theme: Cultural Roundtrip

Price: €.....(on request).- p.p.BB (price valid for a min. of 25 persons)

Day 1: Arrival in Chania.

In the evening you meet at the hotel for a welcoming drink and an informative briefing of your schedule. Overnight stay in Chania.

Day 2: Chania-Monastery of Agia Triada (approx 50km)

Arrival in Chania early in the morning. Your guide meets you at the hotel for a half-day excursion to the Akrotiri peninsula and a visit to the monastery of Agia Triada. On the way back you tour the picturesque city of Chania. Overnight stay in Chania.

Day 3: Samaria-Gorge

Early in the morning you begin your journey through the White Mountains to Omalos Plateau (1100m high). Walking through the famous Samaria Gorge (17km-the longest gorge in Europe) is an unforgettable experience. After approx. 5 hours you reach the exit of the gorge, the beach of Agia Roumeli where we stop for a swim. Then by boat to the village of Sfakia where your coach will be waiting to take you to Rethymnon. Overnight stay in Rethymnon.

Day 4: Rethymnon-Monastery of Arkadi (approx.110km)

You begin the day with a tour of the beautiful city of Rethymnon, paying a visit to the Venetian castle, the Rimondi fountains and the old town. Your journey continues to the national sanctuary of the Cretans, the Monastery of Arkadi. In the evening your coach brings you to Heraklion where you will be staying 4 nights. Overnight stay in Rethymnon.

Day 5: Islands of Santorini

This day is free for you to relax in your hotel or to go shopping. We suggest a day-trip to the islands of Santorini, the fairy-tale volcano island with the little white houses, the dome chapels and the amazing lava-landscape will leave you speechless. Overnight stay in Rethymnon.

Day 6: South-Crete, Festos, Gortys, Matala (approx 150km)

Your journey takes you through the endless vineyards to the Greek-Roman capital of Crete, Gortys. Visit to the Odeon where you can see the oldest European law code. Moving on to Festos to visit the second largest Minoan palace. From there to Matala, right on the south coast, for lunch and a swim. Overnight stay in Heraklion

Day 7: Lassithi-Plateau-Monastery of Kera (approx 140km)

Venturing through the Lassithi Plateau (800km high) is always a wonderful experience. A small walk brings you to the birthplace of the greatest ancient Greek god, Zeus. On the way back you visit the Nunnery of Panagia in Kera. Overnight stay in Aghios Nikolaos.

Day 8: Ierapetra-Sitia (ca 170km)

Departure early in the morning towards the East to the Byzantine church of Panagia Kera near the village of Kritsa with the famous icon-frescoes. From there your journey takes you through the beautiful port-town of Agios Nikolaos to Ierapetra (the southernmost town of Europe. In the afternoon arrival in Sitia with a 2 night stay. Overnight stay in Sitia.

Day 9: Vai-Toplou-Zakros (approx 80)

This excursion takes you to Kato Zakros to visit the latest excavation site with findings from the Minoan Era. From there to the palm-tree beach of Vai where you stop for a swim. On the way back to Sitia you visit the 15th century Monastery of Toplou. Overnight stay in Sitia

Day 10: Agios Nikolaos-Elounda (approx 150)

Departure from Sitia, along the north coast to Elounda and the island of Spinalonga with the Venetian fort (short boat-trip). In the afternoon you continue to Chania. Overnight stay in Chania

Day 11: Departure. We transfer you to Chania airport to catch your flight home.

Not included:

- + Lunches
- + Beverages
- + Optional tour to Spinalonga
- + Tips
- + Supplement single room BB €,-
- + Supplement high season €,- per person BB (01.07. - 15.09)

Minimum participants: 25 Persons

