

Itinerary

14 Day Greece, Italy, Croatia Cruise & Tour W/Flights

*IMPORTANT NOTE: Any extra nights, optional tours or other amendments, will not be visible on this itinerary.

DAY 1: Depart Australia

Today you will depart Australia for your European summer cruise and tour package. This will be an overnight flight with a transit stop along the way.

MEALS: In-Flight

OVERNIGHT: In-Flight

DAY 2: Arrive Athens, Greece

Arrival at the Athens airport, welcome assistance and transfer to your hotel in Athens.

MEALS: In-Flight

OVERNIGHT: Polis Grand, Athens

DAY 3: Athens City Tour

A morning panoramic tour will take you around to the most important monuments and landmarks of the city including: Panathinaikon stadium, Zappeion, Temple of Olympian Zeus, Hadrian's Arch, Syntagma square, Parliament, tomb of the unknown soldier, Schliemann's house, Academy, University, National Library, and old Parliament. You will then visit the Acropolis, including the Propylaea, the temple of Athena Nike, the Parthenon, and the Erechtheion; and the Acropolis Museum where findings from the area, like the Caryatides, have found their home. Afternoon at leisure to explore Plaka, and the historical center at your own pace.

MEALS: Breakfast

OVERNIGHT: Polis Grand, Athens

DAY 4: Athens ~ Delphi ~ Kalambaka

Today, you will depart for a 2-Day tour, heading to Delphi. Built on the slopes of mount Parnassos overlooking the vast olive groves and the Corinthian gulf, Delphi used to be the most sacred spot in the world and a pilgrimage center for many centuries in antiquity. You will admire the Sanctuary of Apollo, walk the Sacred way, see the temple of Apollo, home of Pythia (the oracle), before continuing your drive to Kalambaka for overnight.

MEALS: Breakfast, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Amalia Hotel, Kalambaka

DAY 5: Kalambaka ~ Meteora ~ Athens

This morning, you will be visiting Meteora, one of the most beautiful areas of mainland Greece and part of UNESCO's list of world heritage monuments. Amazing rock formations, like towers of sandstone, stand ageless, and have provided sacred retreat for monks over the centuries. A number of monasteries are hidden on top of Meteora and the view over the plain is breathtaking. Return drive to Athens in the afternoon, stopping on the way at Thermopylae, to see the statue of Leonidas, commemorating the battle of the 300, against the Persians.

MEALS: Breakfast

OVERNIGHT: Polis Grand, Athens

DAY 6: Transfer to Port ~ Embark Cruise

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel before checking out. You will be then met by your driver and transferred to the Port of Piraeus — the gateway to your unforgettable 7-night cruise. Located just 8km from the heart of Athens, Piraeus is one of the Mediterranean's busiest and most historic ports. After checking in and boarding your ship, take some time to settle into your cabin. Once you're feeling at home, head to the top deck to watch your first Aegean sunset at sea — a magical way to start your adventure. Explore the ship, familiarise yourself with the dining and entertainment options, and get ready for the journey of a lifetime.

DEPART: 17:00

MEALS: Breakfast, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Journey

DAY 7: Kefalonia, Greece

Fir-covered mountains dotted with quaint villages meet a sparkling turquoise coastline on Kefalonia, the largest of the Ionian Islands. Discover the island's natural wonders, such as the breathtaking Melissani Cave, where sunlight dances on the crystal-clear underground lake. Or take it slow and soak up the charm of a traditional fishing village — watching yachts bob in the harbour as you sip a cool drink and enjoy the serene atmosphere. Kefalonia is a peaceful retreat were nature and culture blend beautifully.

ARRIVE: 09:00 | **DEPART:** 16:00 (Docked)

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Journey

DAY 8: Dubrovnik, Croatia

As we sail into Dubrovnik, the sight of the city's majestic stone walls rising above the sea is truly unforgettable. Step ashore and walk along these ancient ramparts for a spectacular view of the red-roofed Old Town, baroque buildings, and the shimmering Adriatic beyond. Then wander the maze of limestone streets, where hidden courtyards, bustling cafés, and lively restaurants invite you to pause and soak in the

charm of this UNESCO World Heritage gem.

ARRIVE: 12:00 | DEPART: 02:30 (next morning) (Docked)

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Journey

DAY 9: Kotor, Montenegro

Red rooftops, sapphire waters, and dramatic mountain peaks set the scene as we arrive in Kotor — a hidden gem on the Adriatic. Nestled within a stunning fjord-like bay, the medieval Old Town is a labyrinth of narrow streets, Venetian palaces, ancient churches, and lively squares filled with cafés and bars. Whether you choose to wander the charming laneways or climb the fortress for panoramic views, Kotor offers a captivating blend of history, culture, and natural beauty.

ARRIVE: 08:00 | **DEPART:** 17:00 (Tendered*)

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Journey

*Tendering subject to weather conditions.

DAY 10: Bari, Italy

Step into the enchanting port town of Bari, tucked away in Italy's sun-drenched Puglia region. Stroll through the atmospheric Old Town where centuries-old buildings, Romanesque churches, and winding alleyways tell stories of the past. Discover lively local markets filled with fresh produce and the mouthwatering aroma of focaccia hot from the oven. With its vibrant energy and laid-back southern charm, Bari offers a deliciously authentic taste of Italian coastal life.

ARRIVE: 08:00 | **DEPART:** 17:00 (Docked)

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Journey

DAY 11: Corfu, Greece

Arriving in the quaint fishing village of Katakolon, you might not suspect the treasure it protects just inland. A short journey away lies ancient Olympia — the revered birthplace of the Olympic Games. Walk among the ruins of temples and stadiums that echo with history or admire priceless artefacts in the archaeological museum. If you're after a slower pace, relax on Katakolon's stunning coastline, where golden sands meet crystal-clear waters.

ARRIVE: 08:00 | **DEPART:** 17:00 (Tendered)

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Journey

DAY 12: Katakolon, Greece

As you step ashore in the quiet fishing village of Katakolon, you'll discover the gateway to ancient Olympia — birthplace of the Olympic Games. Walk among historic ruins where athletes once competed, or unwind with a beach day on the Ionian Sea. This day is a blend of ancient glory and seaside bliss.

ARRIVE: 08:00 | **DEPART:** 14:00 (Tendered)

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Celestyal Journey

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS

- Olympia & Archaeological Museum (HD)
- Olympia & Olive Oil Tasting (HD)
- Olympia & Wine Tasting (HD)
- Olympia Hiking (HD)

DAY 13: Disembark Cruise ~ Depart Athens

After breakfast, you'll disembark in Piraeus and make your own way to the airport for your return flight home. If you'd like to extend your adventure, MyHoliday2 also offers flexible packages where can extend your flight with our 'Flight Extension' or book our 'Land Only' package to remove the flights and book your own!

ARRIVE: 08:00

MEALS: Breakfast, In Flight

OVERNIGHT: In Flight

DAY 14: Arrive Australia

Today you arrive home, marking the end of your incredible journey. Depending on flight schedules, arrival may be on Day 15.

MEALS: In Flight