

## Greece and Turkey Cruise Program

DAY	PLACE	PROGRAM
	Athens	Embarkation between 14:00 and 15:00. Welcome Cocktail. Sailing to Cape Sounion.
1	Cape Sounion	Late in the afternoon, we reach Cape Souniun for a welcome dinner at anchor under the Temple of Poseidon. Late in the evening sailing to Ios, Santorini. Overnight at sea.
2	Ios - Santorini	In the morning, we stop for a refreshing swim at Manganari Beach in Ios, one of the most beautiful beaches in Greece. After midday, we reach Santorini, formed by the half-submerged crescent of a volcanic caldera. You will go ashore and take a cable car to the town of Fira, a stunning cluster of white buildings atop a cliff. Afternoon optional tour to Akrotiri, a city buried in the eruption that created the caldera in 1.600 B.C. and to Fira. The tour will end in Oia famous for its sunsets. Overnight at sea to Rhodes.
3	Rhodes - Simi	Morning arrival to Rhodes. The island's medieval Old Town is one of the best preserved medieval settlements in the world and has been declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Morning optional excursion and early afternoon sailing to nearby Simi Island, with a swim stop on the way. Late afternoon arrival to Simi, evening free time. Overnight in port.
	Bodrum	Morning arrival in Bodrum. Optional excursion to Halicarnassus, famous for the Mausoleum of Halicarnassus, also known simply as the Tomb of Mausolus, whose name provided the origin of the word "mausoleum".
4	Kos	Early afternoon sailing to Kos, that is lying on the edge of the Dodecanese. Afternoon free time to explore the island's Tall palm trees, endless sandy beaches, alternating landscapes and numerous archaeological sites and attractions left by ancient Greeks, Romans, medieval knights, Venetians and Ottomans. Overnight at port.
	Kos	Early morning sailing from Kos to Lipsi Islands.
5	Lipsi Islands	Swim stop and deck BBQ while sailing to Patmos.
	Patmos	Early afternoon in Patmos. Optional afternoon excursion includes two UNESCO World Heritage Sites, the Grotto and Monastery of St. John and the historic centre of the medieval town of Chora. Evening free time to discover Scala, the capital, or beach time. Overnight in Patmos.
6	Delos	This morning we anchor near Delos Island, once the spiritual and commercial centre of the Aegean and mythical birthplace of Apollo and Artemis. Our walking excursion will allow you to admire well preserved Hellenistic houses with beautiful mosaics, the Sanctuary and the ruins of a temple dedicated to Apollo. After our excursion, we return to the ship and enjoy a refreshing swim before a deck BBQ. In the afternoon we sail to nearby Mykonos.
	Mykonos	Arrival to Mykonos. Explore the town, its charming narrow streets and enjoy Mykonos famous night life. Overnight in Mykonos.
7	Syros	After breakfast, we sail towards Syros. Morning swim followed by a BBQ on deck. Early afternoon arrival at Syros, the capital of the Cycladic Islands. Discover Ermoupoli, port and capital of Syros, famous by its grandiose Town Hall, one of the 19 <sup>th</sup> century masterpieces of Ernst Ziller, the famous Saxon architect who became a Greek national. Optional afternoon walking tour. Captain's Dinner on board and overnight at sea to Athens.
8	Athens	Arrival to Athens Marina Zeas port and disembarkation after breakfast between 8:00 and 9:00 am.