

## Athens with Classical tour - 7 Days – 6 Nights

Day	Destination
1 Night	Athens
1 Night	Olympia
1 Night	Delphi
1 Night	Kalambaka
2 Night	Athens

### Day 1: Day 1 – Arrival

Meet and assist at Athens International Airport and transfer to your hotel. Rest of the day is yours to spend to explore this fascinating city. Athens. A magical city. The city with the most glorious history in the world is worshipped by gods and people. The enchanting capital of Greece has always been the birthplace of civilization. It is the city where democracy and most of the wise men of ancient times were born. The most important civilization of the ancient world flourished in Athens and relives through superb architectural masterpieces.

Overnight stay at the hotel.

### Day 2: Day 2 - 4 DAYS CLASSICAL TOUR (Operates on Mondays, Tuesdays, Saturdays)

Explore the glory of ancient Greece and delve into its rich history with this four-day adventure tour from Athens. Visit five UNESCO'S world heritage sites including the impressive Meteora, the mythical site of Ancient Olympia and Delphi archaeological site also known as the 'the navel of the world'.

Leave by the coastal road to the Corinth Canal (short stop). Drive on and visit the Theatre of Epidauros, famous for its remarkable acoustics. Then proceed to the town of Nauplion (short photo stop), drive on to Mycenae and visit the Archaeological Site and the Tomb of Agamemnon. Then depart for Olympia through Central Peloponnese and the towns of Tripolis and Megalopolis.,

Overnight stay at the hotel.

### Day 3: Day 3: Exploring Ancient Olympia and Scenic Drive to Delphi

In the morning visit the Archaeological Site with the Sanctuary of Olympian Zeus, the Ancient

Stadium and the Archaeological Museum. Then drive on through the plains of Eliad and Achaia until the magnificent bridge which is crossing the Corinthian Bay from Rion to Antirion. Pass by the picturesque towns of Nafpaktos (Lepanto) and Itea, arrive in Delphi.

Overnight stay at the hotel.

#### **Day 4: Day 4: Visit to Delphi & Journey to Kalambaka**

In the morning visit the Archaeological Site and the Museum. Depart for Kalambaka, a small town stated at the foot of the astonishing complex of Meteora, gigantic rocks.

Overnight stay at the hotel.

#### **Day 5: Day 5: Meteora Monasteries Visit & Return to Athens**

Visit Meteora, among striking scenery, perched on top of huge rocks which seem to be suspended in mid-air, stand ageless Monasteries, where you can see exquisite specimens of Byzantine art. Return to Athens via Trikala, Lamia, Thermopylae (short stop to see across the road the Leonida's Monument). Arrive in Athens early in the evening.

Overnight stay at the hotel.

#### **Day 6: Day 6 - ATHENS CITY TOUR WITH ACROPOLIS MUSEUM**

This tour gives you an opportunity to observe the striking contrasts that make Athens such a fascinating city.

Our expert guides will take you to see the Panathenaic Stadium where the first Olympic Games of modern times were held in 1896 (short stop).

Continue and pass by the Prime Minister's residence (ex Royal Palace) guarded by the Euzones in their colorful uniform, the Temple of Olympian Zeus, the Hadrian's Arch, the Parliament and the memorial to the Unknown Soldier, the Academy, the University, the National Library, the Constitution Square (Syntagma).

On the Acropolis visit the Architectural Masterpieces of the Golden Age of Athens: The Propylaea, the Temple of Athena Nike, the Erechtheion and finally "the harmony between material and spirit", the monument that "puts order in the mind", the Parthenon.

Continue and visit the place where at last the statues found their home and admire the wonders of the classical era: The new Acropolis museum.

Overnight Stay at Hotel.

#### **Day 7: Day 7 - DEPARTURE**

Today you will be transferred to Athens Airport for your departure flight.

## Highlights

This 7-day tour of Greece is a captivating journey through ancient history, iconic landmarks, and breathtaking landscapes. Begin in Athens, the cradle of Western civilization, and explore its timeless charm and majestic ruins. Embark on a 4-day classical adventure to discover five UNESCO World Heritage Sites, including the acoustically brilliant Theatre of Epidaurus, the mythical ruins of Mycenae, the birthplace of the Olympic Games in Olympia, the sacred sanctuary of Delphi, and the awe-inspiring Meteora monasteries perched atop towering rock formations. Back in Athens, dive deeper into the city's rich heritage with a comprehensive city tour featuring the Acropolis, the Parthenon, and the world-class Acropolis Museum. This tour is a perfect blend of mythology, culture, and architectural wonder.

## Price

Prices From INR 78,795\* per person

## Tour Includes

- 3 nights' accommodation in Athens hotel on BB basis. The package rates are based on STANDARD ROOM
- Half-day City tour of Athens with new Acropolis Museum (SIC), with English speaking guide + entrance fees and the transportation from/to hotel or from tour terminal depending on the location of the hotel.
- 4 Days/3 nights Classical tour in First class hotels in HB basis (SIC)
- Private round trip transfers in Athens from airport-hotel-port-with private air conditioned taxi
- Local 24 Hour Assistance upon arrival in Athens

## Tour Excludes

- GST 5%
- Tax Collected At Source (TCS) at 5% or 20% as applicable (Can be claimed on filing the Income Tax Returns)
- Any Increase in Airfare, Visa Fees, Airport Taxes, Govt. Taxes, Fuel Surcharges And Any Applicability Of New Taxes From Govt.
- Airfare / Visa / Insurance

- Any increase in the Rate Of Exchange leading to an increase in the overall cost.
- Any Extra Expense Such As Route Change, Airline Change, Date Change, Accommodation Facilities, Etc Incurred Due To The Unforeseen, Unavoidable Forced Majeure Circumstances During The Tour.
- Porterage, Laundry, Telephone Charges, Shopping, Wines & Alcoholic Beverages, Items Of Personal Nature And Food Or Drink.
- Any Extra Cost Incurred On Behalf Of An Individual Due To Illness, Accident, Hospitalization, Or Any Personal Emergency
- Any Services Or Activity Charges Other Than Those Included In The Group Tour Itinerary
- Anything Specifically Not Mentioned In The 'Tour Price Includes' Column
- The conversion rate on the date of actual payment will be based on the rate of the Euro /USD on Xe.Com + INR 1.50
- Airfare To Be Calculated At The Time Of Booking As Per Actual.
- City Tax, if any
- Entrance & Guide charges other than those mentioned in inclusions

**REMARK:**

- Bank charges through payment by Telegraphic transfer will be strictly born by payer.
- Credit card: Master Card/Visa is accepted with a 3.0% merchant fee respectively
- Standard time: check in: 14:00PM – Check out: 12:00PM