

MEDITERRANEAN'S ICONIC SHORES

BARCELONA - ISTANBUL or vice versa

29 DAYS | 23 GUIDED TOURS | 8 COUNTRIES

WITNESS WONDERS FROM EAST TO WEST. Explore coastal gems and take in magnificent sights on this epic voyage that combines *Iconic Western Mediterranean, Italian Sojourn, Venice, the Adriatic & Greece and Ancient Mediterranean Treasures.* Embark your ship in vibrant Barcelona, then visit bustling ports and humble hamlets as you trace majestic Mediterranean shores en route to ancient Istanbul. Overnight stays in Barcelona, Florence, Venice, Athens and Istanbul allow for rich cultural immersion.



DAY 1-2	BARCELONA, SPAIN Stroll through the Gothic Quarter and discover the works of architect Antoni Gaudí.
DAY 3	MONTPELLIER (Sète), FRANCE Explore Montpellier today, a centre of learning for centuries.
DAY 4	MARSEILLE, FRANCE Marvel at the church of Notre Dame de la Garde and Palais Longchamp.
DAY 5	MONTE CARLO, MONACO See the Prince's Palace, St. Nicholas Cathedral and the Casino de Monte-Carlo.
DAY 6-7	FLORENCE/PISA, ITALY Immerse yourself in the beauty of Tuscany with an included, well-rounded tour of Pisa.
DAY 8	ROME, ITALY Marvel at the Colosseum, the Roman Forum, Vatican City, the Trevi Fountain and the Pantheon.
DAY 9	NAPLES, ITALY Take in magnificent examples of Greek and Roman architecture or explore Herculaneum.
DAY 10	SICILY, ITALY Enjoy a tour of the Sicilian city of Messina.
DAY 11	CROTONE, ITALY Marvel at Crotone's impressive cathedral and castle, then browse the Pythagoras Museum and Gardens.
DAY 12	BARI, ITALY Visit the Norman-Swabian castle, the Romanesque Basilica of St. Nicholas and the Petruzzelli Theatre.
DAY 13	SIBENIK, CROATIA Explore this UNESCO World Heritage site and its remarkably preserved Old Town.
DAY 14-16	VENICE, ITALY Enjoy a panoramic boat ride toward St. Mark's Square and tour the interior of St. Mark's Basilica.

DAY 17	SPLIT, CROATIA Visit the historic Diocletian Palace and the Ethnographic Museum.
DAY 18	DUBROVNIK, CROATIA See all the highlights of this beautiful 12th-century walled city.
DAY 19	KOTOR, MONTENEGRO Explore the medieval streets of this historic Montenegrin town with a walking tour.
DAY 20	CORFU, GREECE Enjoy a guided tour of this romantic island and its Old Town, a UNESCO site.
DAY 21	KATAKOLON, GREECE Venture into the fertile valleys of the western Peloponnese to the legendary city of Olympia.
DAY 22-23	ATHENS, GREECE Explore the "birthplace of democracy" and its iconic sites.
DAY 24	HERAKLION, GREECE Call on fabled Crete today, home to the Minoans; Europe's oldest recorded civilisation.
DAY 25	RHODES, GREECE Tour the Palace of the Grand Masters, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
DAY 26	EPHESUS (KUSADASI), TURKEY See the Great Theatre, the Library of Celsus and the remains of the Byzantine Basilica of St. John.
DAY 27	TROY (CANAKKALE), TURKEY The remarkably preserved structures of this UNESCO World Heritage site provide a glimpse of the region's former glory.
DAY 28-29	ISTANBUL, TURKEY Visit a wealth of religious sites, such as the spectacular Blue Mosque and the legendary Hagia Sophia.

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2021-2022 DEPARTURE DATES

2021 4 APR; 2*, 30 MAY; 27* JUN; 25 JUL; 22* AUG; 19 SEP

2022 9 APR; 7* MAY; 4 JUN; 2*, 30 JUL; 27* AUG

*Cruise operates in reverse direction

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- Wine, beer and soft drinks with lunch and dinner on board
- Coffee and tea any time on board
- 24-hour room service
- Access to top-rated spa
- Free Wi-Fi
- All restaurant reservation fees
- Self-service laundry
- All port charges and government taxes
- All onboard tipping and gratuities



EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY BEFORE OR AFTER YOUR CRUISE

All stays include hotel nights, some meals and transfers. See pages 128-130 for more information.

2 NIGHTS BARCELONA

From \$799 per person

2 NIGHTS MADRID

From \$949 per person

2 NIGHTS ISTANBUL

From \$699 per person

3 NIGHTS CAPPADOCIA

From \$1,099 per person

All prices shown above are in Australian dollars, per person, based on double occupancy and are subject to availability. Prices are correct as the time of printing and based on 27 June 2021 departure. Port sequence, places visited, tours and times may vary or be different from those published. Cruise single supplements: 100-105%. Please see pages 228-229 for full terms and conditions. For more information visit vikingscruises.com.au/cruises