



ITALY

## MALTA & GOZO TOUR (TOUR CODE: 14404)

STARTS AND ENDS	TRAVEL PERIODS	EXPERIENCE	TRAVEL STYLE
in Malta	26 Feb 25 - 04 Nov 25	Escorted City Stays	Escorted Group Tour

Discover the enchanting island of Malta on this carefully curated journey, blending rich history, stunning landscapes, and vibrant culture. Enjoy guided tours, leisurely free days, and unforgettable experiences, all set against Malta's Mediterranean charm.

### Highlights

- **Guaranteed Departures**
- Explore the historic capital of Malta with a guided tour, including the **stunning Upper Barracca Gardens, St John's Co-Cathedral, and the Malta 5D show experience.**
- Enjoy a full-day tour to Gozo, visiting the **Ggantija Temples, medieval Victoria, the scenic Xlendi Bay, and the tranquil Dwejra Inland Sea.**
- Step back in time as you explore the fortified **city of Mdina, with its quiet streets, historical architecture, and panoramic views from the Dingli Cliffs.**
- Wander through the charming streets of **Vittoriosa, Cospicua, and Senglea**, with a scenic harbour boat tour offering **breathtaking views of the Grand Harbour.**
- Spend **leisurely days at your beautiful hotel, Maritim Antonine Hotel & Spa**, offering the perfect opportunity to unwind and **enjoy the Mediterranean atmosphere.**

Unpack Once, Explore More. Enjoy the best of both relaxation and exploration with this escorted group tour, where you'll stay in one hotel for the entire duration and take daily excursions to uncover the region's highlights. Skip the hassle of constant travel and immerse yourself in local culture and landscapes on guided day trips, returning each evening to the comfort of your "home away from home." Perfect for travellers who value a balance between adventure and relaxation, this tour combines the ease of settling in with the thrill of discovering new places every day.



- ✓ ENTIRE Cooling-Off Period
- ✓ ENTIRE Change of Mind
- ✓ ENTIRE On Ground Support
- ✓ ENTIRE AUD Prices
- ✓ ENTIRE Industry Accredited
- ✓ ENTIRE Australian Owned

## INCLUSIONS

- 7 nights in Mellieha at Maritim Antonine Hotel & Spa - 4\* or similar
- Daily Buffet Breakfast
- Guided City Tour to Malta with St John's Co-Cathedral and the Malta 5D Show
- Guided City Tour to Mdina (lunch included)
- Guided Excursion to Vittoriosa, Cospicua and Senglea (including a boat tour of the colourful harbour creeks)
- Guided Excursion of Gozo Island (lunch included)
- Professional English-speaking Tour Director for the entire duration of the tour

## ITINERARY

Day

1

### Malta

Arrival on your own at hotel.

After check in, the rest of the day is at leisure. Breakfast is included on each day of your holiday

Overnight stay in Mellieha at **Maritim Antonine Hotel & Spa Malta** or similar.

Day

2

### Malta Valletta Malta

We set off with our expert local guide to discover some of the highlights of Malta's vibrant capital city, Valletta. Our half day guided tour begins at the Upper Barracca Gardens, where we experience our first breath-taking view of the Grand Harbour. Next, we visit St John's CoCathedral and the Caravaggio masterpieces which can be viewed in the Oratory.

Our guided tour continues as we walk past the famous Grand Masters' Palace and St. George's Square, before stopping at the Malta 5D show experience where we enjoy the audiovisual show that depicts Malta throughout the ages.

Enjoy free time for lunch (not included). In the afternoon we will have free time to explore Valletta at our own pace, giving us the opportunity to explore this vibrant city. Our evening is at leisure, to relax and take in the Mediterranean atmosphere.

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Breakfast





GRAND MASTERS' PALACE

Day **3**

Malta Gozo Malta

Today, let's see more, on a full day guided tour to the island of Gozo. After a short ferry crossing, we fall in love with Mgarr harbour as we take some photos of the colourful boats resting on its blue waters. We continue to the Megalithic temples of Ggantija, the oldest freestanding monuments in the world.

Next, we uncover Gozo's medieval capital Victoria, followed by the fjord-like bay at Xlendi and the inland sea at Dwejra. We enjoy lunch (included) at a local restaurant, followed by free time to shop for local crafts, or sit at a pavement café and soak up Gozo's serene atmosphere. Later in the afternoon we transfer back to our hotel, where the rest of our evening is at leisure.

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Breakfast



DWEJRA BAY

Day **4**

Malta



We have a full free day to explore our surroundings and relax at our hotel. Our local representative will be pleased to offer recommendations for sightseeing, shopping, and entertainment options in the area.

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Breakfast

## Day 5 Malta Mdina Malta

Today we set off for a full day excursion to the fortified city of Mdina, in the central part of Malta. Known as the Silent City, due to its massive medieval walls and shady streets, it is rich in architecture and atmosphere.

Leaving Mdina through the Greek's Gate, we stop at the Christian catacombs of St Paul in Rabat. We then continue to the cliffs at Dingli where we enjoy panoramic views, before stopping in a local restaurant for lunch (included).

After lunch, we will have some free time in Mdina to explore the place on your own at leisure.

After a fascinating day of sightseeing, we transfer back to our hotel for a restful evening.

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Breakfast



## Day 6 Malta Vittoriosa Cospicua Senglea Malta

Let's see more of Malta, as we set off for the Grand Harbour area where we'll get our first glance at Vittoriosa, Cospicua and Senglea, known as the Three Cities. Comfortable walking shoes are recommended for our walking tour of Vittoriosa. Our expert guide will take us through the narrow, perfectly preserved streets, along the Fort St Angelo and out to the Vittoriosa waterfront.

At the Vittoriosa waterfront, we'll board a typical harbour boat (dghajsa) for a tour of the colourful harbour creeks.

After our boat tour, we visit Senglea Garden, situated at the tip of the peninsula. From this point we enjoy picturesque views of the Grand Harbour, an unmissable experience.

For the rest of the afternoon, we are free to explore independently or do a spot of shopping. We can avail of an optional return transfer to Sliema this afternoon, giving us the opportunity to explore the town at our own pace

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Breakfast



Day 7

## Malta

Today we can indulge in a lazy day and a stroll by the sea, or perhaps consider some additional sightseeing, which can be arranged through our local representative.

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Breakfast

Day 8

## Malta

It's time to say goodbye and set off for home.

Check out. End of services.

Breakfast

# ACCOMMODATION

## Maritim Antonine Hotel & Spa Malta

### Mellieha

The Maritim Antonine Hotel and Spa, a superior four-star hotel, is perfectly situated on the terraced hillsides, offering stunning panoramic views and a luxurious setting for a relaxing stay. Located in the charming town of Mellieha, the hotel guarantees the best services at the best prices in Malta. Whether for business or pleasure, it provides a lavish retreat for all guests. The hotel's restaurants and bars serve exquisite cuisine, with options ranging from fine dining at a luxurious restaurant to a relaxed drink at the poolside bar.



# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE	LOCAL CURRENCY
Italian	EURO

- Please note that the order of some of the tours and experiences may vary in order without affecting the tour or experience.
- Guaranteed Departures with a minimum of 2 participants booked.

### Excluded

- International airfares and taxes
- Domestic airfares and taxes, unless otherwise specified in our holiday package
- Visa expenses, processing and issuance fees
- Meals other than as specified in our holiday package
- Travel Insurance or expenses of a personal nature (mini-bar, phone call, laundry, etc.),
- Tips or gratuities to guides, drivers, porters, hotel, restaurant or boat staff, etc.
- Or any other travel expense that has not been included in our holiday package