



ITALY

BEST OF NAPLES

 (TOUR CODE: 11703)

STARTS AND ENDS

in Naples

TRAVEL PERIODS

01 Apr 2023 - 31 Oct 2023

EXPERIENCE

Food & Wine
Cultural
City Stays

TRAVEL STYLE

Independent Holiday Packages

If you are looking for an authentic Italian experience, Naples and the Amalfi Coast are the right places to start your journey!

Highlights

- Stay in a charming **centrally located accommodation in Naples** boasting elements of 19th decoration and stunning Art Nouveau interiors
- Enjoy a wine tasting at **Mt. Vesuvius** and once there you will walk to the real top of the volcano to see the crater!
- Be amazed by **Pompeii**, the most famous and evocative archaeological site in the world
- Visiting the jewels of the Amalfi Coast: **Positano and Amalfi**

Reverent buildings with worn and aged facades, hidden narrow streets, the mouthwatering scent of authentic pizza filling the alleys... Naples has a beauty all of its own, and also represents a perfect getaway to explore the close-by archaeological site of Pompeii, as well as the imposing Mount Vesuvius. No Italian trip is complete without visiting this incredible city and the stunning Amalfi Coast, with its scenic and colorful villages.



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

INCLUSIONS

- 3 nights in Naples at the Grand Hotel Santa Lucia or similar
- Private arrival & departure transfer to/from Naples airport or station
- Daily Breakfast
- Small group tour (max 8 pax) of Pompeii & Mt. Vesuvius with wine tasting & English speaking guide
- Small group tour (max 12 pax) of the Amalfi Coast with English speaking guide
- Entrance tickets to Pompeii

ITINERARY

Day 1 Naples

Welcome to Naples! Meet your driver at the airport and transfer to your hotel.

The remainder of the day is at leisure.

Overnight in Naples at **Grand Hotel Santa Lucia** or similar.



Day 2 Naples Pompeii Mt. Vesuvius Naples

After breakfast, begin a wonderful day trip visiting **Pompeii**, the most famous and evocative archaeological site in the world

(UNESCO World Heritage Site) and the imposing volcano **Vesuvius**, "the Big Giant", which caused the terrible destruction of this city in 79 AD.

The Roman city of Pompeii disappeared under a thick layer of volcanic ashes, blasted over the city as a consequence of a devastating volcanic eruption which killed its inhabitants and making it disappear for about 1500 years, until it was rediscovered as one of the best preserved historical sites in the world. This unique archeological site provides a unique snapshot of the ancient Roman life. Walking along the streets of Pompeii, you'll discover houses, bakeries and shops, catching a glimpse into the everyday lives of its original inhabitants.

After Pompeii, drive up to Mt. Vesuvius and stop in a local restaurant with beautiful panoramic views. Enjoy a **wine tasting, accompanied by local food**. From here, your driver will lead you to 1000m altitude: once there, you will walk to the top of the volcano to admire its crater. At the summit, enjoy the commentary provided by the National Park's vulcanological guide (included) or just peek into the crater on your own. Admire the summit of Mount Somma (1133 m) and to the right, the cone of Vesuvius (1281 m), both separated by a valley, called Valley of the Giant.

Overnight in Naples at **Grand Hotel Santa Lucia** or similar.

Breakfast



Day **3**

Naples Amalfi Coast Naples

After breakfast, you will meet your driver at about 7.40 am in the hall of your hotel to start your **small group tour (max 12 pax) of the famous Amalfi Coast**.

Home to the famous and delicious Limoncello, the lemon liqueur, the Amalfi coast is a stunning location and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Colourful tiny houses perched upon cliffs and amazing views to the Mediterranean Sea are only a small part of what will make you fall in love with this exclusive destination, and especially with two of the most charming villages of southern Italy: **Positano and Amalfi**.

You will be first taken to Positano: from the quaint, colourful shops that line the roads to its numerous world-famous beaches, Positano will leave you amazed. You will then move on to Amalfi: with its Mediterranean architecture, stacked houses and colourful buildings, Amalfi is definitely one of Italy's most VIP summer destinations.

Rest of the evening at leisure.

Overnight in Naples at **Grand Hotel Santa Lucia** or similar.

Breakfast



Day 4

Naples

After breakfast, check-out of your hotel and meet your driver for a private transfer to Naples Airport/ train station.

Breakfast



ACCOMMODATION

Grand Hotel Santa Lucia

Naples

Grand Hotel Santa Lucia is an elegant Art Nouveau hotel, built in 1906 by the famous architect Giovan Battista Comencini. This wonderful accommodation offers majestic views over Mount Vesuvius, Castel dell'Ovo and the entire bay of Naples.



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

Italian

LOCAL CURRENCY

EURO

- We work with a selection of hotels in each location. All bookings are subject to availability, which means our team will confirm your specific hotels upon confirmation and payment of deposit. The package price is based on 4-star accommodation.

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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