

## A Cruise to the Isle of Capri



Approximately 8 hours



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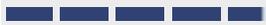


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Value



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Begin with a **jetfoil** ride to the island of Capri, taking in several lovely sights, including **Capri Town** and Anacapri, followed by a delicious traditional Italian **lunch**. Roman emperors, including Caesar Augustus and Tiberius, vacationed on the island, and you'll see the remains of their magnificent **Roman villas**. Capri is a popular destination for artists and the wealthy. This tour, although escorted, is unstructured, so you will have **free time** to explore, browse or **shop**.

## A Taste of Naples: Pizzas & Piazzas



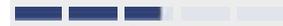
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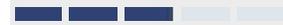


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2.6 out of 5

Value



2.8 out of 5

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Take a **panoramic drive** through **Naples**, after which you'll head to Posillipo Hill, Mergellina, and past the famous Maschio Angioino Castle.

Stop at the Piazza Plebiscito to see the outside of the Royal Palace and the San Carlo Opera House.

Enjoy some **free time** to explore on your own.

Step into a local restaurant in the center of the town to see expert **pizza-makers**

**demonstrating** how to make a real Neapolitan pizza. **Pizza** will then be served for you to devour before you return to the port.

## Ancient Herculaneum



Approximately 4 hours



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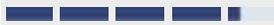


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Value



4.2 out of 5

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Head out by motor coach to the excavated city of **Herculaneum** -- known to the Italians as Ercolano. The upper class Romans built their beautiful villas and maintained luxurious properties in Herculaneum -- most of them overlooking the sea.

Your guide will explain how, when Mount Vesuvius erupted in AD 79, hot ash charred or consumed all the wood of the structures in Pompeii (Herculaneum's more famous neighbor). Herculaneum's destruction was the result of a flood of hot mud that buried, sealed and protected entire buildings. This means that today there are still marvelous inlaid marble floors, mosaics, paintings, and carbonized wood exposed to visitors.

Explore **on foot** with your guide.

A stop at a local **cameo factory** is included before you return to the ship.

Notes:

Shade is limited; please dress accordingly. Bring a hat and wear sunscreen. Wear comfortable walking shoes. Use of an audio headset (included) will enhance your tour experience.

## Exclusive Mt Vesuvius



Approximately 4 hours



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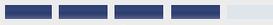


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4.4 out of 5

Value



3.9 out of 5

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Travel by coach along the Bay of Naples, stopping en route at a local cameo factory before reaching the foot of awesome **Mount Vesuvius** -- the only volcano on the mainland continent of Europe.

From the village of Boscotrecase, board a special ecological 4x4 bus for a 25-minute drive through **Mount Vesuvius National Park**, through pine forests and broom to an elevation of 3,400 feet.

Mount Vesuvius is about six miles east of Naples, a short distance from the shore. It creates a beautiful landscape with the bay and Naples tucked below. Vesuvius is best known for its eruption in AD 79, destroying the Roman cities of Pompeii and Herculaneum and killing up to 25,000 people. It has erupted many times since, and is today regarded as one of the most dangerous volcanoes in the world because of the population of three million people living nearby. The mountain has a tendency for explosive (Plinian) eruptions.

At the upper part of the **crater**, take a **walking tour** around the crater under the expert supervision of an alpine guide.

At the end of this fascinating visit, you will return to the pier by coach.

Notes:

This excursion involves a significant amount of climbing. Bring a hat and wear sunscreen. Wear sturdy walking shoes.

## Insider's Pompeii & Naples Archeological Museum



Approximately 7 hours



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Relax and enjoy the scenery on the drive to **Pompeii**—the world's finest example of an ancient Roman town.

Set out on a **walking tour** of Pompeii, led by a professional historian guide who knows a great deal about the life and times of this city that was frozen in time by the eruption of Vesuvius in AD79.

Admire the luxurious mansions and fabulous art of wealthy patricians who came to Pompeii to escape the turmoil in Rome. Their houses were designed around an inner garden with few windows on the exteriors, so residents could forget the outside world and enjoy sunlight from their own courtyard.

Visit some of the more modest homes, and explore ancient baths, temples, theaters, marketplaces and the huge forum. Inscriptions and public notices reveal an astonishing similarity with modern times—political announcements, advertisements for wine sales, apartment vacancies and upcoming events such as theatre performances and gladiator fights.

Take a break partway through to enjoy a typical Italian **lunch**, served at a local restaurant.

Visit the **Archaeological Museum of Naples** -- one of the most important museums in the world with its priceless collections of sculptures, bronzes, ceramics, paintings, mosaics, old Roman jewelry and other works of art representing this ancient civilization.

Don't miss the '**secret cabinet**' (opening hours permitting) -- a collection of erotic and sexually explicit finds from Pompeii. Ancient Roman culture had a different sense of sexual morality from most present-day cultures—hence the public proliferation of sexually explicit material, including erotic frescoes, depictions of the god Priapus, symbols and inscriptions. Although the excavation of Pompeii was initially an Enlightenment project, once the artifacts were later classified through a new taxonomy, many were locked away in a Secret Museum. The doorway

was sealed in 1849, and locked metal cabinets were constructed over Pompeii's erotic frescoes, which could be shown, for a modest fee, to gentlemen but not to ladies. This is a fascinating glimpse into the social mores of the Ancient Romans.

Notes:

Use of an audio headset (included) will enhance your tour experience.

### Naples Private Touring - Full Day (Car)



Approximately 8 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.



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Notes:

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### Naples Private Touring - Full Day (Minibus)



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## Naples Private Touring - Half Day (Car)



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## Naples Private Touring - Half Day (Minibus)



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### Panoramic Naples



Approximately 3 hours



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Enjoyed it?



4.5 out of 5

Value



4 out of 5

2 out of 2(100%)reviewers would recommend this product to a friend.

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The **highlights of Naples** unfold before you on this **panoramic motor coach drive**, including the Royal Palace façade adorned with Greek, Roman, Gothic, Byzantine, Norman, Spanish, Bourbon and Italian statues.

Watch for the Royal San Carlo -- one of the most famous opera houses in the world -- and view the Maschio Angioino castle.

You will have 45 minutes of **free time** in the central part of town.

Notes:

Due to strict traffic laws, photo stops are made only if traffic conditions permit and therefore are not guaranteed.

### Shopping in Sorrento



Approximately 5 hours



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Enjoyed it?



3.5 out of 5

Value



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Skirting the Bay of Naples, in the shadow of awesome Mt Vesuvius, you will drive to **Sorrento** -- a village that is brimming with character and overflowing with picturesque street scenes and charming people.

Sorrento inspired the Greeks' and Romans' art and industry, and you will find an extraordinary collection of woodwork, mosaics, furniture, embroidery and porcelain here.

Browse and **shop** on your own, making purchases that will become treasured mementos of your voyage.

Time permitting, you will stop at a **crafts center** at the foot of Mt Vesuvius.

## Sorrento & Pompeii



Approximately 8 hours



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Enjoyed it?



3.9 out of 5

Value



3.8 out of 5

23 out of 28(82%)reviewers would recommend this product to a friend.

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A one-hour drive brings you to **Sorrento**, brimming with character and picturesque streets. Woodwork, furniture, embroidery, mosaics and porcelain can be found here.

A typical Italian **lunch** will be served in Sorrento.

Travel to the foot of **Mt Vesuvius** and walk through the remarkable ruins of **Pompeii** -- widely considered by archaeologists to be the finest example of an ancient Roman town.

With the eruption of Mt Vesuvius in AD 79, the excavated city was buried beneath tons of ash and lava. As you tour Pompeii **on foot**, passing baths, theatres, temples, markets and the forum.

A stop at a local cameo factory is included before your return to the ship.

Notes:

Traffic can be unpredictable. Your patience during delays is greatly appreciated. Use of an audio headset (included) will enhance your tour experience.

### The Amalfi Coast & Sorrento



Approximately 8¼ hours



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Enjoyed it?



3.9 out of 5

Value



3.9 out of 5

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Ride along the fabulously scenic **Sorrentine peninsula** to the enchanting village of Sorrento, where you will see a woodworking demonstration. Furniture, embroidery, mosaics and porcelain can all be found here.

Make the most of some **free time** in the heart of the town, rich in typical local produce, interesting sites of cultural interest, and fashionable shops.

Savor a **lunch** of local specialties; then, from Sorrento the coach will make its way along the renowned **Amalfi drive**.

Take in panoramic vistas, including the view over Positano, as you make your way to **Amalfi Village**.

Your guide will tell you about the history of this lovely village -- one of the oldest maritime republics of Italy -- and enjoy some **free time** in the village, the harbor area, or inside the imposing local cathedral.

On the way back to Naples, visit the **craft center** situated at the foot of Mount Vesuvius to see a **cameo-making demonstration**, time permitting.

Notes:

Expect traffic delays. Due to the one-way route for tour coaches driving the coastal road, guests will be asked to switch sides half way along the route to allow all guests to view the coastal scenery. Your cooperation is appreciated.

## The Ruins of Pompeii



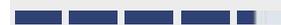
Approximately 4 hours



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Enjoyed it?



4.3 out of 5

Value



4.2 out of 5

29 out of 33(88%)reviewers would recommend this product to a friend.

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From the pier, it's a 45-minute ride by motor coach to the remarkable ruins of **Pompeii**, perfectly preserved since the eruption of Mt Vesuvius in AD 79.

On a guided **walking tour** you will learn about the excavation techniques that have uncovered this city remarkably intact, and what the residents were doing at the time of the eruption.

Gain an insight into the lives of the ancient Romans as you discover baths, theatres, temples, markets and the huge forum.

A stop at a local **cameo factory** is included before your return to the ship and the present-day by motor coach.

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