

# Iconic Italy

**VENICE ● FLORENCE ● NAPLES ● ROME**

## The Offer

From Renaissance cities to historic landmarks, the sun-soaked Amalfi Coast and beyond, this iconic tour brings together the best of Italian must-sees in one unforgettable holiday.

Meet us in Venice, where you'll join a city tour through Piazza San Marco, across the romantic Rialto bridge and beyond. Travel to historic Modena, home of world-renowned balsamic vinegar and luxury cars. Then, get ready for a day of tastings with a guided tour that discovers the traditional flavours of Parmigiano Reggiano cheese. Continue through the heart of Tuscany to Montecatini, then on to the Renaissance city of Florence, home to centuries of artistic inspiration. Discover the medieval hill-top city of Montepulciano, sipping its famous red wine among age-old oak barrels before heading for Italy's capital, Rome.

Walk its ancient streets to the famed Pantheon and Piazza Navona on a guided city tour, with time to explore Rome's iconic landmarks at your own pace. The tour continues south to the Bay of Naples and Pompeii's ancient town located beneath imposing Mount Vesuvius. Soak up the Amalfi Coast views of Naples and the Isle of Capri from Sorrento, before returning to Rome, with time at leisure to indulge in Italy's legendary flavours and local trattorias.

**This amazing Italian tour includes 9 nights of 4-star hotel accommodation, 9 meals, English-speaking guides and more.**

*Travel Planning: Return international airfares aren't included in this package, so you have the flexibility to choose your own. See Important Information before booking.*



**10-DAY TOUR PACKAGE** | ICONIC ITALY

## The Map







# The Itinerary

### Day 1 Meet us in Venice, Italy

Make your own way to Venice, Italy to begin your holiday.

*Please note:*

- You will receive information upon check-in regarding times for touring the following day.

- Hotel information will be confirmed in your travel documents sent 4-6 weeks prior to travel.

**Overnight: Novotel la Castellana Hotel or similar, Mestre**
**Meals included: None**

### Day 2 Venice - Walking City Tour

After breakfast this morning, be transferred to the Tronchetto Pier and board a water bus to the city centre. Take time to admire the beautiful buildings and architecture as you cruise the stunning waters of Venice.

Upon arrival, be met by a local guide at Piazza San Marco (St Mark's Square) to begin an approximately 2-hour guided tour of Venice. The tour starts in iconic St Mark's Square, regarded as one of the most intricate and beautiful town squares in the world. Surrounding the square, is the famous St Mark's Basilica, the Doge's Palace and the Bell Tower (entrance fees not included). St Mark's Basilica was built to house the body of St Mark, which was transported from Alexandria in 828 AD.

The tour continues to Rialto Bridge, the oldest bridge over the Grand Canal and an icon of the city. Upon conclusion of the tour, enjoy an afternoon at leisure.

Optional Activity: Gondola Ride

Enjoy a 30-minute gondola ride in Venice. Please see current pricing in Important Information.

Please Note: Gondola rides are not always private and may be shared with other passengers.

**Overnight: Novotel la Castellana Hotel or similar, Mestre**
**Meals included: Breakfast**

### Day 3 Venice - Parmigiano Reggiano Tasting - Modena - Montecatini

After breakfast, depart for the historical city of Modena. Modena is world-renowned as a premier culinary and automotive hub, famous for producing authentic Traditional Balsamic Vinegar, housing luxury car manufacturers like Ferrari and Maserati, and holding a rich UNESCO-listed medieval heritage. It is also celebrated for its high-end cuisine and as the birthplace of opera legend Luciano Pavarotti.

Today is a day of tastings, experiencing some of the best Italian gastronomic specialities with a visit to a Parmesan Producer in the Emilia-Romagna region. There is no better place to explore Italian cuisine than in the world-famous Emilia Romagna region, which is called "the belly of Italy" for a reason.

Parmigiano Reggiano PDO (Protected Designation of Origin)

Enjoy a guided tour of a Parmigiano Reggiano company with a cheese tasting. Discover how the king of all cheeses has been literally made by hand in the same way since the Benedictine monks invented it 10 centuries ago! From the curdling in the typical copper heaters to the salting and final ageing in the so-called wheel cathedrals, you will be a privileged witness to almost all the steps of production of this out-and-out food icon. This





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strict adherence to tradition and the unique local environment is what gives it its Protected Designation of Origin (PDO) status. Indulge in a cheese tasting at the end.

Afterwards, explore the beautiful city of Modena with your Tour Leader.

Then, after a scenic drive through the heart of Tuscany, reach the famed spa town of Montecatini. This UNESCO World Heritage site is a haven of Art Nouveau elegance, known globally for its restorative thermal waters and luxury spas. Located in the Valdinievole valley, it features iconic thermal baths like Tettuccio and offers a relaxing, upscale, and historic atmosphere perfect for health tourism, easily accessible to Florence.

Today you will travel approximately 350 kilometres.

**Overnight: Hotel Manzoni or similar, Montecatini, Florence Area**
**Meals included: Breakfast**

### Day 4 Florence - Walking City Tour

After breakfast, enjoy an approximately 3-hour guided tour of the incredible city of Florence. Tour through some of the famous sights and attractions of Florence, including the Santa Maria del Fiore Cathedral and Piazza del Duomo. Piazza del Duomo, together with Piazza San Giovanni, represent the heart of the city. The most important religious monuments of Florence are situated here, linked by their geometric design and characterised by the typical white, green and pink marble coating. See the Baptistery with its octagonal shape and 3 bronze doors (entrances not included).

Continue through Piazza della Signoria to the Palazzo Vecchio, the town hall of Florence (entrance not included). Admire the impressive statues that surround the piazza before continuing to the Straw Market, where the tour concludes.

Enjoy time at leisure for the rest of the day or join the optional tours available.

Optional Activity: Uffizi Gallery

Includes entrance fees, guided tour and earphones.

Optional Activity: Gallery of the Academy of Florence

Includes entrance fees, guided tour and earphones.

Optional Activity: Montecatini 3-Course Florentine Dinner

Enjoy beefsteak Florentine-style with mineral water and a bottle of red Chianti wine between 4 people.

Please see the current pricing for optional tours in the Important Information.

**Overnight: Hotel Manzoni or similar, Montecatini, Florence Area**
**Meals included: Breakfast**

### Day 5 Montecantini - Montepulciano - Wine Tasting - Rome

After breakfast, head towards the Eternal City of Rome as you set off on a day tour covering approximately 350 kilometres through the beautiful Tuscan countryside. Stop at the beautiful medieval city of Montepulciano, a reigning hilltop wine town and quintessential Tuscan vision with a medieval centre overlooking lush vineyards.





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Enjoy a tour of the historic cellars of the "La Citta Sotterranea" (underground city), where the evocative Gothic-Renaissance atmosphere thrives with passages, cool tunnels, hidden crypts and stone steps. In the numerous cellars that make up the path of the underground city, encounter oak barrels of various sizes as well as small fountains and two authentic Etruscan tombs. Savour a tasting of the famous Montepulciano wine.

In the late afternoon, arrive in Rome for an overnight stay.

**Overnight: Hotel Cristoforo Colombo similar, Rome**
**Meals included: Breakfast**

### Day 6 Rome - Walking City Tour

Today, enjoy an approximately 3-hour guided tour of Rome.

The tour begins at the Trevi Fountain, an iconic spot thanks to the movie 'La Dolce Vita', directed by Federico Fellini. See famous sites such as the Pantheon, the Palazzo Madama (entrance not included) and Navona Square. Once the tour finishes, enjoy the rest of the afternoon at leisure. Perhaps visit the incredible Vatican Museums and Sistine Chapel to be awe-inspired by the murals and immortal Works of Michelangelo.

Optional Activity: Colosseum & Imperial Forum

3-hour tour. Includes entrance fees, guided tour and earphones.

Optional Activity: 3-Course Dinner in Trastevere

Trastevere is a funky bohemian area known for traditional and innovative "trattorias" (a typical local restaurant), craft beer pubs and artisan shops on the opposite bank of the Tiber River. Enjoy dinner with mineral water and a glass of wine. Transfers included.

Please see current pricing for optional tours in the Important Information.

*Please note: Guests who are interested in visiting the Vatican Museums and Sistine Chapel are advised to book tickets online well in advance to secure their place.*

**Overnight: Hotel Cristoforo Colombo similar, Rome**
**Meals included: Breakfast**

### Day 7 Rome - Naples - Walking City Tour

Enjoy breakfast before travelling to Naples, a vibrant city near Mount Vesuvius. Upon arrival, enjoy a walking guided tour.

Dating back to the 2nd millennium BC, Naples holds centuries of important art and architecture. Like the city's cathedral, the Duomo di San Gennaro (entrance not included). Other major landmarks include the lavish Royal Palace and Castel Nuovo, a 13th-century castle (entrance not included).

Upon arrival, enjoy time at leisure. Naples is world-famous as the birthplace of pizza (specifically Margherita), and its vibrant street life. As a UNESCO World Heritage site, it is renowned for having one of the world's highest concentrations of art, history, and culture, including the nearby ruins of Pompeii.

**Overnight: Hotel Voco Nola Vulcano Buono or similar, Naples Area**
**Meals included: Breakfast**





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### Day 8 Naples - Pompeii - Sorrento

Enjoy breakfast at the hotel before continuing to Pompeii (entrance included). Explore this magnificent archaeological site on a guided tour of the city that was buried by the eruption of Mount Vesuvius in 79AD. It remains practically intact as a testimony to the life of a commercial city of ancient Rome.

Afterwards, continue to Sorrento, on the iconic Amalfi Coast.

The Sorrentine Peninsula has views of Naples, Vesuvius and the Isle of Capri. Enjoy the beautiful scenery from the Amalfi Drive, a narrow road along the high cliffs above the Tyrrhenian Sea.

Explore this handsome cliff-top resort town with time at leisure. Wedged on a ledge between the mountains and the Mediterranean, it's well-located for regional sightseeing.

In the late afternoon, return to your hotel in Naples.

Today's travel is approximately 120 kilometres.

**Overnight: Hotel Voco Nola Vulcano Buono or similar, Naples Area**
**Meals included: Breakfast**

### Day 9 Naples - Rome

Today, depart for Rome and upon arrival, check in into the hotel. Enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure in the capital city of Italy.

Optional Activity: Trastevere Walking Food Tour

Approximately 2.5 hours. Taste traditional Roman street food in the bohemian suburb of Trastevere, well known for its "trattorias" and street food like suppli, pizza, gelato, and wine.

Please see current pricing in Important Information

**Overnight: Hotel Cristoforo Colombo similar, Rome**
**Meals included: Breakfast**

### Day 10 Rome, Italy

Your adventure concludes after breakfast. Make your own onward travel arrangements from Rome, Italy.

**Meals included: Breakfast**





# Tour Inclusions

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience the best of Italy
- Enjoy guided tours of Venice, Florence, Rome and Naples
- Wander through the romantic streets of Venice on a locally-guided walking tour
- Witness Venice's Piazza San Marco, the Rialto Bridge and more
- Taste-test at Parmigiano Reggiano cheese company
- Explore the UNESCO-listed medieval heritage of Modena
- Tour the grand Renaissance city of Florence
- See Florence's Santa Maria del Fiore Cathedral and Piazza del Duomo
- Taste the famous red wine Montepulciano in the medieval underground cellars of Montepulciano
- Discover the medieval city of Montepulciano
- Delve into Rome's rich history on a guided tour
- Witness the beauty of the Trevi Fountain, Pantheon, Palazzo Madama and more
- Step back in time on a guided tour of the vast ruins of Pompeii
- Enjoy a guided tour of the colourful city of Naples, in the shadow of Mount Vesuvius
- Explore the beautiful Sorrento along the stunning Amalfi Coast
- Admire the eternal city of Rome with a day at leisure

## ACCOMMODATION

- 9 nights of 4-star hotel accommodation

## DINING

- 9 meals included

## ESSENTIALS

- Parking and toll fees
- English-speaking tour leader and guides
- Guide earphones (guided tours only)

## TRANSPORT

- Transportation by private air-conditioned vehicles
- Travel by water bus to Venice's city centre

# Important Information

**Please note: All information provided in this brochure is subject to both change and availability. Prior to purchase please check the current deal for up-to-date information. If you have already purchased this deal, the terms and conditions on your Purchase Confirmation apply and take precedence over the information in this brochure.*

## Booking Information

After purchase, you will receive a receipt and a Purchase Confirmation, directing you to an online Passenger Information Form. You must complete the Passenger Information Form within 72 hours of purchase.
Any special requests, preferences and optional extras MUST be clearly stated in your Passenger Information Form. Any change requested after submitting your Passenger Information Form cannot be guaranteed, is strictly subject to availability and will incur surcharges as outlined in the Schedule of Fees below.

*Please note: All countries and territories have different entry requirements in relation to vaccinations, quarantine/isolation periods and travel restrictions. Due to the evolving nature, we would ask all of our customers to monitor, meet and adhere to the specific requirements of their intended destination(s) in the lead-up to and immediately before travel, as well as any requirements post-travel upon their return.*

### Flights

Return international airfares are not included in this package. You will receive an email confirmation when minimum numbers have been met and the departure is guaranteed.
We recommend making further travel arrangements, such as flights, after you have received confirmation of a guaranteed departure.
TripADeal assumes no liability for financial losses incurred due to travel arrangements made prior to confirmation that your trip will be proceeding.

## Our Policies

### Cancellation and Refund Policy

By placing a booking with us, you acknowledge the following important information:

- **we act as your booking agent** ; TripADeal is a booking services provider, and curates the Travel Offers available on our website. We act as your booking agent, and we receive payment for the Booking Services as part of the booking price, however, we do not provide any of the Travel Services (flights, accommodation, tours or other products or services) included in your booking – the Travel Services are provided by a number of third party Travel Suppliers.
- **each booking is unique** ; our Travel Offers are made up of a variety of different components and are, during the booking process, uniquely tailored to suit your requirements, for example, departure dates and ports, flight and room upgrades, tour inclusions, etc.
- **changes/modifications to your booking may not be possible** ; once your booking has been made, changes or modifications may not be possible, and where possible, may incur a fee. It is important to ensure that the information you provide during the booking process is accurate and up to date, and that you read the Travel Offer carefully before placing your order.
- **Travel Offers are a package** ; our Travel Offers have been curated into package offerings and must be used as a package – individual components cannot be used independently of the full package offering.
- **our Travel Offers are generally non-refundable** ; in order to provide great value Travel Offers, we work with a variety of Travel Suppliers to find the best deals – this often means the Travel Suppliers' offerings are non-refundable to ensure the best price. We recommend that you obtain travel insurance as soon as you make a booking with us.

To read more about our Cancellation and Refund Policy, please click here.

### General Terms and Conditions

By placing your booking with us, you acknowledge and agree to our Terms & Conditions, Privacy Policy and Cancellation Policy.

## Offer Essentials

This Travel Offer is valid for travel on selected dates until 16th November 2027.
Minimum group size 20, maximum group size 40 per vehicle.
This Travel Offer is priced per person based on a twin share.

### Departure Dates & Surcharges

See checkout for live dates and availability.

### Single Traveller Supplement

For solo travellers, a mandatory single supplement of $1,000 applies.

*Please note: Accommodation for single customers who are travelling on a tour or cruise package may be in a single room, depending on availability.*

### Child Policy

- No child discounts are offered. The full price applies to all children travelling with their parents.
- Valid for children 8 years old and over.

*Please note: Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult, 18 years old and over, to travel. No unaccompanied minors are allowed.*

## Accommodation

### Accommodation Used:

4-Star Properties (Self-Rated)

- Mestre (Venice Area): Novotel La Castellana
- Montecatini (Florence Area): Hotel Manzoni
- Rome: Hotel American Palace or Hotel Cristoforo Colombo
- Naples: Voco Nola Vulcano Buono by IHG Hotel

*Please note: Accommodation/rooms offered are based on a lead-in room type and are subject to availability based on seasonality. In the instance a property is not available, a similar standard of accommodation will be provided. Properties will be confirmed and*

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*included in your travel pack, which you will receive 4-6 weeks before travel.*

**Accommodation Location**

To ensure a comfortable and convenient experience for everyone, we've carefully selected hotels that best suit the size and specific needs of each group. While this means your accommodation may not be in the city centre, you can rest assured that our hotels are typically located near public transportation and a variety of local restaurants and attractions. Once your tour begins, your friendly driver or tour leader will be happy to help you get your bearings and offer assistance, should you need it.

**Extra Nights**

Not available.

*Please note: If you are interested in booking additional nights of accommodation pre or post-tour, please wait until you receive your travel documentation approximately 4-6 weeks before departure for the confirmed list of hotels. If booking your own additional accommodation directly with the hotel, please be aware that you may be required to change rooms at the start/end of your tour.*

**Maximum Room Capacity**

2 people.

**Triple Share**

Not available.

**Bedding Configuration**

Twin or double (subject to availability).

## Optional Tours/activities

- Venice: Gondola Ride Venice (30-minute ride) - $98 AUD per person twin share, $195 AUD solo
- Florence: Uffizi Gallery (with entry, guide and headphones) - $170 AUD per person
- Florence: Gallery of the Academy of Florence (with entry, guide and headphones) - $160 AUD per person
- Montecatini: 3-Course Florentine Dinner (Beef steak Florentine style with mineral water and 1 bottle of Red Chianti wine between 4 people - no transfers) - $120 AUD per person
- Rome: Colosseum & Imperial Forum (3 hours with entry, guide and headphones) - $180 AUD per person
- Rome: 3-Course Dinner in Trastevere (with transfer, 1 glass of wine and mineral water) - $140 AUD per person
- Rome: Trastevere Food Tour (2.5 hours with 5 tastings) - $240 AUD per person

*Please note:*

- *Prices are based per person, are subject to availability, time permitting and weather conditions, and are payable directly to the tour operator in the currency specified.*
- *The optional tours listed above must be purchased on checkout or over the phone before submitting your passenger information form (subject to availability).*

## Exclusions

- Arrival and departure flights
- Visa fees and requirements
- International & domestic transfers and flights not stated in the deal offer
- Meals/beverages not stated in the deal offer
- Optional gratuities/tipping
- Optional activities/tours
- Personal expenses
- Travel insurance
- Any costs associated with an interruption to your tour as a result of an airline schedule change or cancellation
- Mandatory city tax
- Venice Historical Centre Entrance Fee

*Please note: A daily City Tourist Tax (or a Docking Tax for cruise visitors) is charged in some European destinations. They are paid directly to the hotel or cruise company, and cannot be prepaid. Further details will be available on tour.*

VENICE TOURIST ENTRANCE TAX

**Venice, Italy**

It is now mandatory for all tourists who are daytripping or staying less than one night in Venice to pay an entrance tax online prior to arrival. The cost of the tax will change based on the season and the turnout of tourists. Prices will range from €3 up to €10 per person, per day.
Exemptions:
- Guests staying more than one night in Venice and Venice area (with proof of stay)
- Children 6 years and under
- Residents, Home owners, Students of Venice
- Tourist bus passengers

## Gratuities / Tipping

**Land**

Gratuities (tips) are not included for the services of the tour leader (when available) and driver throughout the tour. The recommended tip is €5 - €7 per person per day. This covers the guide/leader and the driver and will be collected on tour.

*Please note: Tipping for services provided is always a matter of personal discretion; however, please be aware that many locals consider tipping part of their normal remuneration, and they may approach you for payment; there's no need to be intimidated by the request.*

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

**Passport Validity:**

Customers must provide valid passport details either at the time of purchase or no later than 90 days before the departure date. Failure to do so may result in the cancellation of the booking. Customers will be responsible for any costs and fees incurred in this instance.

CITY TAXES

Payable directly to the hotel at check-in:
- Venice Area: €3.10 per person, per night.
- Montecatini (Florence Area): €4.00 per person, per night.
- Rome: €7.50 per person, per night.
- Naples: €5.50 per person, per night.

*Please note: Pricing is approximate and subject to change.*

TOUR GUIDE VS. TOUR LEADER

**Tour Guide:**

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Often locals with intimate knowledge of an area, its culture, and history. Their role entails providing commentary, routing the tour, and seeing that people have a good time. They are a licensed, qualified expert who supplies specific information on the history, art, architecture and culture of the city/village/attraction where they are guiding the tour. The guide meets the group at the required place and leaves it at the end of the tour; they do not travel with the group.

**Tour Leader:**

An experienced person tasked with ensuring the smooth operation of tours, as well as providing practical support to passengers throughout the whole trip. Their role primarily includes assisting with accommodation, transportation between locations, and communication with tour guides at each stop. A tour leader may provide general guidance around a city or village and offer information on the place visited on the bus. However, they are not required to have specific art, architecture, or historical knowledge. They are not allowed to provide a guided tour or commentary of a city/village/attraction once there and, if caught doing so, can be fined.

*Please note: Tour leaders/guides are not a standard inclusion in all travel offers. Tour leaders/guides will only be made available when required to enhance the experience of the destination featured.*

CLIMATE & AVERAGE TEMPERATURES

**Italy:**

February – May: Winter transitions into a vibrant spring. February is crisp, with northern highs of 10°C and southern reaches of 15°C. By May, temperatures climb to a balmy 22°C, offering ideal weather for sightseeing before the summer heat.
June – August: The Mediterranean peaks with hot, dry days. Coastal averages stay above 25°C, though afternoon highs frequently exceed 30°C. This is the prime season for swimming, as sea temperatures reach a comfortable 26°C.
September – October: The heat mellows into a pleasant autumn. September remains summer-like, while October sees northern averages dip to 14.5°C. Southern regions stay warmer at 20°C, though nights across the country become chilly, averaging 10°C.

**Weather**

We always suggest referring to an online source for the most up-to-date weather information for your destination/s.

COACH TOUR

**Meals:**

For meals not included, the tour leader (when available) will offer assistance with reservations, suggestions and directions to local restaurants. It is your responsibility to notify us of any dietary requests/ requirements.

*Please note: We will do our best to meet your requests/requirements; however, we cannot guarantee that we will always be able to.*

**Luggage:**

You will be responsible for all your personal belongings whilst on tour. You must carry your own luggage from the vehicle to the hotel room and back to the vehicle. The driver will assist with the uploading and unloading of bags from the vehicle.

OTHER

**Mobility:**

If you require wheelchair access please contact our friendly sales and service team to inquire on your behalf.

**Fitness Level Required:**

Adventure (and spontaneity) create some of the best travel memories. Bear in mind, your home schedules and timings might not be adhered to on tour - it's all part of the fun!
A moderate level of fitness will be required.
Expect a moderate pace of touring with a focus on guided tours that may include full days with extended activity, guided city tours or nature walks. You will require a general level of fitness for unassisted navigation of stairs and inclines, longer distances with possible periods of standing when visiting sites, walking on sloping, uneven ground or elevations. You will be responsible for your own luggage and have the ability to board all modes of transport without assistance.

*Please note: Many areas may be inaccessible to wheelchairs or mobility scooters, where the unassisted use of personal walking sticks and other aids may be required. Although some assistance may be available, every traveller should be self-reliant during all aspects of their travel.*

*Please note: It is expected that every traveller must be self-reliant and able to undertake all aspects of their own travel. Please speak to your booking agent about your personal circumstances and any assistance requirements to ensure this tour is right for you.*

*Please note: If you have any concerns, please consult your healthcare provider prior to purchase/travel.*

**Sightseeing:**

*Please note: If entry to a site is affected by changes in operating hours or public holiday closures, your itinerary, where possible, may be adjusted, or a similar activity will be offered in its place (subject to availability).*

**Shopping:**

Shopping overseas can be a daunting and confusing experience, especially when there is a language barrier. Please be very cautious when foreign currencies and prices are involved. If paying by credit card, please pay close attention to the amount you are being charged and keep all your receipts.
Do not make any purchases you are not comfortable with or feel pressured into. If you are uncertain or need assistance with the language barrier, please seek assistance from your Tour Guide/Leader.
Please refer to our Terms and Conditions regarding shopping for further information.

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## Visas

**European Union Entry/Exit System (EES)**

From October 12, 2025, a new European Entry System (EES) replaced the manual passport-stamping process for non-EU travellers. Upon arrival in the Schengen area, Australian and New Zealand passport holders will have their fingerprints recorded and a photograph taken. Their entry and exit dates will be electronically registered. No previous action is required, but please be aware of longer wait times at border entry. From 10 April 2026, the EES will be fully operational at all external border crossing points of all the European countries (Schengen area) using the system.

**European Travel Information & Authorisation System (ETIAS)**

As an extension of the EES implementation introduced in 2025, ETIAS travel authorisation is a mandatory entry requirement for visa-exempt nationals travelling to any of these 30 European countries, including Australian and New Zealand citizens, that will be introduced in 2026. We advise you to monitor smartraveller.gov.au closer to your departure to ensure you are up to date on the requirements at the time of entry.

*Important:*

- *Please start arranging your visa three weeks before departure to account for any delays due to consulate operating hours.*
- *Visa rules are subject to change. Please check with the nearest embassy, consulate or immigration department of the destination/s you are visiting once you receive your travel documentation to ensure you have the most up to date information.*
- *It is your responsibility to be travel-ready and ensure that you are aware and comply with any destination or travel requirements, including the validity of all required travel documents.*
- *Passengers who are not Australian citizens must also check with the respective consulate or visa agency to determine what their visa requirements are and what personal identification is required.*
- *It is also important to note that some areas of employment, such as journalism, government authorities and charity organisations, may have additional restrictions in applying for visas. This may, in turn, affect the type of application required.*

## Travel Insurance

Embarking on your next trip is exciting, and while you hope the unexpected does not happen, it is best to be prepared. We strongly recommend you take out travel insurance when making your booking. Whether it's a potential medical emergency, a flight cancellation, a delayed suitcase, or an unforeseen event, it's important to ensure you're adequately protected. For more information or advice visit https://www.tripadeal.com.au/travel-insurance

## Schedule Of Fees

**Voluntary Changes**

This includes booking changes requested by you, including but not limited to those changes requiring an airline ticket or a Purchase Confirmation reissue.

- Changes - $100 per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/ cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

**Name Changes Due To Passenger Error**

- If the incorrect name has been provided, charges of $100 per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/ cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

**Supplier Fees**

In the event the tour package you have purchased is unable to proceed, and/or a Travel Supplier is unable to fulfil the tour due to external circumstances (Limitation of Liability e.g. a Force Majeure event), there may be a fee or amount of money that is withheld by our Suppliers and is unrecoverable. This may be due to non-refundable airline tickets, cancellation penalties with cruise cabins or unrecoverable payments with our land/ accommodation partners. If refunds are not available from Suppliers, we will endeavour to obtain a travel credit on the best terms available and communicate these outcomes to you. In the event we are unable to obtain a refund or travel service credit, or part thereof, this cost is passed on to the customer as a Supplier Fee.