



## ANCIENT HISTORY TOUR: ROME

### Day 1 Australia - Italy

Depart Australia on your flights to Italy.

### Day 2 Rome (D)

Enjoy a half-day guided tour of the Forum Romanum and the Palatine Hill. This afternoon, visit Caesar's Forum and the Circus Maximus.

*First night's accommodation in Rome*

### Day 3 Rome (B,D)

Visit the Colosseum, the Arch of Constantine and the Baths of Diocletian this morning as a group. Spend the afternoon exploring the Quirinal Hill.

*Second night's accommodation in Rome*

### Day 4 Tivoli (B,D)

Travel by coach to the ancient seaside resort town of Tivoli, the highlight of which is Hadrian's Villa Adriana. Return to Rome in the evening.

*Third night's accommodation in Rome*

### Day 5 Ostia Antica, Rome (B,PL,D)

Travel by coach to the ancient port town of Ostia. Visit the archaeological park and enjoy a packed lunch. See the Via Appia and the catacombs on your return to Rome in the afternoon.

*Fourth night's accommodation in Rome*

### Day 6 Rome (B,L,D)

Enjoy a guided Culina Romana tour today, including a Roman-style restaurant lunch. Spend a free afternoon exploring Rome further.

*Fifth night's accommodation in Rome*

### Day 7 Rome (B,D)

Spend the morning at the Vatican City, visiting the Vatican museums and St. Peter's Basilica. Enjoy a free afternoon in Rome.

*Sixth night's accommodation in Rome*



### Day 8 Naples (B,L,D)

Travel to Naples. Enjoy a restaurant lunch. Visit the National Archaeological Museum in the afternoon. Continue on to your accommodation at Pozzuoli.

*Overnight accommodation in Pozzuoli*

### Day 9 Campi Flegrei (B,PL,D)

Explore the Campi Flegrei. Visit Pozzuoli, Baia, Cumae and Misenum before arriving in Sorrento this evening.

*First night's accommodation in Sorrento*

### Day 10 Pompeii (B,PL,D)



Enjoy a full-day excursion to Pompeii, including a 2-hour guided tour, packed lunch and a free afternoon exploring the ruins as a group.

*Second night's accommodation in Sorrento*

### Day 11 Capri (B,D)

Catch the ferry to Capri this morning. Spend a full day exploring the island, including a visit to the Villa Iovis.

*Third night's accommodation in Sorrento*

### Day 12 Herculaneum and Vesuvius (B,D)

Travel to Herculaneum and explore the ruined city before driving up Mount Vesuvius this afternoon.

*Fourth night's accommodation in Sorrento*

### Day 13 Paestum, Venusia (B,D)

Enjoy a full-day excursion to the archaeological ruins at Paestum and Venusia. Return to Sorrento in the early evening.

*Fifth night's accommodation in Sorrento*

### Day 14 Sorrento - Taormina (B,PL,D)

Depart the Bay of Naples for Sicily today. Enjoy a packed lunch en route. Arrive in Taormina this evening.

*Overnight accommodation in Taormina area*

### Day 15 Taormina - Syracuse (B,D)

Visit the Greek Theatre in Taormina this morning. Travel to the ancient Greek city-state of Syracuse. Spend a free afternoon in the city.



*First night's accommodation in Syracuse*

### Day 16 Syracuse (B,D)

Spend a free day exploring the Cathedral, Archaeological Museum, Greek Theatre and stone quarries of Syracuse as a group.

*Second night's accommodation in Syracuse*

### Day 17 Syracuse - Agrigento (B,PL,D)

Drive inland to visit the Roman Villa of Cassale near Piazza Armerina. Enjoy a packed lunch. Continue on to the amazing temple complex at Agrigento.

*Overnight accommodation in Agrigento*

### Day 18 Agrigento - Palermo (B,PL,D)

Travel to Palermo via the archaeological parks in Selinunte and her ancient rival city Segesta.

*First night's accommodation in Palermo*

### Day 19 Palermo, Monreale (B,D)

Enjoy a full-day guided tour of Palermo, including a visit to the Archaeological Museum and an excursion to Monreale.

*Second night's accommodation in Palermo*

### Day 20 Palermo, Cefalu (B,L,D)

Enjoy a full-day guided tour of Palermo, including a visit to the Catacombs, a restaurant lunch and an excursion to Cefalu.

*Third night's accommodation in Palermo*

### Day 21 Italy - Australia (B)

After breakfast at your hotel, transfer to the airport for your return flights to Australia.

### Day 22 Australia

Arrive home.



**B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, PL = Packed Lunch, D = Dinner**

**We tailor all tours to meet your specific requirements.**