

TOUR SNAPSHOT

Discover the history, mythology and culture of Greece and Santorini on this 10-day student tour. Admire the beauty of the Corinth Canal, experience a panoramic view spanning 38 miles from the top of the Acrocorinth, and explore Akrotiri, a prehistoric town preserved in ash. Students will observe how Greece's famous olive oil is created, wander through the Monastiraki flea market, and return home with a deep knowledge of the country.

WHATS INCLUDED:



Guided Tours of: Athens, Epidarus, Delphi



Site Visits:

Corinth Canal, Palamidi Fortress, Delphi Archeological site, Acropolis, Kallimarmaro Stadium, Temple of Apollo



Local Tour Leader



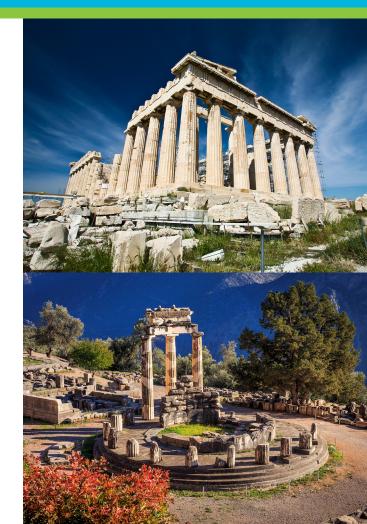
Accommodations
3 Star Centrally Located Hotels



Transportation *Flights, Private Motor Coach, Ferry*



Meals Breakfasts, Dinners





WHY BRIGHTSPARK?

PUTTING YOUR EXPERIENCE FIRST

- Guaranteed Flights and Hotels We confirm the booking of flights and hotels when you submit your deposit to avoid last minute hiccups.
- Centrally Located Accommodations Save hours avoiding long commutes and maximize your time in destination with hotels within the city limits.
- **Private Tours** Personalize your class trip to suit your students needs and be assured that you will never be joined with another group.
- Go, Discover, Inspire You are not a tourist but a traveler. We will expose you and your students to the soul of the destination and ignite their sense of wonder.

EXPERTS IN STUDENT TRAVEL

Our local partnerships allow for personalized tours that are a hybrid of traditional and unconventional.

95% OF TEACHERS LOVE OUR TOURS

60+
YEARS OF
TRAVEL
EXPERIENCE



WE'VE GOT YOU COVERED 24/7 GLOBAL SUPPORT

No matter your destination or itinerary, our state-ofthe-art Operations Centre is designed to proactively protect you and your students during your educational trips around the globe. From the best insurance to advanced incident management software to 24/7 emergency assistance we've got you covered.



"Overall experience from start to finish was fantastic. The kids had a great time and will have memories that will last a lifetime/ Our tour leaders, Phillipe & Adriele went above and beyond getting to know the students and helping us with special requests. Thank you for everything!"

Gatestone Staff & Students, HWDSB

GREECE & SANTORINI - 10 Days | European Student Tour

Day 1: Board your flight to Athens

Day 2: Athens - Loutraki

- Meet with your tour leader at the airport.
- Head out towards Loutraki.
- Detour at the **Corinth Canal**, a 19th century crossroads between the **Égée Sea** and the **Ionienne Sea**.
- Enjoy free time to explore the villages and beaches of Loutraki.

Day 3: Epidaurus - Mycenae - Nafplio - Loutraki

- Start the day exploring the theatre that birthed the Greek tragedy, **Epidaurus**.
- Learn the methods used to produce the country's world famous olive oil at an **Olive Plantation**.
- Travel to Mycenae to see the ancient Acropolis that includes six royal tombs.
- Stop in **Nafplio**, the first capital of Greece, and see a beautiful Venetian fortress overlooking both the city and the Mediterranean.

Day 4: Acrocorinth - Ancient Corinth - Arahova - Delphi

- Experience the largest fortress in the country during the Middle Ages, Acrocorinth, and view a stunning panoramic spanning 38 miles.
- Visit Ancient Corinth and its Temple of Apollo, the Peribolos of Apollo, the ancient theatre and the onsite museum.
- Continue on to Delphi.
- On the way, stop to admire the beautiful mountain village **Arahova**.

Day 5: Delphi - Athens

- Explore the UNESCO World Heritage listed town of Delphi. You will visit the Temple of Apollo, the Delphi Archeological Museum and learn all about Greek mythology and history.
- · Lunch at the restaurant En Delphi.
- Travel to Athens.
 Partake in a "Myths and Legends" quiz to test your knowledge of Greek Mythology.

Day 6: Athens - Fira

- Start the day travelling to the **port of Piraeus** in Athens and embark on a ferry ride to **Santorini**.
- Enjoy free time in the capital, Fira, where you will have the option to explore the port of Skala Fira by hitching a donkey ride to navigate a 580-strong staircase.

Day 7: Akrotiri - Pirgos - Perissa

- Head out to Akrotiri, the best-preserved prehistoric town on the Aegean Sea. The town dates back to 1500 BC and is similar to the city of Pompeii in that it remains intact thanks to a thick layer of volcanic ash.
- Enjoy a motor coach excursion around **Santorini**.
- Stop at **Pirgos**, a charming village known for its labyrinths and medieval flair, for lunch.
- Free time on the black sand **Perissa** beach.

Day 8: Kaimenes Islands - Fira - Athens

- Set sail on your cruise to the volcanic Kaimenes Islands.
- Free time in the center of Fira.
- Wander back to your cruise ship and head back to Athens.

Day 9: Athens

- Begin the day with a walking panoramic tour of the Acropolis and its museum where you will see the many famous Caryatide statues.
- Transfer to **Agora**, the heart of financial and political life in ancient Greece.
- Take a trip to the Monastiraki flea market, where the country's many wonderful sights, smells and sounds come to life.
- Experience **Syntagma**, a national garden where you will observe the Evzone guards on duty.
- Explore the massive **Kallimarmaro Stadium**, which accommodates up to 60,000 spectators.

Day 10: Depart to the airport for your flight home

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