WONDERGREECE

Voreades: Tinos, art, nature, history

Plan Days 4

Tinos: an island rich in natural beauty, even more rich history and vibrant culture.



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Day 1

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1. Port of Tinos

About region / Access & Useful info

Απόσταση:
Start -
Χρόνος:
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GPS: N37.53860837178717, W25.1577120724304



2. Voreades

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.3km
Χρόνος:
04΄

GPS: N37.53947611693981, W25.15858379036024

Note: Welcome to Tinos! In a few minutes from the port you will be at Voreades!



3. Stavros

Nature / Beaches

Απόσταση:
on foot 1.2km
Χρόνος:
14΄

GPS: N37.54470364243599, W25.149086088238505

Note: Get ready for your first dive! Nearby, even on foot, you can swim at Stavros Bay, below the picturesque chapel. One of the most protected places from the etesian (meltemia) summer winds.



4. Kionia

Nature / Beaches

Απόσταση:
by car 1.6km
Χρόνος:
02΄

GPS: N37.55239127199477, W25.138695152114906

Note: If you want larger beach, at short distance from Stavros will reach Kionia. Great beach with sand and pebbles, with many trees for shade and organized sections with umbrellas and sunbeds. Along the beach you will find restaurants where you can taste Tinian flavors, artichokes, cheeses, louza, sausages and of course local wine and raki.



5. Temple of Poseidon

Culture / Archaelogical sites

Απόσταση:
by car 0.3km
Χρόνος:
03΄

GPS: N37.55195747584295, W25.142219574760475

Note: Since you will be in Kionia, worth visiting the Temple of Poseidon and Amphitrite. Just above the beach, a temple of particular importance as it was the purification point before the visit to the sanctuary of Delos.



6. Tinos - Chora

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 2.8km
Χρόνος:
06΄

GPS: N37.54053100921106, W25.162282556591776

Note: Afternoon walk in Tinos Town. Beyond the coastal track and the alley of the Evangelistria that goes up to Panagia (Virgin Mary), worth discovering the picturesque district of Chora over Palada. 2-storey houses, cobbled streets and flowery courtyards.



7. Cultural Foundation of Tinos

Culture / Museums

Location:
Tinos

Contact:
T: (+30) 22830 24742-3

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.7km
Χρόνος:
10΄

GPS: N37.535919999171355, W25.163784593640116

Note: On your seaside walk make a stop at the Cultural Foundation. Apart from the permanent exhibition of the famous sculptor Giannoulis Chalepas, you may see some of the many temporary exhibitions presented here.



8. Voreades

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.8km
Χρόνος:
09΄

GPS: N37.53947611693981, W25.15858379036024

Note: For those in mood for night rides, the bars of Chora bar are 300 meters away!

Day 2

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1. Voreades

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
Start -
Χρόνος:
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GPS: N37.53947611693981, W25.15858379036024

Note: Good morning!! Time for breakfast! Gain energy... begins the exploration of Exo Meria of the island!



2. Kalivia

Nature / Beaches

Απόσταση:
by car 16.0km
Χρόνος:
27′

GPS: N37.591798635122736, W25.07352289587095

Note: Kalivia! A favorite choice for the first swim of the day. On the way towards there you can alternatively choose the beach of Agios Romanos or Apigania were you have to walk a little bit. Kalivia have trees and sun loungers as well as a beach bar for the necessary drinks necessary!



3. Kardiani

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 5.2km
Χρόνος:
1h09′

GPS: N37.60497920135681, W25.075030926983572

Note: Ascend in Kardiani that will surely get your heart! Cross the village from the first entrance of the square with the plane trees (yes strange, plane trees in Cyclades!!) to the Agia Triada church that has a courtyard with great views. The walk to Kardiani can be combined with a stop for coffee or lunch at the 2 shops of the village.



4. Pyrgos

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 14.0km
Χρόνος:
23′

GPS: N37.64020193726721, W25.04083213239744

Note: Next stop, Pyrgos! The village of marble carving! Walk around the neighborhoods and see as in a museum the works of local sculptors (lintels, courtyards, fountains, sculptures). Here you will find the home of Giannoulis Chalepas, which now serves as a museum and the Museum of Marble. Finish your tour ideally under the plane tree in the village square! Coffee, food or sweets... the choices are many!



5. Giannoulis Chalepas Museum

Culture / Museums

Note: A museum worth visiting both for the history and folklore idea since it has been preserved as then.

Location:
Pyrgos

Contact:
T: (+30) 22830 31262

Απόσταση:
by car 8.9km
Χρόνος:
14΄

GPS: N37.6397623376785, W25.040814939881102



6. Museum of Marble

Culture / Museums

Note: A concise museum with rich material for the history, techniques and marble art. A visit will give you a complete picture of the atmosphere of the island since the marble quarries and marble carving were at their zenith.

Location:
Pyrgos

Contact:
T: (+30) 22830 31290

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.0km
Χρόνος:
00΄

GPS: N37.64069893700656, W25.040789217053202



7. Agia Thalassa

Nature / Beaches

Note: Afternoon swim in the bay of Panormos! Choose the Agia Thalassa for the tranquility and views of Panormos! For those with an appetite for exploring, a short trail takes you to Kavalourko beach, apart from its natural beauty, has also a surprise!

Απόσταση:
by car 4.3km
Χρόνος:
09΄

GPS: N37.65920668020629, W25.05967355146481



8. Kavalourko

Nature / Beaches

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.1km
Χρόνος:
00΄

GPS: N37.661037023419034, W25.062082175160185



9. Aeolus

Culture / Monuments & sights

Note: In harmony with nature!

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.0km
Χρόνος:
00΄

GPS: N37.65986917623193, W25.0615806020744



10. Panormos

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 2.0km
Χρόνος:
06΄

GPS: N37.65124559188487, W25.050981611309794

Note: The sunset fits nicely to Panormos, with the colors of the sunset! At night, the lights of the village reflect the sea, creating a great atmosphere for walk and why not eat at seaside restaurants of the village.



11. Isternia

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
on foot 6.9km
Χρόνος:
1h28΄

GPS: N37.6220527, W25.05295560000002

Note: Exploring Exo Meria closes with Isternia! Perched on the mountainside, overlooking the sea! Enjoy a drink at the natural balcony at the Aegean sea... if combined with a big moon... the atmosphere is magical!



12. Voreades

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
by car 18.1km
Χρόνος:
30΄

GPS: N37.53947611693981, W25.15858379036024

Day 3

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1. Voreades

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
Start -
Χρόνος:
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GPS: N37.53947611693981, W25.15858379036024

Note: Today is the day exploring the villages!



2. Dovecotes

Culture / Monuments & sights

Απόσταση:
by car 8.4km
Χρόνος:
13΄

GPS: N37.580109205215216, W25.143348954300677

Note: You will find many dovecotes in Tinos! In Tarampado, though, will find a cluster of well kept dovecotes, at the glen of the village that looks like a painting!



3. Monastery and Faculty of Ursuline

Culture / Monuments & sights

Location:
Loutra

Απόσταση:
by car 4.2km
Χρόνος:
07΄

GPS: N37.585425277155196, W25.160512409786975

Note: A special attraction not found elsewhere! Visit the Ursulines and take a journey through time. Monastery and school of girls who came from France to study enclosed in Loutra village. The school no longer work but the main premises have been maintained and now a part of it can be visited.



4. Kolimpithra

Nature / Beaches

Απόσταση:
by car 7.3km
Χρόνος:
12΄

GPS: N37.63091380840148, W25.145531967950433

Note: A beach offering different experiences! Depending on the wind direction, you will either swim in the calm waters or you will play with the waves when north winds blowing, as the beach is famous for surf and paddle surf.



5. Volax (Volakas)

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 9.6km
Χρόνος:
16΄

GPS: N37.59215696804414, W25.1780494497375

Note: In the afternoon walk in Volakas! A village built between huge granite rocks! Weird but impressive geological

phenomenon! The village has also a tradition in basketry. You will meet artisans either clean wickers and canes either knit their materials creating various basket designs. On your walk to the village will keep you company the poetry of Solomos, Kalvos, Kavafi and other... you will meet a very pleasant art intervention in the village! On your way for Volakas, worth a detour for the Agapi village!



6. Monastery of Koimisi of the Theotokos

Culture / Churches & Monasteries

Απόσταση:
by car 6.9km
Χρόνος:
13΄

GPS: N37.56323184798835, W25.181942881970144



7. Arnados

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 0.7km
Χρόνος:
09΄

GPS: N37.5634232, W25.18730729999993

Note: Wandering in the villages continue with 3 villages within walking distance! Alleys, steps, squares and medieval arches and all with views of the sea from above! In all the villages you will find choices for lunch or coffee.



8. Triantaros

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 2.8km
Χρόνος:
05΄

GPS: N37.55992639999999, W25.192275999999993



9. Dio Horia

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 1.8km
Χρόνος:
04΄

GPS: N37.5623814, W25.197210100000007

Note: In the village square, the oregano celebration takes place at summer! If you are on the island do not miss it. Appetizers with oregano, local wine and raki and dancing under the plane trees!



10. Tinos - Chora

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 8.8km
Χρόνος:
17΄

GPS: N37.54053100921106, W25.162282556591776



11. Voreades

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
by car 0.6km
Χρόνος:
08΄

GPS: N37.53947611693981, W25.15858379036024

Day 4

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1. Voreades

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
Start -
Χρόνος:
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GPS: N37.53947611693981, W25.15858379036024



2. Agios Fokas

Nature / Beaches

Απόσταση:
by car 2.4km
Χρόνος:
34΄

GPS: N37.529071017074486, W25.183021396694926

Note: Swimming in Agios Fokas! A wide beach that offers calm places and beach bars!



3. Tinos - Chora

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 2.8km
Χρόνος:
08΄

GPS: N37.54053100921106, W25.162282556591776



4. Archaeological Museum

Culture / Museums

Location:
Tinos

Contact:
T: (+30) 22830 29063

Απόσταση:
by car 0.0km
Χρόνος:
00΄

GPS: N37.54049485387616, W25.161869496403483

Note: Tinos by being opposite Delos flourished in antiquity. Samples of that culture will see at the Archaeological museum.



5. Panagia Evangelistria

Culture / Churches & Monasteries

Location:
Tinos

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.3km
Χρόνος:
03΄

GPS: N37.54261097484161, W25.16273316770628

Note: Whether you are religious or not, worth a visit to Panagia to see the temple with hundreds of elaborate offerings.



6. Museums of Evangelistria

Culture / Museums

Note: The church of Panagia has 6 museums where you can see local artists such as Giannoulis Chalepas, Filippotis, Sohos, Lytras, Gizis, Gaitis and others.

Location:
Tinos

Contact:
T: (+30) 22830 22256

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.1km
Χρόνος:
01΄

GPS: N37.54243232976475, W25.162888735829142



7. Tripotamos

About region / Main cities & villages

Note: In the afternoon ascend to Exomvourgo! On the way make a stop in the picturesque Tripotamos.

Απόσταση:
by car 4.8km
Χρόνος:
07΄

GPS: N37.5703293, W25.16797280000003



8. Exomvourgo

Culture / Castles

Note: Unique sunset from Exomvourgo. You will see the Aegean islands flooded by the colors of sunset.

Απόσταση:
by car 7.5km
Χρόνος:
14΄

GPS: N37.577439918674905, W25.167620996325695

Tinos

Access

By boat: The island of Tinos is located relatively close to Piraeus port, since the distance with a speed boat is just 3,5 hours and with a ferry boat 5 hours. There are itineraries from and to Tinos available from the ports of Piraeus, Rafina (4 hours with the ferry or 2,5 with speedboat), Andros, Mykonos and Syros.

By plane: There isn't an airport in Tinos. You could use the airport of a nearby island, such as Syros or Mykonos and then with a boat reach Tinos. If you want to travel to Tinos in August, it would be better if you booked your plane or boat tickets early, since a lot of people visit the island because the celebration of 15th of August, the holiday of the Virgin Mary.
www.hcaa-eleng.gr/greek/airports/syros/syros.html
Athens Airport: (+30) 210 3530000

Local transportations

For your local transportations you can use Tinos Buses. There are often itineraries that connect Chora with the island's villages and beaches. If you decide to rent a car, the road network of the island is really good and will help you explore the island.
You can get itineraries information in the website: www.kteltinou.gr

Useful telephone numbers

Health Services
Ambulances: 166
Health Center of Tinos: (+30) 22830 22210, 23781-3
Health Center of Pyrgos: (+30) 22830 31831
Municipality
City Hall of Tinos: (+30) 22833 60100-5
Police Authorities
Police: 100
Police Department of Chora: (+30) 22830 22100, 22255
Tourist Police: (+30) 22830 23670
Port Authorities
Port Authority of Tinos: (+30) 22830 22348, 22220
Port Authority of Piraeus: (+30) 210 226000-4
Fire Services, Forestry
Fire Service: 199
Fire Service of Tinos: (+30) 22830 23129
Transportations
Tinos Buses: (+30) 22830 22440
Tinos: (+30) 22830 22470
Pyrgos: (+30) 6977446176