WONDERGREECE

Gea Villas: Family holidays in Lefkada!

Plan Days 5

Carefree holiday to Gea Villas with the family! A place you feel at home close to town and a great base to explore the beaches, the culture and the good food.

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Day 1

WONDERGREECE

1. Lefkada

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
Start -
Χρόνος:
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GPS: N38.82988950638336, W20.70038766767584

2. Gea Villas

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
by car 6.2km
Χρόνος:
10΄

GPS: N38.787726, W20.71648600000003

Note: Welcome to Lefkada and Gea Villas! Once settled in your villa, get ready for your first acquaintance with the coastal Ligia.

3. Ligia

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.7km
Χρόνος:
09΄

GPS: N38.7863109, W20.721172000000024

4. Nikiana

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 3.2km
Χρόνος:
04΄

GPS: N38.7601727, W20.71835120000003

Note: Take your first dip in the beach of Nikiana, here in the east of the island, where the waters are most suitable for families.

5. Gea Villas

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
by car 3.9km
Χρόνος:
05΄

GPS: N38.787726, W20.71648600000003

Note: After the first swim, return to Gea Villas. Prepare your lunch in the kitchen of your villa and relax after your trip.

6. Lefkada

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 6.1km
Χρόνος:
10΄

GPS: N38.82988950638336, W20.70038766767584

Note: Time for getting to know the city. A 10-minute drive from Gea Villas is the town of Lefkada. Walk along it, get lost in its alleys and enjoy your walk on the beach as the sun falls.

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7. Phonograph Museum

Culture / Museums

Location:
Lefkada

Contact:
T: (+30) 26450 21088, 6997493010

Απόσταση:
on foot 1.0km
Χρόνος:
12΄

GPS: N38.83329108270459, W20.70838601495825

Note: Visit definitely the Gramophone Museum, Mr. Takis will be happy to show you around and tell you many stories about the objects collected and play lantern in children.

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8. Kato Vrisi

Food, Shops & Rentals / Food

Contact:
T: (+30) 26450 21811

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.2km
Χρόνος:
02΄

GPS: N38.8345025, W20.709423000000015

Note: At the beginning of the "market" on the pedestrian street, you will find the well-known traditional tavern "Kato Vrisi", taste the well-cooked Lefkadian cuisine and the dishes of the day.

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9. Gea Villas

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
by car 6.2km
Χρόνος:
11΄

GPS: N38.787726, W20.71648600000003

Note: Return for rest. Relax on the veranda of your villa overlooking the starry sky of Lefkada.

Day 2

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1. Gea Villas

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
Start -
Χρόνος:
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GPS: N38.787726, W20.71648600000003

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2. Mikros Gialos

Nature / Beaches

Απόσταση:
by car 24.7km
Χρόνος:
34′

GPS: N38.6394759, W20.695643399999994

Note: The exploration of the eastern side starts with a dip in Mikro Gialos! In the gently sloping bay of Rouda, Mikros Gialos is an ideal beach for families with young children, as here - almost always - the sea is calm in contrast to the beaches to the west. The beach here is organized and you will find what you need. After the bath, sit down for lunch.

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3. Molos

Food, Shops & Rentals / Food

Contact:
T: (+30) 26450 95548

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.4km
Χρόνος:
05′

GPS: N38.63872014219392, W20.699892975601983

Note: Molos is a family tavern with real homemade food. Daily dishes are prepared on the list of local products, as well as 2-3 different dishes of the day! Perfect lunch by the sea!

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4. Sivota

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 12.9km
Χρόνος:
21′

GPS: N38.6236468, W20.68146980000006

Note: Continue to the beautiful Sivota of Lefkada. Sivota is a picturesque fishing village with the colors of the Ionian Islands. They have a bay, sheltered harbor for sailors who prefer it for their walks.

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5. Liotrivi Cafe / gallery

Food, Shops & Rentals / Drink

Note: Sit in the very beautiful Liotrivi and overlooking the sailing boats, drink your coffee or juice. Do not forget to take a look at the gallery of the shop with handmade items.

Contact:
T: (+30) 26450 31870, 6977315961

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.4km
Χρόνος:
05΄

GPS: N38.62180354387492, W20.68446568161471

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6. Gea Villas

Accommodation

Note: Return to Ligia and relax!

Απόσταση:
by car 26.7km
Χρόνος:
34΄

GPS: N38.787726, W20.71648600000003

Day 3

WONDERGREECE

1. Gea Villas

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
Start -
Χρόνος:
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GPS: N38.787726, W20.71648600000003

Note: Take your breakfast and get ready for a busy day of activities. Do not forget your swimsuits!

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2. Dimosari

Nature / Gorges

Απόσταση:
by car 13.4km
Χρόνος:
20΄

GPS: N38.72383982831473, W20.68806152519528

Note: Drive up to Dimosari just above Nydri and walk along the path to the waterfalls, it is not far and the route will excite both young and old.

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3. Nydri waterfalls (Dimosari)

Nature / Waterfalls

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.5km
Χρόνος:
08΄

GPS: N38.721387011969874, W20.69271899453736

Note: Admire the waterfalls and the more adventurous dive into the icy waters of the small pond that is formed.

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4. Nydri

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 4.1km
Χρόνος:
08΄

GPS: N38.7099952, W20.714116399999966

Note: Take a stroll in Nydri, walk to the port, see the statue of Aristotle Onassis, opposite the island of Aristotle Valaoritis and Agia Kyriaki in Geni. We suggest taking a small cruise ship to Ithaca (Kioni), Kefalonia (Fiskardo), Spilia Papanikoli (Meganisi) and the fantastic beaches of the west side of the island.

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5. Ligia

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 10.1km
Χρόνος:
13΄

GPS: N38.7863109, W20.721172000000024

Note: After a busy day, return to your base Ligia. Here you will find very good dining options. One of the best is Makis with a 15% discount for those staying at Gea Villas!

6. Gea Villas

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.9km
Χρόνος:
11΄

GPS: N38.787726, W20.71648600000003

Day 4

WONDERGREECE

1. Gea Villas

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
Start -
Χρόνος:
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GPS: N38.787726, W20.71648600000003

Note: Today start early to get a taste from the west side of Lefkada, famous for its famous beaches and crystal clear waters.

2. Agios Nikitas

Nature / Beaches

Απόσταση:
by car 17.4km
Χρόνος:
23′

GPS: N38.79012241219053, W20.613212604754608

Note: One of the most famous parts of the island and not unfairly Agios Nikitas. This seaside settlement with the beautiful beach and the paved main road where cars are banned has been officially designated as a traditional settlement. Take a swim and enjoy the Ionian Sea.

3. Exanthia

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 11.7km
Χρόνος:
19′

GPS: N38.7573995, W20.618978800000036

Note: Then go south and up to the mountain to see the view from above. A beautiful village, Exanthia hides a surprise!

4. Rachi, food & more

Food, Shops & Rentals / Food

Contact:
T: (+30) 26450 99439

Απόσταση:
on foot 0.3km
Χρόνος:
04′

GPS: N38.758228, W20.61682799999994

Note: Ask for "Rachi" in Exanthia, but maybe you can easily find it from the cars that are raided at the entrance. If you are lucky and find a table here, you will experience one of the most beautiful experiences of the island. Your view is breathtaking, as the balcony is floating above the clouds. The wonderful menu and the sunset unique!

5. Kathisma

Nature / Beaches

Απόσταση:
by car 11.1km
Χρόνος:
19΄

GPS: N38.7761651, W20.60007070000006

Note: Afternoon bath in Kathisma, one of the largest and organized beaches on the west of the island.

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6. Psaropoula

Food, Shops & Rentals / Food

Contact:
T: (+30) 2645 097471, 6977593683

Απόσταση:
by car 10.9km
Χρόνος:
16΄

GPS: N38.821090101084785, W20.65580479888081

Note: Shortly before returning to your villa, stop at Tsoukalades and enjoy fresh fish in Psaropoula's courtyard. Family-friendly tavern, beyond good food, since the garden away from the street has plenty of room for children to play comfortably.

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7. Gea Villas

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
by car 10.9km
Χρόνος:
16΄

GPS: N38.787726, W20.71648600000003

Note: Another full day came to an end. Return to your base and enjoy the rest of the evening from your balcony overlooking the sea!

Day 5

1. Gea Villas

Accommodation

Απόσταση:
Start -
Χρόνος:
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GPS: N38.787726, W20.71648600000003

Note: Last breakfast in your villa. Enjoy a last swim in the pool!

2. Lefkada

About region / Main cities & villages

Απόσταση:
by car 6.1km
Χρόνος:
10΄

GPS: N38.82988950638336, W20.70038766767584

Note: Leaving make a stop in the city, shop Lefkada salami, lentils Eglouvi and Rozelle drink. On the market you will definitely find other beautiful items to buy to remember your wonderful days on the island.

3. Windmills in Gira

Culture / Monuments & sights

Απόσταση:
by car 2.3km
Χρόνος:
28΄

GPS: N38.83931657192698, W20.680989932080138

Note: Shortly before reaching the floating bridge, take a stroll around the lagoon, see the windmills at Gira and Agios Ioannis beach.

4. Castle Agia Mavra

Culture / Castles

Location: Lefkada

Απόσταση:
by car 4.3km
Χρόνος:
06΄

GPS: N38.84474664691186, W20.720504869836418

Note: Finally, the island farewell to you, with the castle of Agia Mavra. Take a last stop and explore it. See you again!

Lefkada

Access

By car: Lefkada is the only island which can be visited by car without ferry boats fares by using the floating bridge connecting the island with Akarnia. KTEL buses offer daily services (5 hours) from and to Athens (378 km) and from to Thessaloniki (420 km), everyday bus services (5 hours).
The underwater tunnel of Preveza- Aktio create an easy access to the island from northwest Greece and the Port of Igoumenitsa (100 km) forming a great entrance gate from West and Central Europe.
The operation of the bridge Rio Antirio makes easier the connection of the island with the rest of Greece and with the port of Piraeus (170 km) which is the second great entrance gate from Europe.

By plane: From Athens are performing daily flights from the international airport of Aktion (18km from the town of Lefkada) and from Thessalonica 2 flights weekly. Corfu, Kefalonia and Zakynthos are connecting stations. Also there are 2 connecting flights weekly with Crete (Sitia). From April until October, direct flightsare performed from Aktion and Europe.

By boat: From Nydri to Vassiliki you can find daily ferry boats services for Meganissi, Kefalonia (Fiskardo), Ithaka (Frikes). Also there are tours with tourist boats for all the surrounding island and beaches.

Useful telephone numbers

Health Services
Emergency call: 166
General Hospital Lefkada: (+30) 26453 60100-300
Municipalities
Municipality of Lefkada: (+30) 26453 60500-8
Municipality of Sfakiotes: (+30) 26453 61400
Municipality of Apollonia: (+30) 26453 61000
Municipality of Ellomenos: (+30) 26453 61100
Police Authorities
Emergency Police call: 100
Police station Lefkada: (+30) 26450 29370, 29375
Tourist police: (+30) 26450 29379
Port Authorities
Port authority Lefkada: (+30) 26450 22176, 22322
Port authority Nydri: (+30) 26450 92509
Fire Services, Forestry
Emergency Fire Service: 199
Fire service Lefkada: (+30) 26450 22555, 22199
Forestry Lefkada: (+30) 26450 24434
Transportation
Bus station: (+30) 26450 22364
Taxi Lefkada: (+30) 26450 21200 24600
Taxi Nydri: (+30) 26450 92000