

Naxos



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Naxos is the largest, highest and greenest island in the Cyclades, with soaring mountains, fertile valleys, imposing gorges, stunning seascapes and secluded villages where the inhabitants still wear traditional dress and live off the fruits of the land. Naxos is also an island of beautiful old churches, monasteries and Venetian castles, all coexisting harmoniously with local cubic houses built in the Cycladic style. The entirety of the island's southwest coastline forms one long, sandy beach, separated by small headlands and perfect for exploring at a leisurely pace.

Must-see

The contrast of white-washed Cycladic houses with mountainous village retreats

Best location for accommodation

Stelida, Plaka, Naxos Town

Getting there

45' flight from Athens

Best connected with

Ferry to Cyclades:
Santorini, Mykonos, Paros, Koufonisi

Seasonality

May to September

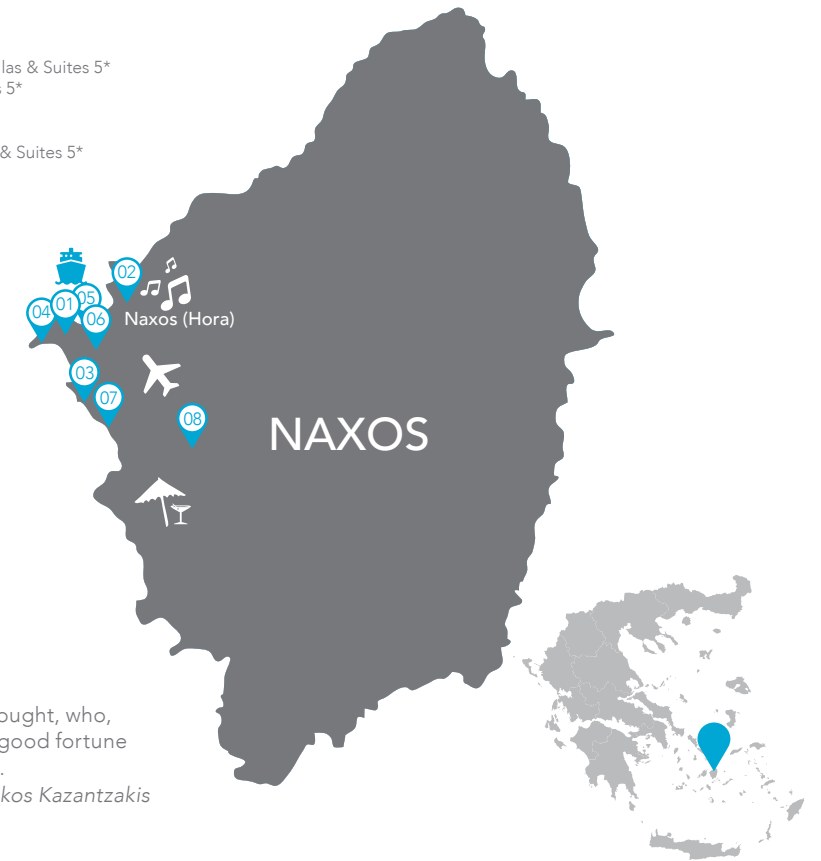
Price Manual

Affordable = starting from 300 Euro
Moderate = starting from 450 Euro
Deluxe = starting from 600 Euro
Premium = starting from 800 Euro

Eclectic Tips:

- Don't miss the ancient portal of the Temple of Apollo, enjoying a prominent position on an islet to the north of Naxos Town.
- Orkos Beach is a haven for windsurfers and kitesurfers, who exploit the steady meltemi winds to great effect!
- Foodies should look out for traditional products including the Naxos potato and sweet, buttery Naxos Graviera cheese.
- Visitors should not miss the picturesque villages of Apeiranthos and Chalki among others.

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Happy is the man, I thought, who, before dying, has the good fortune to sail the Aegean sea.

Nikos Kazantzakis





Naxian Collection Luxury Villas & Suites 5*









Description: The ultra-chic, minimalist suites and villas of this property blend sophisticated design and relaxed island hospitality and include an organic vegetable garden, extensive wine cellar and idyllic views of Naxos Town.

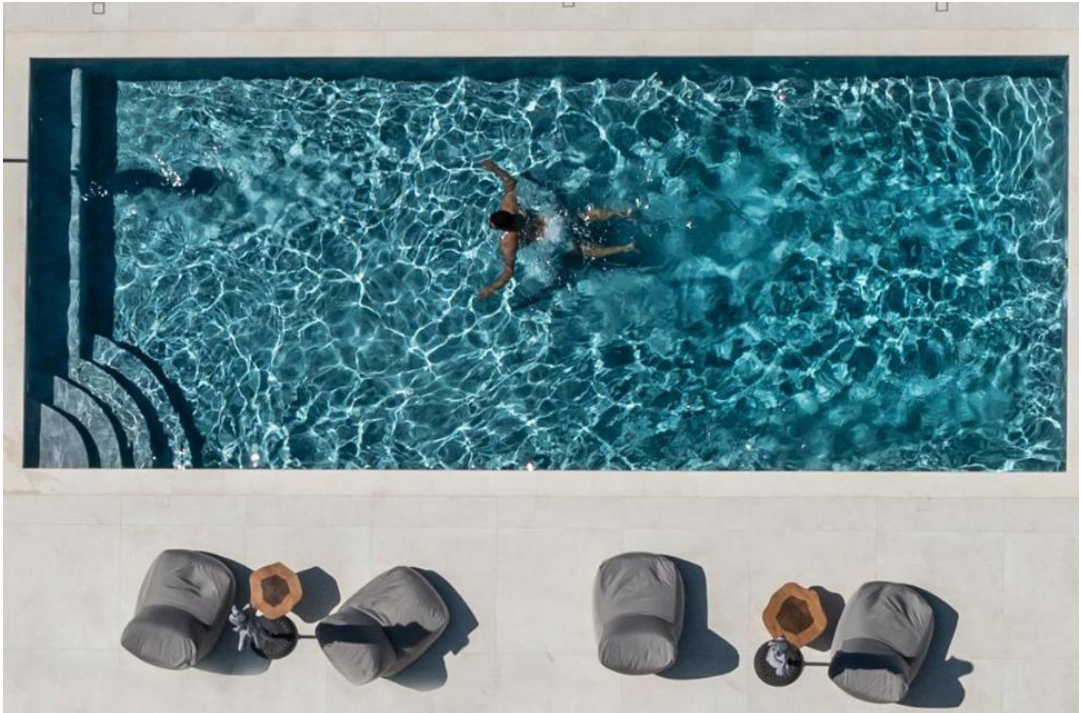
Location: A hilltop location in Stelida, an 8’ drive from the main town and 5’ drive from Agios Prokopios Beach, with its golden sand and calm, protected waters.

Eclectic Tip: Whilst the hotel does not have a restaurant, private dinners can be arranged in the wine cellar or around the hotel’s al fresco monastic dining table.

www.naxiancollection.com/en/







BASIC INFO

	LOCATION Stelida
	RESTAURANTS N/A
	SWIMMING POOL Yes
	SPA Massage Upon Request
	TWIN BEDS Limited Availability
	ROOM RATE Deluxe



El Mar Naxos Luxury Suites & Villas 5*

BASIC INFO

	LOCATION Naxos town
	RESTAURANTS No
	SWIMMING POOL Yes
	SPA YES
	TWIN BEDS No
	ROOM RATE Moderate

Description: Introducing your retreat in Naxos: El Mar Suites & Villas. Here, tranquility reigns supreme. Experience breathtaking views, impeccable service, and luxurious accommodations, culminating in an unforgettable escape.

Location: Nestled atop the cliffs of Naxos Town, El Mar offers the epitome of sought-after location, mere meters from the bustling town center.

Eclectic Tip: Exclusivity is the new luxury. A personal touch into all services, starting from the delicious homemade breakfast always prepared with local products.

www.elmar-naxos.com



Ammothines 5*

Description: Perfectly set in the coastline front, only a breath away from the crystal-clear turquoise waters of Plaka beach, with golden sand dunes lapping on the hotel's premises and privileged beach services, Ammothines is the brand-new Naxos Hotel that celebrates natural serenity with playful mindfulness. Traditional architecture elements and emblematic materials, like the white local marble, meet sustainable design allowing an elegant blend of soft earthy textures and mindful simplicity.

Location: Ammothines Hotel is located at Plaka beach, Naxos.

Eclectic Tip: You can attend the culinary events and cooking lessons, as hands-on cooking and baking in the hotel's traditional wooden-fire oven. Or you can attend the sunset wine and cheese tasting waiting for the incredible Greek Sunset!

www.ammothinesnaxos.com

BASIC INFO

	LOCATION Plaka Beach
	RESTAURANTS Yes
	SWIMMING POOL Yes
	SPA No (Gym only)
	TWIN BEDS Yes
	ROOM RATE Moderate



18 Grapes 5*

Description: An all-suite boutique hotel epitomizing the essence of Cycladic living. Each suite is a fine sample of leading design and comfort, allowing guests to unwind and indulge in the carefree island vibes.

Location: Only 200 m away from the breathtaking Agios Prokopios Beach, with its golden sand and calm, protected waters. A short, 12' drive to Naxos Town.

Eclectic Tip: Stretch and unwind with a program of professionally led yoga or pilates classes, available upon request.

www.18grapes.com

BASIC INFO

	LOCATION Agios Prokopios
	RESTAURANTS Yes
	SWIMMING POOL Yes
	SPA Treatments Upon Request
	TWIN BEDS Yes
	ROOM RATE Moderate



Naxian Utopia Luxury Villas & Suites 5*

BASIC INFO

LOCATION
Stelida

RESTAURANTS
Yes

SWIMMING POOL
Yes

SPA
Massage Only

TWIN BEDS
Yes

ROOM RATE
Moderate

Description: The ultimate choice for luxury accommodation in Naxos! Cycladic architecture and traditional craftsmanship blend harmoniously with discreet luxury, contemporary design and personalized amenities, guaranteeing unique and memorable vacation experiences.

Location: A hilltop location in Stelida, an 8’ drive from the main town and 5’ drive from Agios Prokopios Beach, with its golden sand and calm, protected waters.

Eclectic Tip: Families can opt for a 2 or 3 bedroom villa with private pool, whilst the hotel can arrange professional babysitting services upon request and even deliver your favorite newspaper every morning!

www.naxianutopia.com



Naxian Rhapsody 5*

BASIC INFO

LOCATION
Stelida

RESTAURANTS
Yes (at the sister property, next-door)

SWIMMING POOL
No

SPA
Yes

TWIN BEDS
No

ROOM RATE
Deluxe

Description: Naxian Rhapsody beckons just steps from the renowned Naxian beaches, striking the perfect balance between proximity and serenity. Nestled away from the bustle, it promises the tranquil escape we all crave during our cherished holiday moments—a harmonious melody for the soul.

Location: Located in a lunar landscape, featuring awe-inspiring, smooth rocks with plenty of horizontal layering. Rhapsody is only 5’ drive from the main town and Agios Prokopios beach.

Eclectic Tip: Embrace nature and the Naxian’s Rhapsody lifestyle and feel what life is all about!

www.naxianrhapsody.com



Naxian on the Beach 4 *



Description: Exclusively for couples, this boho-chic hotel offers breakfast in bed, beachfront dinners, complimentary sun-beds and a relaxed yet luxurious atmosphere perfect for getting away from it all.

Location: A lovely location in the village of Plaka, just 10 m from the beach and a 12’ drive to Naxos Town.

Eclectic Tip: While Plaka Beach may be one of the most buzzing spots on the island, this hotel has a quiet corner with its own sun-beds so guests can enjoy the sunshine in peace and quiet.

www.naxianonthebeach.com

BASIC INFO

	LOCATION Plaka
	RESTAURANTS Beach Bar Only
	SWIMMING POOL N/A
	SPA Massage Upon Request
	TWIN BEDS N/A
	ROOM RATE Moderate



La Grande Vue Suites 4*

BASIC INFO

	LOCATION Vivlos
	RESTAURANTS No
	SWIMMING POOL Private pools only
	SPA Mini
	TWIN BEDS No
	ROOM RATE Moderate

Description: Discover a luxurious boutique bioclimatic retreat on Naxos Island, boasting four cave suites each with its own private pool. Embracing Cycladic-inspired architecture, and framed by panoramic vistas of the sparkling Aegean Sea and breathtaking surroundings, it offers an unparalleled holiday experience.

Location: Situated on the west of the island of Naxos with elevated views across the Aegean Sea. 20 minutes’ drive from Naxos town and port.

Eclectic Tip: Explore Naxos, the largest Cycladic Island, with lush landscapes, charming Greek villages, and ancient landmarks. Rent a car for convenient island exploration.

www.lagrandevue.gr



NAXOS ANTIQUITY & BEYOND TOUR

Enjoy a panoramic tour of the island, taking in all the main sights including the traditional ceramic workshops of Damalas, the Cycladic mansions of Halki, the marble streets of Apeiranthos and the ancient Kouros statues in Flerio.

Private Activity | Duration: 4 hours

Eclectic Tip: Be sure to make a stop at the beautiful Byzantine church of Panagia Protothroni and it's fantastic (and fragrant!) citrus distillery.



Naxos is famous since ancient times for being fertile and producing various agricultural products like olives, and high-quality wine.



ORGANIC WOOD – COOKING EXPERIENCE

Imagine a place where time seems to have stopped. A small family farm, once owned by the Venetian ruler of Naxos in the 15th century, which still has no electricity, so everything is slow-cooked over wood-fire.. Mrs Juliana will teach you how to cook 4 traditional Greek recipes. Make sure to savor every moment.

Private Activity | Duration: 4 hours

Eclectic Tip: At this farm was filmed Mr Anthony Bourdain's episode from Naxos for his series "Parts Unknown" and Mrs. Juliana was responsible for charming Bourdain's palate with her traditional recipes.



From the local Naxian sweets "Brunette" stands out which contains a small amount of citrus and is served with ice cream made from sheep's milk.



CATAMARAN CRUISE AROUND NAXOS & SMALL CYCLADES

Visit Naxos' most beautiful secluded beaches and coves on this memorable day cruise, including a traditional lunch onboard plus 3-4 stops for swimming, snorkeling and underwater photographs. 6 different routes around the island are available, depending on the weather conditions.

Private or Shared Activity | Duration: 9-10 hours

Eclectic Tip: Opt for a private cruise and choose the departure time, duration, lunch, destinations and stops to suit yourself!

CYCLADIC WINE TASTING

The wine will be our protagonist and we will try to find some delicious mezedes (small dishes) to combine with. We are going to walk around the capital and visit the best ambassadors of local gastronomy. Naxian wines with traditional recipes and then Cycladic labels with modern cuisine's dishes.

Private Activity | Duration: 4 hours

Eclectic Tip: At the end, you will enjoy dessert and try local liqueur Kitron.



Golden stretches of sand, crystal clear waters, and charming taverns & bars are only a few reasons to go island-hopping in the Small Cyclades.



ORGANIC GREEK FAMILY TABLE

Hosted by a local family, learn to prepare a typical Greek meal, with a menu designed around vegetables currently in season. Based on traditional recipes passed down from generation to generation, the hostess will add her personal touch to the meal and guests will get a glimpse of everyday life on a Cycladic island.

Private or Shared Activity | Duration: 4 hours

Eclectic Tip: Famous Naxian products include Naxos potatoes and citron liqueur, whilst the Naxian sweet tomato plays a starring role in homemade salads across the island.

APEIRANTHOS DELIGHT

Discover the picturesque village of Apeiranthos, the crown jewel of Naxos. Meet local families and discover their unique, traditional dialect, thought to originate from Crete. Foodies will enjoy the opportunity to taste regional delicacies including honey-glazed sweets, local cheeses, ham and citron liqueur.

Private Activity | Duration: 3 hours

Eclectic Tip: Apeiranthos is sometimes referred to as the "marble village" because so many of its buildings, lanes and public squares are constructed from glittering white marble.



The best way to explore Naxos is to follow one of the plenty hiking and biking trails that run across the island.



MOSAIC WORKSHOP

Unleash your creativity with a fun-filled mosaic-making workshop, learning about classic and contemporary mosaic making in a workshop at the restored Monastery of Agios Eleftherios, Sangri. This four-hour class will introduce you to the use of specialized tools, including the practice of cutting and grouting.

Private Activity | Duration: 4 hours

Eclectic Tip: Sangri village is in the mountainous interior of the island and is medieval in style, with predominantly grey and brown buildings. This contrasts with the iconic, white Cycladic settlements along the coast.

CREATIVE NAXOS (POTTERY, TEXTILE, MARBLE)

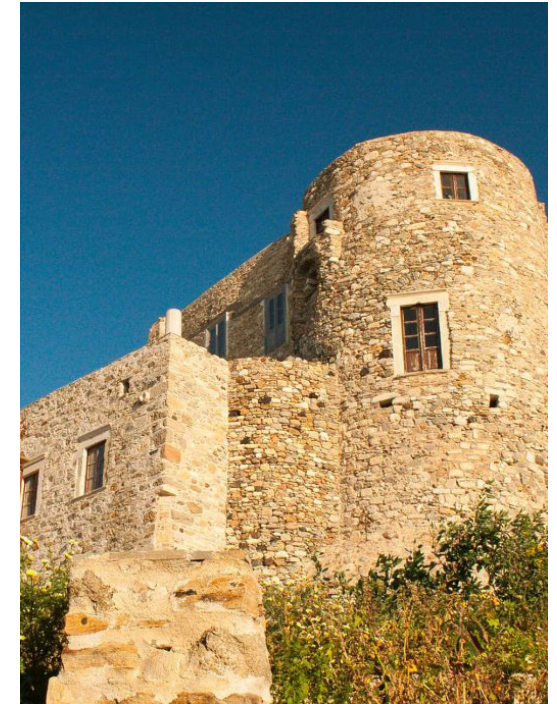
Do you think that you can find a better souvenir to take back home than the one that you create by your own hands? We are sure that the answer is no. Textiles on Loom, Potteries and Marble are the arts that we will deal with. At the end they will give a bag with small souvenirs from the place that you have visited.

Private Activity | Duration: 6 hours

Eclectic Tip: Visiting some of the most beautiful places on the island we will meet some artists who decided to continue the art of their progenitor and learn from all their secrets.



Take home your hand-made piece for everlasting Naxos memories!



THE MEDIEVAL NAXOS

Experience the history and natural beauty of Naxos Island by hiking along its medieval pathways. These paths are set on the island's eastern side, combining rocky terrain, picturesque olive groves, and mountain views. As you make your way to the trailhead, you'll listen to stories about the island's history, culture, and heritage from your guide. Your hike includes two points of interest. First, you'll walk to the medieval Monastery of Fotodoti, which offers incredible views and architecture. Then, you'll discover the historic village of Apeiranthos. Enjoy the impressive architecture of Apeiranthos, with stone-built towers, old houses, and churches.

Private Activity | Duration: 6 hours

Eclectic Tip: While in Apeiranthos, peruse the traditional souvenir shops for local crafts, or sit at an outdoor terrace for a Greek coffee and dessert.



Apeiranthos is one of Naxos Island's most charming hamlets, set high in the hills with twisting marble pathways and white-washed buildings.