A tour for Scone Grammar School

Dates: 5th - 21st April, 2017

All inclusive price per student: $7,180.00
All inclusive price per adult: $7,530.00

* Based on a minimum of 20 paying participants. Price may change if exchange rates or airline fuel surcharges change significantly.

 ✓ Airfares, taxes and fuel surcharges – included
 ✓ All hotel accommodation – included
 ✓ All land transportation – included
 ✓ Comprehensive travel insurance – included
 ✓ Entrance fees to sites & local guides – included
 ✓ Tips to guides, restaurants and drivers – included
 ✓ Turkish travel visa – included

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Historical and cultural highlights

- An 17-day itinerary for the community of Scone Grammar School, with 2 nights Istanbul, 2 nights Canakkale (Gallipoli), 2 nights Rome, 2 nights Bay of Naples, 1 night Munich, 2 nights Nuremberg and 2 nights Berlin.
- Enjoy the exotic sights of the city of Istanbul.
- Visit the ancient city of Troy and explore the Gallipoli peninsula.
- Investigate the ancient heart of Rome.
- Travel to the beautiful Bay of Naples and tour the “Cities of Vesuvius” – Pompeii and Herculaneum.
- Visit the Bavarian cities of Munich and Nuremberg to learn about the rise and end of the Nazi regime.
- Finishing in Berlin, see significant sites related to the Third Reich and Cold War.
A genuine learning experience!
• Carefully planned by experienced educators
• Escorted by a knowledgeable tour manager
• Qualified local guides at major sites

Itinerary

*The itinerary is subject to change based on local conditions, weather and opening hours etc.

Day 1: 5/4 Depart Sydney.


Day 3: 7/4 Istanbul sightseeing. Spend the day visiting the fascinating sites of the city, including the Blue Mosque, Hagia Sophia and Basilica Cistern. Browse the stalls of the Grand Bazaar. Overnight Istanbul.

Day 4: 8/4 To Canakkale. Coach transfer to the ancient city of Troy for a guided visit. Then onto your hotel in Canakkale. Overnight Canakkale.


Day 6: 10/4 To Rome. Travel back to Istanbul for your flight to Rome. On arrival, enjoy an orientation walk with your tour manager. Overnight Rome.

Day 7: 11/4 Classical Rome. Half day walking tour of the ancient heart of the city, including the Colosseum, Palatine Hill and Roman Forum with an expert local guide. In the afternoon, continue your exploration of the city with your tour manager, including the Pantheon and Trevi Fountain. Overnight Rome.

Day 8: 12/4 To the Bay of Naples. Private coach transfer to the Bay of Naples. Guided visit of the former seaside town of Herculaneum and the imperial villa at Oplontis. Overnight Bay of Naples.

Day 9: 13/4 Pompeii and Sorrento. Detailed visit of the ruins of Pompeii, examining private houses, public spaces, bath complexes and shops. Learn about the current conservation techniques and display of the human remains on site. Spend the afternoon in the lovely town of Sorrento. Overnight Bay of Naples.

Day 10: 14/4 To Munich. Transfer to Naples Airport for your flight to Munich. On arrival, take an orientation walk with your tour manager through the city centre. Overnight Munich.

Day 11: 15/4 Dachau and to Nuremberg. Coach to Dachau for a guided visit of the concentration camp memorial. Then, continue on to the medieval walled city of Nuremberg. Overnight Nuremberg.

Day 12: 16/4 Nazi Nuremberg. A 2 hour walking tour of the Nazi Rally Grounds explains the events and propaganda used during Hitler’s rise to power. Explore the associated Documentation Centre and then learn about the Nuremberg Trials with a visit to Courtroom 600. Overnight Nuremberg.

Day 13: 17/4 To Berlin. Private coach transfer to Berlin. A guided visit of The Story of Berlin Museum provides an excellent introduction to the tumultuous history of the city, and includes a visit to an actual underground nuclear bunker. Overnight Berlin.

Day 14: 18/4 Berlin sightseeing. Full day exploring the city on coach with a local guide, including the Reichstag, Brandenburg Gate, Holocaust Memorial, Eastside Gallery, Soviet Memorial and Checkpoint Charlie. Time to visit the Berlin Wall Documentation Centre. Overnight Berlin.

Day 15: 19/4 Depart Berlin. Transfer to the airport for your return flight.

Day 16: 20/4 On flight

Day 17: 21/4 Arrive Sydney.