

# Excursions with guided tour

1. **Tour of Ortigia Island** (45 min.): we start by crossing Umberto Bridge, the oldest bridge of Syracuse, originally built in the 17th century and restored in 1893. We then visit the Port Marmoreo and cross the Western side of Ortigia to admire the baroque buildings along the sea. A panoramic visit of "Castello Maniace" will follow. The Castle was built around 1020 BC and renovated under Frederick II between 1232 and 1239. Its massive structure dominates the Southern part of Ortigia. We then stop by Fountain of Arethusa, the place where, according to the myth, the Greeks arrived for the first time in Syracuse. The tour offers a breathtaking view of the ancient Spanish walls (16th century).

**Cost: 14. 90 €**

2. **Marine Caves tour** (45 min.): We crossing bridge Umberto; visit the port and the marine caves, where thousands of colours get mixed with the marble rock. One of these rocks is characterized by the presence of corals called "Parazoanthus axinillae flowers", which grow under the water surface and are visible from the boat.

**Cost: 14, 90 €**

3. **Island Tour + Caves** (1 hour and 30min): we cross Ponte Umberto and visit Porto Marmoreo. We then proceed with an excursion to the marine caves and finish with a panoramic visit of Castello Maniace' s coast and the "Fountain of Arethusa"

**Cost: 23, 90 €**

4. **Island Tour + Caves at the sunset with boat aperitif** (1 hour and 30min): the aperitif includes White Wine - Red wine - Prosecco - various snacks and pretzels.

**Cost: 34,90 €**

5. **Panoramic Night tour of the island of Ortigia and the City of Syracuse** (40 min).

**Cost: 19,90 €**