

## SOUTH CRETE (Gortys-Matala)



Matala beach, View of Hippie's caves



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**Price**

40,00 €

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Description

Overview

**Available Day:** Wednesday, Sunday

**Available Language:** English, German, French

**Location:** South Crete

**FULL DAY Tour**

**Starting from:** Ask us for the potential starting points.

The price includes:

- Bus Transfer
- Guide

Extras:

- 6€ for the entrance to Gortys
- 4€ for the entrance to the hippies caves
- individual expenses

Informations:

This price is for an adult.

Children 0-4 years old, are free.

Children 5-12 years old, pay 1/2 of the adult ticket price.

Description

### South Crete (Gortys, Matala)

Our first stop will be at the very important archeological site of **Gortyna** for about 1 hour. It is one of the most important archeological sites in the country with a history from the **Neolithic era 7000 BC** and with great monuments from all periods of history, Minoan, Doric, Roman (during this period it was also the capital of Crete), Byzantine. There is also the famous "Code of Gortyna", a stone inscription that is the oldest and most important example of Greek legislation and the coins depicting the conquest of Europe by Zeus. Extremely interesting archeological site with low traffic, which makes the tour safe and not time consuming. Leaving from Gortys we will head to the beautiful village of **Matala**. Matala is well known for the hippies that they used to live there in 70's. The **hippie spirit** still lives in this wonderful place. We will stop for approximately 4 hours 30 minutes for swimming, eating and visiting the caves.

Route