

## CORFU - Achilleion Palace & Corfu Town

Access to locations: easy to medium

You will need a hat, sunglasses, sunscreen and sensible shoes (no flip flops, please)

Approximate Duration: 4 hours

- Achillion
- Canoni
- Kerkyra

Corfu is a blessed island that captivates visitors with its elegant architecture, its pristine natural beauty and its refinement – this excursion delivers all three! Our first stop is the incredible Achillion Palace. The palace, **built in 1890 by two Italian architects after the famed villas of Pompeii, is one of the most famed royal villas in Europe.** Queen Sissy of the Hapsburgs needed a home in a sunny locale, on account of her fragile health, and she commissioned what has become **an architectural monument.** Sissy devoted the villa to Achilles and had its **courtyard decorated with statues from Greek mythology, including The Seven Muses and The Dying Achilles.**

We leave Achillion Palace for cosmopolitan **Canoni, famed for its sunsets and for its spectacular views of the small island of Pontikonisi** – it's also home to the enchanting Monastery of Panagia Vlacherna. From Canoni we depart for Kerkyra, where you'll have time to stroll and shop. **The Old Town of Corfu, [a UNESCO World Heritage Site](#), is home to enchanting parks, plazas and buildings, all of which bear the imprint of the many empires that called Corfu their own over the centuries.** Spaniada or Esplanade Square (the largest square in the Balkans), the colonnaded Liston, the palaces of saints Michael and George, the Kapodistrias mansion and the Church of St. Spyridon are just a few of **the architectural treasures packed into cosmopolitan Kerkyra.** Take some time to stroll the city's cobbled streets and discover it for yourself. If you can select your favorite square, sit down and linger over a coffee before we return to the ship.

- 
- 
- 

Adult Price € 55,00

Child price only € 33,00

City Tour