

## DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITIES

### Main Activities

**Valletta + Golden Bay:** This excursion always takes place during the weekend. First, students get to do some shopping in the capital, Valletta. If the excursion takes place on a Sunday, they have the opportunity to visit the famous market where the students can find almost anything but mostly nice and cheap clothes. After the market, the students are taken to one of the most beautiful beaches in the area.

**Ghajn Tuffieha Bay:** This bay has stretches of fine golden sand and shallow, clear warm water (When you get down from all those stairs...). It is ideal for all ages and levels of swimmers when calm. If the sea is too rough, we will go there another day. If waves are present, please make sure that the students do not go out into deep waters. Jumping around in shallow waves (up to 1.5m) is safe and fun!! Sunbeds and sunshades are available. Sliema is the largest and the most modern town in Malta. It is a fashionable residential area and a noted resort. It has a 3 km long sea front promenade, which is one of the most frequented spots on the island. It has an important and lively shopping centre with cafes and restaurants, popular beaches and bathing establishments with facilities for water sports.

**Comino:** This trip will be held on a weekday to avoid crowds that visit the island on weekends (the week they have early sessions). Students are picked up from their accommodation in the morning and are taken to the departure point in Cirkewwa. We board the typical Luzzuz boats and proceed to the Blue Lagoon, Comino, the most magnificent warm crystal-clear waters imaginable! There is a narrow strip of sand and a strip of rocks adjacent to the water, which is where we usually go. One can walk/swim across the bay to the island of Cominotto. There is another small, more private sandy beach. On the other side there are rocks, low cliffs where students can jump off...fun, but they should be careful as some places are quite high! There are food and drinks available on Comino (kiosks above the beach). The boat will take us back to Malta later.

**Disco Night:** We are happy to announce that we will continue using the fantastic Disco "Numero Uno". It is a huge outdoor disco that has become very popular among the Maltese people. There will be other language schools sending their students to "Numero Uno" those days. The place is cool with different sections, lights, good DJ's etc.

**Beach Games:** This is an evening on the beach preferably the first week where the students get to attend different fun games and listen to music. It is held on a northern beach. **Mdina By Night:** A night visit to the old Capital City also well known as the 'silent City'. A fortified city set in the middle of the island with a charm of its own.

**Ghadira Beach:** This bay has long stretches of fine white sand and shallow, clear warm water. It is almost always very calm and is ideal for all ages and levels of swimmers. There is a fully equipped restaurant serving drinks, ice cream, salads and warm food. Sunbeds and sunshades are available. Good range of water sports available.

**Armier Beach:** This is a beach with nice light sand and very clear water on the North of the island. Food and sun beads can be bought here. This is a good place to try some of the water sports.

**Harbour Cruise:** This excursion gives the students the opportunity to enjoy the beautiful view of Malta from the water. At the same time, they get to learn some history and background of this interesting island. It is a 2-hour trip around the Maltese Harbour and it starts from Sliema. It is mainly a guided tour through the Grand Harbour and

## Add-On Activities

**Splash & Fun + Mediterraneo Marine Park:** A fun activity where the students have access to two different water parks, Splash & Fun and Mediterraneo Park. Splash & Fun is a park which offers different kinds of water slides and pools. Splash and Fun is not all about high speed slides as the students can also relax next to the High Tide Wave Pool and join in the animations or lay back and top up their tan as they can float along the Lazy River. So whatever type of day they want, they can do it all at Splash and Fun!

The Mediterraneo Marine Park in Malta is a unique opportunity for students to admire, learn, enjoy and interact with dolphins, sea lions, parrots, iguanas and more. The Mediterraneo Marine Park invites animal lovers to experience an innovative way of learning more about animals. See, hear and touch animals under the guidance of professional animal carers. Learn how dolphins and sea lions are trained and how the same methods can be applied to your pets at home.

**Fernandez Cruise:** The Fernandez is a beautiful Gullet with a large forward deck, ideal for just sunbathing and relaxing on deck. The cruise includes visits to secluded bays, caves and inlets in southern Gozo and also, we drop anchor in the beautiful Blue Lagoon and spend the rest of the afternoon swimming in the magical crystal-clear waters. This is a relaxing cruise, medium cruising time, time for swimming, snorkels provided, visits different bays in southern Gozo and the Blue Lagoon on Comino Island. Snacks during the day and a full buffet at lunch are included. Drinks can be purchased on board.

**Spirit of Malta:** This is a boat party on board of a fantastic catamaran where the students will enjoy music and dance to top hits and groovy rhythms. During the evening we stop in a nice bay on Malta island and the students will be served baguettes and soft drinks.

**Gozo Jeep Safari:** This is a full day tour to Malta's sister island, Gozo. It is the second largest island of the Maltese archipelago. The students will be collected early in the morning around 7.30 am and taken to a particular pick-up point, where the jeep will take them directly to the ferry terminal. After a twenty-minute ferry ride, the students will be setting foot in Gozo and the jeep safari will take place. Returning time to Malta will be approx. at 18.00. All jeeps are 4-wheel drives, and a chauffeur will take the students around the island. Lunch is included in the price. Places they will visit: Mgarr, Qala, Dahlet Qorot, Ramla I-Hamra beach, Nadur, Xaghra, the capital city and oldest town Cittadel Victoria, Marsalforn, Dwejra (where the students will see the fabulous Azzure Window and the inland sea) and Xlendi.