

# DELLECAVE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE

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## ATHENS & THE GREEK ISLANDS



from **\$2799**  
+ taxes, departure fees  
and port charges  
of approx. **\$495\***

### **Section 1: HISTORY AND MYTHOLOGY OF ANCIENT GREECE**

3 in-service or graduate credits (45 hours) in Athens & Ephesus (Turkey)

### **Section 2: CULTURE AND TRADITIONS OF THE GREEK ISLES**

3 in-service credits (45 hours) in Mykonos, Patmos, Rhodes, Crete, Santorini

**Section 1 & 2:** 4/4/09 (Sat.) - 4/12/09 (Sun.) Includes 4 day Greek Islands cruise.

Both sections require a pre-departure class at Dellecave. Date to be announced.

Section 1: Through first hand visits to some of Greece's most important locales, participants will gain a fuller knowledge of events in the nation's ancient history. They will take part in both orientation and in-depth visits to Athens' major cultural and historical areas, including exploration of the Parthenon (the 400 BC white marble temple of Athena) in the Acropolis high above the city, the new Acropolis Museum, and the ancient Plaka section. They will climb the Rock of St. Paul where he preached in the first century AD. They will sail across the Aegean Sea to Turkey for exploration of the Ephesus archeological site (one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World), the best preserved classical city of the Eastern Mediterranean, where St. Paul preached to the Ephesians. They will find what is accepted as the final dwelling of The Virgin Mary. They will see such landmarks as parliament and presidential houses, the Stadium of the Modern Olympics (1896), and artifact showcases located in the Athens' subway system.

Section 2: Participants will travel by ship to the Island of Rhodes with its medieval city/fortress built by the Knights of St. John during the crusades, before they were driven out by Suleyman the Magnificent, resulting in a 400 year Ottoman Turk occupation. They will see the site of the famed Colossus of Rhodes as it guarded the entrance to the harbor. On Mykonos they will discover a village of small white houses with historic windmills. On Crete they will find the seat of the ancient Minoan culture dating back to 2700 BC, and the busy harbor of Heraklion. Patmos is the island which sheltered Saint John the Divine as he wrote The Revelations. On Santorini they will find its village perched on top of a volcanic caldera, accessible only by cable car.

**Ports:** Myron's (evening visit). Ephesus (½ day). Patmos (evening visit). Rhodes (full day). Crete (½ day). Santorini (evening visit). Times and ports subject to sea conditions.

**(Sections 1 and 2) \$2799 travel fee:** (per person double occupancy) standard inside cabin category F, airfare, airport transfers, deluxe hotel, cruise, daily breakfasts, 4 lunches, 5 dinners, tour and admission fees. Includes tips aboard ship. \*Departure taxes, port charges and airline fees, presently **\$495**, are subject to change, due to possibility of airline fuel surcharges.

**Not included:** Bus/cable car transportation on Mykonos and Santorini (approx **\$20**) payable at pier. Optional travel insurance (\$129). Optional guided shore excursions.

**Up-Grades:** Exterior cabin (category B): add \$150 per person above base price. Exterior superior cabin (category TB): add \$295 per person above base price. Availability of specific cabin types is subject to change. Limited single rooms: single supplement \$675 (category F), \$925 (category B), \$1170 (category TB) above base price.

Participants are responsible for roommate arrangements. Valid passports required, good for six months beyond departure date. Reservations must be made in name exactly as it appears in passport. Not handicapped accessible. **Extensive up-hill walking is required.**

Payment Schedule: \$300 non-refundable deposit due with application.  
\$900 payment due 10/1/08. Balance due 1/1/09.

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1) To reserve your place in the class send a tuition deposit check for \$50 made out to DELLECAVE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE with form #1 to: Dellecave Educational Institute, 1650 Sycamore Ave., Suite 12, Bohemia, NY 11716.

Form #1: Dellecave Tuition Deposit

| NAME | ADDRESS | phone & e-mail address | \$50 enclosed? | School District |
|------|---------|------------------------|----------------|-----------------|
|      |         |                        | <i>GREECE</i>  |                 |

2) To reserve your place on the trip send form #2 and a NON-REFUNDABLE travel deposit check for \$300 per person made out to SMARTOURS to: Andrea Kingston, PO Box 520, Remsenburg, NY 11960.

Form #2: Smartours Travel Deposit

| Name: <b>exactly as it appears in passport</b> | address | Phone # and e-mail address | \$300 per person enclosed? | cabin selection                         |          |
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