

AGRIGENTO

Valley of the Temples

Agrigento, one of the oldest Sicilian cities, is best known for their ancient ruins located in the Valley of the Temples. This hillside city also offers visitors a variety of sightseeing options, ranging from historical cathedrals and museums, to beaches, shopping and local restaurants. The main thoroughfare running through Agrigento's town center is Via Atenea, which features local shops, trattorias and bars.

Key Point of Interests:

Valley of the Temples

- ✔ Sicily's most famous archaeological site encompasses the ruined city of Akragas. This 1300-hectare park is split into eastern and western zones. Start in the eastern zones where you will find the most famous temples, including the Tempio di Hera and the Tempio della Concordia.

✔ Giardino della Kolymbetra

This garden, conveniently located inside the Valley of the Temples park, is a perfect spot to enjoy an afternoon picnic and take in the sights.

✔ Turkish Steps

La Scala dei Turchi is a magical place located along the coast of Realmonte, just 15 minutes west of Agrigento. This white rocky cliff is beautifully shaped like a staircase, jutting out into the Mediterranean sea.

Other Points of Interest:

- ✔ Stroll along via Atenea
- ✔ The Cathedral of Agrigento (also known as The Cathedral of San Gerlando)
- ✔ Monastero di Santo Spirito
- ✔ Chiesa di Santa Maria dei Greci
- ✔ Museo Civico

Parking:

Car parking is available in a large gravel lot at Via Panoramica dei Templi. Please remember to bring euro with you to pay at the kiosks.