

A note from Bianca, our founder.

Italian Fix delivers Italy *differently*.

Our signature style is mix & match.

Iconic places & secret places are on the same trip, across our entire collection.

The result? You get the famous locations you came for, plus the essence of Italy, when you know where to look.

In the age of Instagram and AI, we intentionally keep secret locations off public pages to protect their identity (although we're happy to share them with you, please send us a message).

Come travel with us in 2026 and see how our signature style of travel can improve the quality of your life, one beautiful day at a time.

We're a team of thoughtful and curious people who have been pioneers in small group travel since 2011, and we have a world-class rebooking rate and excellent reviews.






With love & limoncello,

Bianca Gignac

[Click here to book a call with me.](#)



Please view the [calendar](#) for more information on our small groups tours.

-  Puglia & the Amalfi Coast
-  Lake Como & the Dolomites
-  Cinque Terre
-  The Islands of Amalfi
-  The Italian & French Rivas
-  Sicily & the Aeolian Islands
-  Italy Discovery & Scouting Tour





TOUR ITINERARY

Sicily & the Aeolian Islands - 2026

Experience the magic of Sicily on this journey of a lifetime.

9 Days, 8 Nights

◆ DATE

Wednesday, September 23 - October 1, 2026

◆ LOCATION

Palermo, Salina Island,
Ortigia/Siracusa, & Taormina

◆ PERFECT FOR

All adults welcome; solo travelers,
friends, family, or couples

◆ GROUP LIMIT

Up to 14 guests

◆ THE VIBE

Preserved cultures and
landscapes, rich traditions,
easygoing fun



TOUR HIGHLIGHTS



Wine Tasting at a Sicilian Winery with Countryside Lunch

Visit a private vineyard and savor the unique wine of the region. The food in Sicily is incredible, best enjoyed when it's casual and traditional — just like nonna would make it.

Curated Sights Showcasing a Diversity of Villages, Islands, and Cities

Sicily is where Italians go on holidays. Fly into the city of Palermo and step back in time. Next, explore the beautiful Aeolian Islands, which see very little tourism. Then, we're off to Ortigia/Siracusa and Taormina, the most popular stops on this Sicilian experience. This journey brings together decades of wisdom, offering you the best of Sicily.



A Private Boat Charter for a Sunset Cruise

Capture memories and enjoy a drink as you glide past the island's landscape. Swim or bob in the clear waters beneath the cliffs, and take plenty of photos along the way. This fun experience is a core memory for many guests.

Meals at Private Homes and Estates

Sicily is better when you know people — it's not what you know, but who you know. And we know people! While everyone can visit restaurants, being with insiders means you experience the best ones and also dine at our friends' homes.

Travel in A Comfy Private Vehicle

Our small passenger vehicles can travel where big buses cannot. We have our own drivers, guides, and unique routes to maximize your experience without wasting time. To get to the Aeolian Islands, it's a 90-minute hydrofoil ride, and we handle all the transfers.



WHAT'S INCLUDED



ACCOMMODATION



SEAMLESS PICKUP & DROP OFF



GROUND TRANSPORTATION

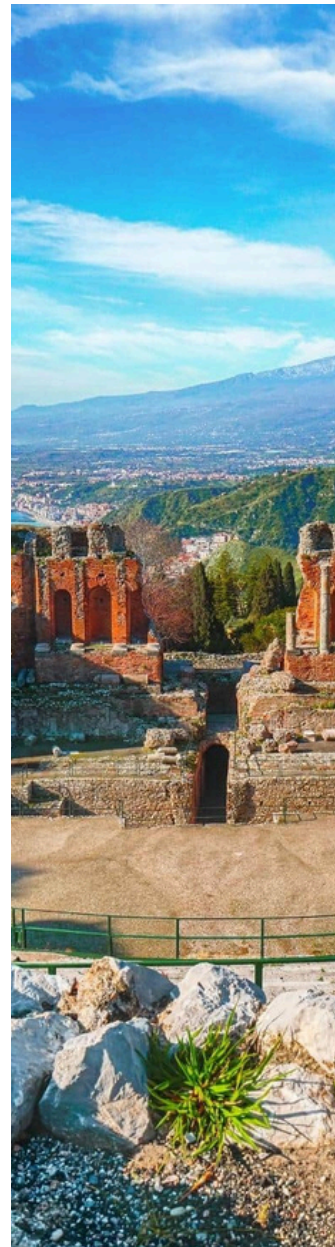


MEALS & WINE



ACTIVITIES

- Nine days traveling with a bilingual guide who speaks the local languages of Italian and Sicilian.
- A unique itinerary with guided day trips to the most beautiful towns, islands and villages of Sicily. Palermo, Salina Island, Ortigia/Siracusa and Taormina
- Wine tasting of Sicilian wines at a beautiful winery, with a country lunch.
- A private sunset boat cruise on Salina Island.
- An exclusive lunch reservation at a country estate.
- A Choose Your Own Adventure Day. This is a free day for you to do whatever you like.
- Taxes and all tips for drivers, included meals and guides.



ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE INFO

Arrival Details

Arrival Airport:

Palermo (PMO)

First-Day Activity:

Meet and greet at 6:30 pm, followed by dinner.

Departure Details

Departure Airport:

Catania (CTA)

Last-Day Activity:

Breakfast



DAILY ITINERARY



Arrival Day

Our driver will collect you from Palermo airport and bring you to your hotel. You'll be set to "vacation mode" the instant you're in our car because we have all the details handled. The only thing you need to do is sink into the Dolce Zone — that special carefree state of mind that only Italian Fix clients get to experience. Tonight we'll celebrate with drinks and dinner in buzzy Palermo. Sleep: Palermo

Day 2

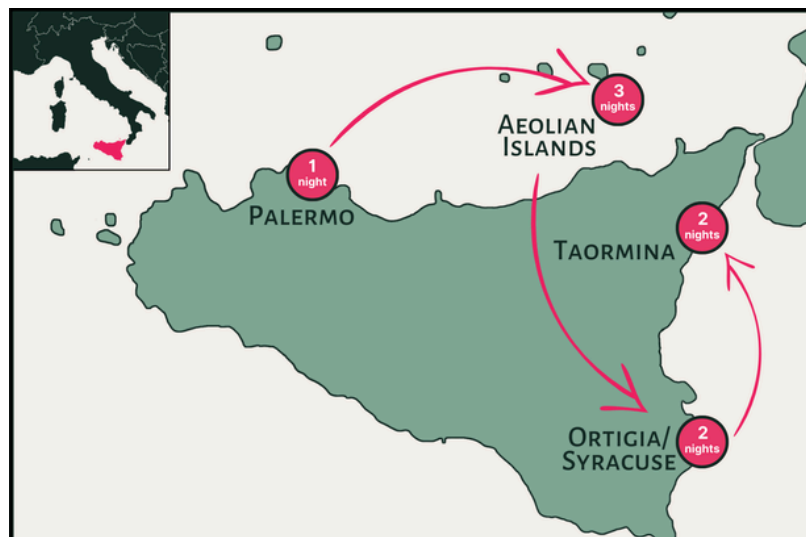
Today we'll depart Palermo and head to the glorious Aeolian Islands — one of 54 UNESCO World Heritage Sites in Italy. We'll take the hydrofoil, and you'll feel like you could be jetting off to a Greek Island, because it's got a similar look. Our island hotel overlooks the smoking volcano of Stromboli. You'll love the gorgeous pool among the lemon trees, the spa, and hammam. Tonight, we'll dine at a restaurant headed up by the youngest female Italian chef to win a Michelin star. Sleep: Salina Island (Aeolian Islands)

Day 3

Lounge poolside with a book and a cappuccino. Or go to the spa and relax with a treatment. In the evening, we channel our inner Sicilian and hop aboard our boat for a sunset cruise. We'll drop the anchor and soak up the Mediterranean vibes. You're officially in the Dolce Zone, and it feels sooo good! Sleep: Salina Island (Aeolian Islands)

Day 4

The most important decisions to make today are these: should I walk down to the beach or stay at the pool? And should I have just one granita, or three? You'll have time to ponder these questions before an afternoon trip to visit the villages that dot this tiny island, then off to a local farm for a tour and tasting. See the location where a famous film, *Il Postino*, was shot. Sleep: Salina Island (Aeolian Islands)




Day 5

We're heading to Ortigia, the most ancient part of the city of Siracusa. We'll stay right inside the historical city center where you'll experience another one of Italy's Unesco World Heritage Sites for two nights. Did we mention that on the way to Ortigia we stop for a gorgeous wine tasting and lunch? Salute! Sleep: Ortigia (Siracusa)

Day 6

Today you'll have a "choose your own adventure" day with some free time. Explore the markets and shops of one of Italy's most beautiful towns — Dolce & Gabbana chose its main piazza for their Alta Moda fashion show. Our guide will host a historical walking tour of the most important monuments and landmarks in this city, ruled by everyone from the Byzantines, Bourbons, and Arabs to the Normans and Aragonese. Sleep: Ortigia (Siracusa)

Day 7



Depart Ortigia/Siracusa and head to another coastal wonder. We'll get you oriented with a walking tour of Taormina's highlights — you won't want to waste a moment getting to know the incredible location you'll be living in for the next two nights. People come here for the ancient Greek theater, the mountains, and the sea. We'll experience all of that. And the tiramisu. Sleep: Taormina

Day 8

This is our last day in Italy together so let's make it splendida. We'll gather for a day trip down to the lower part of Taormina on the cable car — and explore the surrounding area with a private tour. At night we'll gather to clink glasses for a special celebratory meal at our fave Taormina restaurant so you can enjoy our own Ultima Cena with your Italian Fix famiglia. Sleep: Taormina

Day 9

This is your departure and check-out day. We'll bring you to Catania airport for your flight. Some guests decide to extend their stay, and we recommend Taormina for a few extra nights — trust us, you won't want to leave! You can also view the [calendar](#) to see if you can combine this trip with another.

**The itineraries are subject to slight routes and activity changes due to weather, safety and the lead guides choice.*

HOW WE COMPARE



	ITALIAN FIX	Do-It-Yourself	Standard Tours
Make New Friends & Real Connections	✓	×	×
No Expertise of Europe Required	✓	×	✓
Research is Done-For-You	✓	×	Sometimes
Transparent Trip Costs Upfront	✓	×	Sometimes
Unlimited Expert Advice	✓	×	×
Signature Itineraries & Guides	✓	×	Sometimes



We Want You to Travel With Us

Ready to explore Europe with the fun, safety and insider access only Italian Fix can provide?

We invite you to travel with us.

Need support? Let's chat about your dream travels. Email ciao@italianfix.com or book a call [here](#).

