



Verdura Resort, Sicily



HOLIDAY TYPE: Toddler and Young Children
VISITING: Sicily

BROCHURE CODE: 18093
DURATION: 4 nights

In Brief

Voted the 'Best Kids Club' in Europe by The Times in 2023 and listed in Elite Traveler's 'Top 50 Family Suites,' you can rest assured Verdura Resort is a sound choice for your next family holiday. Picture strolling across the pristine white sand and listening to the gentle waves lapping on the shore as the orange hues of the Sicilian sun set on the horizon. Uncover the island's rich historic tapestry, gorge on endless breath taking views and taste some of the world's finest cuisine.

Our Opinion

“ A stay at Verdura was just what we needed; sun, sea, sand and Sicilian hospitality. It was the perfect taste of Italy without the hustle and bustle. I'm not surprised the kids club is voted the best in Europe. Our two absolutely loved the variety of activities on the programme and I thought the attention to detail for the kids, such as the mini bathrobes, were a really special touch. It was a blissful five days with outstanding facilities and incredible food. ”



What's included?

- **Flights:** Return flights from London or Manchester (other regional options may be possible, depending upon availability)
- **UK Airport Transfers:** Return transfers to/from London or Manchester airports (within 50 miles). Regional UK transfer options may be possible, depending upon availability
- **Airport Transfers:** Return airport transfers in destination.
- **Accommodation:** Tailorable duration, indicative pricing is based on a family sharing a Family Suite (other options are available) for 4 nights.
- **Meals:** Bed and Breakfast (Other boards are available upon request)
- Support from our UK-based operations (including 24/7 whilst away) and customer service team to give you total peace of mind
- **Exclusive Activities Abroad Adventure Pack**

Trip Overview

Verdura Resort perfectly balances contemporary luxury and beauty with an extensive menu of practical family amenities and both entertaining and enriching clubs for babies, kids and teens. Young travelers will be excited by the choice of activities on offer from cookery classes, interactive science sessions and an array of sports academies hosted by qualified coaches and stars. Your little ones will adore the unique Mascot turn-down service and feel like the valued guest they are with special details such as the personalised Rocco Forte Kids passport at check-in, welcome treats and animal cuddly toys. For older children, even bespoke spa treatments, in-room kids bar and a dedicated space for young adults to hang out has been thoughtfully considered by the team.

In addition to the fantastic kids clubs, a 24-hour babysitting service is available. Why not book some quality me-time and indulge in a couple of hours at the Irene Forte Spa or discover the vast list of water sports activities hosted by qualified instructors? Verdura Resort presents championship links style courses, designed by Kyle Phillips offering uninterrupted views of the azure waters from the undulating greens. Practice your swing and enjoy a truly scenic golfing experience.

All rooms are conveniently positioned within walking distance from the main building and comprise of idyllic views across the glittering Mediterranean Sea or the luscious golf

course. The resort's Concierge is on hand to assist with your room set-up and any useful items you require such as a baby cot or sterilisers. In the bathroom, you'll find sumptuous robes and slippers for the whole family, baby bath products, hooded towels and rubber ducks for the little ones and luxurious Irene Forte Skincare toiletries for the grown-ups.

A trip to Sicily wouldn't be complete without a selection of sublime gastronomy. With four restaurants and two bars, you will be spoilt for choice. Beachfront restaurant, Amare, offers fresh seafood caught that very day and respectfully prepared by the chef. We recommend sampling the restaurant's specialty, 'crudo', served for generations in Sicilian fishing villages. 'Crudo' is thinly sliced catch of the day with extra virgin olive oil, citrus fruits and a pinch of rock salt. For a more relaxed and rustic affair, check out Liolà; a typical Sicilian trattoria with its own pizzeria and a large outdoor terrace overlooking the magical ocean. Meanwhile, Zagara's menu revels in the flavours and ingredients of the Mediterranean and Buongiorno serves up breakfast; a sensational place to start the day. The restaurants offer special kids' menus and highchairs, kids' crockery and bibs are all available upon request.

Family & Child services and amenities

- Rocco Forte Kids Clubs for Babies (0-3), Kids (4-12) and Teens (13-16)
- Baby Sitting (24hrs)*
- Baby and childcare items, including Baby bath products, hooded towels, rubber ducks, baby bathtubs, temp testers, nappies, changing mats, baby crockery, high chairs, bottle warmers, bibs, sterilisers, cots, baby bed linen, motion mobiles, night lamps, play mats
- Children's Pool and outdoor play area
- Children's programmes include cooking, science, arts and crafts, culture and an array of sports including tennis, horse riding and football
- Tennis court and lessons*
- Complimentary baby meals
- Special kids menus and breakfast corner
- Children receive welcome amenities and milk and cookies at turndown

Note: *These services require a booking and payment locally

Agenda

Please note the order of activities is subject to change

DAY
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ARRIVAL, TRANSFER AND WELCOME

A warm welcome awaits you at the airport as you step off the plane and breathe in the warm Italian air. Your driver will greet you at arrivals and take you and your family to Verdura Resort via private transfer. Check in and take some time to settle into your room before exploring the resort's fantastic facilities.

Tailorable durations are available. Please, contact our Travel Experts on 01670 789 991 with any enquiries.

Included Meals: None

DAYS
2 TO 4

CREATE YOUR PERFECT HOLIDAY

Whether you desire a relaxing getaway or intend to take advantage of the hotel's variety of quality activities, the next few days are completely yours. Enjoy making memories the whole family will cherish for a lifetime.

Included Meals: Breakfast

DAY
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DEPART OR EXTEND YOUR STAY

Not ready to say *arrivederci* to Sicily just yet? Speak to a member of our expert team about extending your stay on this beautiful island.

Included Meals: Breakfast

Included Accommodation



Verdura Resort Sicily (Nights: 1-4)

Room Type: Family Room

Bathed in natural light, Verdura's Family Rooms are airy and spacious, promising a comfortable stay. Comprising of a sumptuous palate of warm hues and organic materials, each room is beautifully designed to help you relax as you gaze out over the glimmering expanse of the Mediterranean Sea. The Family Rooms sleep up to four guests and combine two interconnecting Superior Deluxe rooms, complete with heavenly soft super king-sized beds which can be readily twinned if

required. The hotel's Concierge provides an extensive list of baby equipment and room set-ups to ensure your stay is both relaxing and functional for you and your loved ones. Little travellers will delight in the thoughtful touches such as welcome treats, mini bathrobes, and kids in-room bar.

Restaurants

Start the day in Verdura's sun kissed dining room, Buon Giorno. Serving fresh, made to order omelettes, aromatic baked cakes and pastries, local cured meats, and cheeses you'll be spoilt for choice. Be sure to sample *granita* – a Sicilian speciality of gelato, brioche, and fruits from the Verdura estate.

Indulge in expertly prepared barbequed meats, fish and seafood dishes at Amare, located on the beachfront or cherish a precious moment watching the sunset with an artisanal cocktail and selection of tasty tapas at the Granita Bar. Liola serves up traditional trattoria-style family feasts overlooking the Sicilian coastline and Zagara presents an elegant dining room showcasing a menu of finesse created by Director of Food, Fulvio Pierangelini.

Good to Know Facts about the Hotel

Note: some services require a supplement

- 90-minute transfer from Palermo Airport
- Voted best kids club in Europe – The Times 2023
- Listed in Top 50 Family Suites – Elite Traveler 2023
- Kids Clubs for Babies (0-3), kids (4-12) and teens (13-16)
- Children's programmes include cooking, science, arts and crafts, culture and an array of sports including tennis, horse riding and football
- 24 hr babysitting service
- Mascot and Mascot turn-down service
- Playground
- Baby equipment such as cots, high chairs, sterilisers, hooded towels and baby crockery
- Spa treatments and mini-robos, welcome treats and kids in-room bar for little ones
- Irene Forte Spa
- Golf, sports academies hosted by qualified coaches and stars, Water Sports Centre, Bike riding, cookery school, gourmet nights, helicopter rides, hire a Porsche
- 4 Restaurants, 2 bars
- 200 rooms and villas are an 8 minute walk from main building

The Specifics

Group Size

We always try to provide an approximation of the group size you can expect to be with for the duration of each of our holidays. It may be that you are joined by others for parts of your holiday (such as transfers and particular activities) but the above number reflects those you can normally expect to be with from beginning to end. If group size is something which is particularly important to you, please speak to our Travel Experts and they can suggest the best holidays for you.

Tailor-made holiday group sizes will vary for all activities as will the group size for any additional activities you book.

Minimum numbers required for a holiday to operate

Some of our holidays require a minimum number of participants to operate (as listed in the 'Group Size' section). If your holiday departure has not yet reached the minimum number, you will be told at the time of booking. In the unlikely event that your chosen date is not guaranteed by nine weeks before your scheduled departure date, we will contact you to discuss the available options as per our booking conditions.

Minimum and maximum age

The minimum age for this holiday can be found in the 'Key Facts' section of the holiday overview.

Younger family members may be able to participate but may not be able to take part in all activities. Please contact one of our Travel Experts if you have any questions.

Itinerary amendments

The order of activities listed in this agenda is provided for guidance only, your final and detailed itinerary will be provided either with your final travel documents (which are uploaded into your online account around a week prior to departure) or upon arrival.

Terms and Conditions

Our full booking terms and conditions can be found on our website: <https://www.activitiesabroad.com/booking-conditions>

Please note: our payment and cancellation terms will be unique to each booking - they will be confirmed with you at the time of quotation. The terms listed above are noted as a guide only