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Welcome to Neapolis 1897 Boutique Hotel.

Neapolis 1897 Boutique Hotel is located in the heart of Athens an exceptionally convenient location for those who want to explore the city.

Neapolis sits within walking distance to all museums and historical monuments downtown and also to uncountable restaurants and bars.



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1. Our Hotel

Neapolis 1897 Boutique Hotel offers 16 beautifully designed and modern guest rooms, each room is named after strong, influential Greek women that were very well known throughout ancient Greece. Renovated in 2022 the rooms are up to date with all the necessary amenities to make your stay all that more comfortable and special. Whether you are in Athens for leisure, business or just stopping by we have your needs covered.

1.1 The History

The hotel itself is a recently renovated Neoclassical building dating back to 1897.

The Neoclassical architectural style emerged in the 18th century. Neoclassicism was inspired by the classical architecture of Ancient Greece and Rome which was seen as a symbol of order, clarity and reason. The movement emphasized simplicity symmetry and elegance and sought to return to the classical ideals of harmony and balance.

Athens is known for its Neoclassical architecture but unfortunately after years of neglect many of these 18th century buildings that once were grand homes and had meaning and purpose are now abandoned and have been forgotten in time.

The story of our Neoclassical building is a very similar one. Even though the building was and is still a listed property. After intense renovations the building was brought back to life and became Neapolis 1897 Boutique hotel.

Renovating such a building came with its challenges, the design of a Neoclassical building typically features elegant, symmetrical lines and a focus on classical proportions and classical motifs such as columns and arches, wanting to keep most of its original design and charm and due to it being a listed property renovation came with limitations.





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1.2. The Location

Neapoli translates to 'new city.' The name originally comes from the fact that it was a new area of Athens built beyond the perimeters of what was the original center of Athens. Areas such as Anafiotika and Plaka were considered the most central part of the city.

Neapoli was built in the mid-19th century by plasterers and marble constructors who came in Athens searching for a better life. As land in Neapolis was then outside the central area and consequently cheaper.

The area is well known for being the home of many writers, poets, artists and book publishing houses. Some of the oldest bookstores of Athens can also be found in the streets of Neapolis. The area is now part of the city's long rich history and is well known by the older as well as the newer generations.





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2. Directions to Neapolis 1897 Boutique Hotel.

Our hotel's central location allows for easy access from the airport and the port as well as getting around the city. The nearest Metro Station to Neapolis 1897 Boutique Hotel is Panepistimio Metro Stations which serves the red line. There you will also find the stop for the Athens tour buses. The station is just a 10-minute walk from the hotel.

[Click Here for Walking Directions From Nearest Metro Station](#)

2.1. From Airport

[Click Here for Driving Directions](#)

- **Metro** Blue Line from Airport Metro Station to Syntagma Square Metro Station, from there take the Metro Red Line with direction Elliniko and disembark at Panepistimio Metro Station, Neapolis 1897 Boutique hotel is a 10-minute walk from the station.
- **Bus** X95 outside departures at the airport to Syntagma Square (last stop) from Syntagma Square Metro Station catch the Metro Red Line with direction Elliniko and disembark at Panepistimio Metro Station, Neapolis 1897 Boutique hotel is a 10-minute walk from the station.
- Taxi** Approximate time of journey 45 minutes.
(Contact us to reserve your taxi)

2.2. From Piraeus Port

[Click Here for Driving Directions](#)

- **Metro** Green Line from Piraeus Metro Station to Omonoia Square Metro Station, from there take the Metro Red Line with direction Elliniko and disembark at Panepistimio Metro Station, Neapolis 1897 Boutique hotel is a 10-minute walk from the station.
- Taxi** Approximate time of journey 35 minutes.
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3. Our Services

We are always trying to go above and beyond to meet our guests needs prior and during their stay as well as after their departure. Below are just some of the services we offer, please don't hesitate to contact us if you require any further information on our services.

3.1. Transfer Services

We can arrange transfer services to and from the airport and the ferry port (extra charges applies). We can also book taxis for your transportation throughout your stay with us.

3.2. Room Service

A quiet night in and a glass of wine on your balcony, Neapolis 1897 Boutique Hotel caters for your every mood. Below are the items on our room service menu.

Our Wine Collection (bottle 750 ml)

Asyrtiko, Nemea Winery, PGI Peloponnese 18,00 €
dry white wine, full body, with high intensity.

White Ampelomythos, Nemea Winery 12,00 €
dry white wine, rich aromas of citrus and exotic fruits.

Fruity White, Nemea Winery 18,00 €
medium dry white wine, smooth and delicate with impressive aroma.

Nectarous White, Nemea Winery. 13,00 €
semi sweet white wine, perfect with fresh and dried fruits.

Rose Ampelomythos, Nemea Winery. 14,00 €
dry rose wine, Aromas of red fruits with hints of floral.

Red Ampelomythos, Nemea Winery. 15,00 €
choose from dry red or semi sweet red

Our Wine Platters are made with a fine selection of two types of Greek cheese and meat, carob nut, cherry tomatoes, dried grapes, olives.

Two persons 18,00 €

Four persons 30,00 €





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4. What to see and do

4.1. Around Athens



I. Acropolis Hill.

The Acropolis is the most visited attraction in Athens that you cannot miss. This hill of 156 meters high is located in the middle of the city and is easily visible from most neighborhoods. At the top you have a beautiful view. You will also find the famous

Parthenon here. This temple is dedicated to the goddess Athena. The Temple of Erechtheion and the Nike Temple are also located on the Acropolis. So there is plenty to see on and around the Acropolis! [More about visiting the Acropolis.](#)

***Tip:** Are you going to visit several archaeological areas such as the Acropolis, the Roman Agora, Hadrian's Library or the Ancient Agora? Then make sure you have purchased the advantageous combination ticket for 7 archaeological areas or the popular Athens Pass in advance. This saves you a lot on your entrance tickets.*



II. Acropolis Museum.

When you visit the Acropolis, you should also visit the Acropolis Museum at the foot of the mountain. In this museum you can view many finds excavated at the Acropolis, as well as archaeological remains of the buildings and temples on the Acropolis. Here you will find some of the sculptures of the Parthenon. In

this museum you can find a lot of information about the history of the Acropolis in order to get a better idea of this area. [More information on Acropolis Museum.](#)





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III. Ancient Agora.

Near the Acropolis you will find the Ancient Agora. This area used to be the center of the city. Important buildings, shops and markets were located here. It was a gathering place for the people and also the government. The *Temple of Hephaistos* is also located on the ancient Agora. Unlike many other buildings, this building has remained fairly

intact. This temple was used as a church for a time and is decorated with images and inscriptions. The *Stoa of Attalus* now houses the Museum of the Ancient Agora.

[More information on the Ancient Agora](#)

IV. Route along 5 Archeological Sites.

In addition to the Acropolis and Ancient Agora, there are 5 other archaeological sites that are well worth visiting. This includes the Roman Agora where you can visit the Tower of the Winds. Then follow your route to Hadrian's Library, which in the past was not only used as a library, but also as a meeting place. The next location



is Olympieion. This was the largest temple in Athens, dedicated to Zeus. Furthermore, Kerameikos is an old town with a well-known cemetery where many archaeological finds are located today. Finally, you can visit Aristotle's Lyceum. [In this article you can read more about the route along these 5 archaeological sites.](#)

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V. Pláka.

If you are in Athens, you should definitely visit the Plaka district. This is one of the nicest neighborhoods in Athens with terraces and souvenir shops. Despite the fact that this district is very touristy, it does have an authentic atmosphere and colorful appearance. In this district there are several monuments to visit, but of course you

can also walk through the small streets and absorb the atmosphere. It is always busy here and there is always something going on. [Read more about 'What to do in Plaka?'](#).

VI. Anafiótika.

Would you like to find some peace and quiet in the busy city? Then you should visit the Anafiótika district, near Plaka. This neighborhood is full of white houses and it looks like you are on one of the Greek islands. You won't encounter as many tourists here as in Plaka. The neighborhood is also significantly quieter and many locals live here. In this district you



can also visit a viewpoint where you can take beautiful pictures. More info 'Anafiótika'.



VII. Panathenaic Stadium

The Panathenaic Stadium is a stadium that once hosted the Panathenaic Games. The stadium was rebuilt in 1896 and the first modern Olympic games were held here. The stadium can accommodate 80,000 people. This stadium has been used for various sports ceremonies over the years, but is now only a landmark where you can learn

more about the Olympics.



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VIII. Monastiráki.

Monastiráki Square is one of the central places in Athens. This square is located in the middle of the busy Monastiráki district and is extremely popular. Near this square are several churches and museums. You can also shop here in the large shopping street Ermou. On the square itself there is a cozy atmosphere and you can enjoy

a snack and a drink. There is also a flea market every Sunday. More info 'Monastiráki'.

IX. National Archaeological Museum.

Athens has a lot of museums, but the National Archaeological Museum has one of the largest and most comprehensive collections in all of Greece. If you want to visit one archaeological museum, it is best to choose this one. You will find a collection of Greek art here and a few well-known and rare objects. For example, you will find the mechanism of



Antikythera and the mask of Agamemnon here. More info 'National Archaeological Museum'.

X. Views from Lykavíttós.

For the best view of the entire city, head to Lykavíttós Hill. At 277 meters, it is the highest hill in all of Athens. From the top you have a beautiful view over the entire city. You can climb the hill yourself or go up with a funicular. On Lykavíttós you will find a chapel, an open-air theater and a luxury restaurant. Especially during sunset this location is phenomenal. More info 'Lykavíttós'.





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XI. Syntagma Square



Syntagma Square is located in the modern part of Athens. This square is known as a busy thoroughfare. You will also find the parliament building here. Many tourists come here to see the *Tomb of the Unknown Soldier*. This is guarded by soldiers and every hour there is a changing of the guard. Every Sunday there is an extensive changing of the guard with a

whole ceremony. If you are in this Syntagma Square, you can also check out the metro station. It is the most beautiful in all of Athens where you can also view several archaeological finds.

XII. Discover Athens by bike

During your trip to Athens, you naturally want to see as much of the city as possible. The perfect way to do this is by bicycle. You can map out a cycling route yourself or even better, join a tour. Within half a day you will see all the important landmarks and sight and hear the most beautiful stories accompanied by a guide. More info about bike tours.

XIII. National Garden of Athens.



The National Garden of Athens (Zappeion Park) is a large park right in the center. This park is located near the parliament building and some museums. It is a perfect place to walk around and enjoy nature. It is a very green and wooded area to relax in the busy city. On the other side of the park you arrive at the old Panathenaic stadium.





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XIV. Nightlife in the districts of Gázi or Psyri.

For a pleasant evening you have to be in the *Gázi* district. This *Gázi* district is known for its busy nightlife. During the day there is not much to do in this district, but at night the district is transformed into one of the nicest districts of the city. Another nice

neighborhood is *Psirri* (Psyri). This alternative neighborhood is popular among young people and hipsters. You will also find alternative shops here and above all a very cozy atmosphere. During the day you can walk around endlessly and enjoy the many street art works.

XV. Central market.

Near Monastiráki you will find the Varvakeios market halls. At this large market you can buy everything, such as vegetables, meat, fish, fruit and wine. You can taste and buy authentic Greek delicacies here. It is a busy market with a lively atmosphere. You can also buy food and other items from many different cultures. Even if you don't want to buy anything, it's even worth a visit.



XVI. Walk Up Philopappos Hill.

At 147 meters, Philopappos Hill is certainly not the highest hill in Athens. However, you do have a beautiful view at the Acropolis and it is often less crowded than on other well-known hills. Because this hill is a bit lower, it is also easier to walk up. Besides the beautiful view from Philopappos you will also find the Philopappos *Philopappos*

monument and the *prison of Socrates*. Socrates is said to have been locked up here before being convicted.





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XVII. Visit a Greek Orthodox Church.

The *Metropolis Cathedral* (Great Metropolis) is the largest and most famous Greek Orthodox church in Athens. This church was built in the 19th century by three different architects. The church therefore has a distinct appearance where different styles come together. This church is still used as a meeting place for many Greek Orthodox people from the area.

Another well-known Greek Orthodox church is *Kapnikaréa* (photo). This is one of the oldest churches in Athens and located in the middle of the busy Ermou shopping street.



XVIII. Kerameikos, the cemetery of ancient Athens.

Kerameikos, the cemetery of ancient Athens: Kerameikos is one of the most important but least visited archaeological sights in Athens. This was actually the cemetery of ancient Athens and was continuously in use from the 9th century BC until the Roman times. The ancient

necropolis of Keramikos is an extraordinary sight. The 11-acre archaeological site is filled with tombstones and statues of astonishing design and quality.

