## Respect Cyprus — Travel Responsibly

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Cyprus holds over 10,000 years of history, culture, and natural beauty. During your stay, help us protect what makes the island special.

Simple ways to do the right thing:

- 1. Leave no trace. Use bins for rubbish and recycling; take litter with you if bins are full.
- 2. Protect nature. Don't cut flowers, damage trees, or disturb wildlife or habitats. Avoid activities that harm animals.
- 3. Stay on marked paths. This safeguards fragile archaeological sites, plants, and animals.
- 4. No fires in the wild. Cyprus is very dry in summer, and fires start easily. Barbecues are allowed only in designated picnic areas.
- 5. Respect the heritage. Do not touch, step on, collect, or remove archaeological relics or artifacts.
- 6. Obey signs and barriers. Fenced or restricted areas protect the site—view from outside.
- 7. Follow the law. Buying, selling, exporting, or handling antiquities without a Government of Cyprus permit is illegal and severely punished.
- 8. Honor sacred places. In churches, monasteries, and mosques: keep voices low, observe visiting hours, and dress modestly (some monasteries provide cover-ups).
- 9. Think safety. Watch for uneven terrain, drop-offs, and loose rocks; wear suitable footwear and carry water.

Thank you for helping us keep Cyprus' heritage and nature thriving—for today's visitors and tomorrow's.