

Things To Do — Local Attractions



Acitrezza

Visit the East coast of Sicily with its important reserves including the Lachea Island, the large 'Faraglione' and a series of smaller rocks, coming from Mount Etna's first activity.

The Lachea Island, which consists mainly of basaltic rocks, is the largest among the "Island of the Cyclops," and it is linked to the first volcanic eruptions in the Gulf of Acitrezza.



Caltagirone

Swirling patterns, vibrant colours and painstakingly detailed designs - Caltagirone, one of the most lively Baroque towns in central Sicily, is known as "The city of Sicilian ceramics" due to its thousand-year-old tradition. A visit to the Regional Museum of Ceramics is a must to appreciate the artistic value of Sicilian pottery and its evolution over the centuries.



<u>Castelmola</u>

Castelmola is a small city located on the top of a mountain, above Taormina. The panoramic view from this area is amazing and should not be missed. There is a bus that departs several times per day from Taormina main Bus Station and will drop you off directly in town.



<u>Noto</u>

The town of Noto is famous as one of the "capitals" of Baroque art in Italy. The elegance of the balconies and the refinement of the facades make it a unique and gorgeous example of the 17th and 18th century architecture. Noto and the Baroque towns of the Noto valley have been proclaimed a World Heritage Site by UNESCO.