

How to use: residence 2+2



CASA CALANDRA 2+2

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ENGLISH

HOW TO GET THERE AND MOVE AROUND THE AEOLIAN ISLANDS.

Hou to arrive.

Arriving and moving around the Aeolian Islands.

The Aeolian Islands are a volcanic archipelago located in the Tyrrhenian Sea, off the northeastern coast of Sicily. They comprise seven main islands: Lipari, Vulcano, Salina, Stromboli, Filicudi, Alicudi, and Panarea, as well as numerous smaller islands.

The archipelago offers a great variety of landscapes, including beaches, cliffs, active and inactive volcanoes, crater lakes, sea caves, and underwater canyons. Each island has its own personality and unique attractions, but all offer an authentic experience of Sicilian culture, with delicious cuisine, ancient history, and vibrant traditions.

The Aeolian Islands have been recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage Site since 2000, thanks to their exceptional natural beauty and scientific value as an example of active and passive volcanism. They are a popular tourist destination for excursions, outdoor activities, swimming, and relaxing on the beach, but they also offer opportunities for cultural tourism and scientific research.



The Aeolian Islands can be reached in various ways, but most visitors arrive by sea or air.

Regarding transportation by sea, there are several ferry companies operating between the islands and the mainland, with departures from Milazzo, Messina, Naples, Palermo, and Reggio Calabria. Ferries are available year-round, but the frequency of departures and travel times may vary depending on the season and weather conditions.

For those who prefer to travel by air, the closest airport to the Aeolian Islands is Catania, which offers domestic and international flights. From Catania Airport, you can reach Milazzo by car or bus, and from there take a ferry to the islands.

If you arrive via Catania Airport:

Buses to Milazzo are available from the airport and operated by giuntabus.it. Check the schedules on their website. The cost per person is approximately 15 euros one way.

You can also book car rental services with drivers from Catania to Milazzo and vice versa.

We recommend the company Centrale Milazzo (www.centralmilazzo.it).

To book, call +390909282472. The cost for a car (4 people) from Catania to Milazzo and vice versa is approximately 130 euros one way.

Once you arrive at the port of Milazzo, you can reach the Aeolian Islands by ferry or hydrofoil.

- Ferries: siremar.it
- Hydrofoils: libertyline.it

The schedules can be found on the companies' websites or on the Telegram group of the agency that manages reservations on the island of Lipari, "EOLTRAVEL info collegamenti Eolie."

- The Telegram group can be reached at the following address: [T.me/eoltravel](https://t.me/eoltravel)

To make a reservation, check the website or send a message to the agency's Telegram-WhatsApp group.

- Telegram: +39 3280318861
- WhatsApp: +39 3280318861

How to reach the apartments.

The apartments are located in Canneto, a coastal village on the island of Lipari.

Once you know the expected arrival time at the port of Lipari, please send an SMS or WhatsApp message to the contacts you received to confirm your reservation and inform them of your estimated time of arrival. This is necessary for them to organize the welcome and key handover.

Upon arrival in Lipari, the assigned person will take care of your welcome.

Please inform them in advance of your expected arrival time.

When you arrive at the port of Lipari, take a taxi or the minibus to the location of Canneto (4km - approximately 10 minutes by car).

The minibusses generally depart every 15 minutes and stop at CALANDRA.

If you take a taxi, ask to be taken to Canneto, near the RITROVO CALANDRA restaurant.

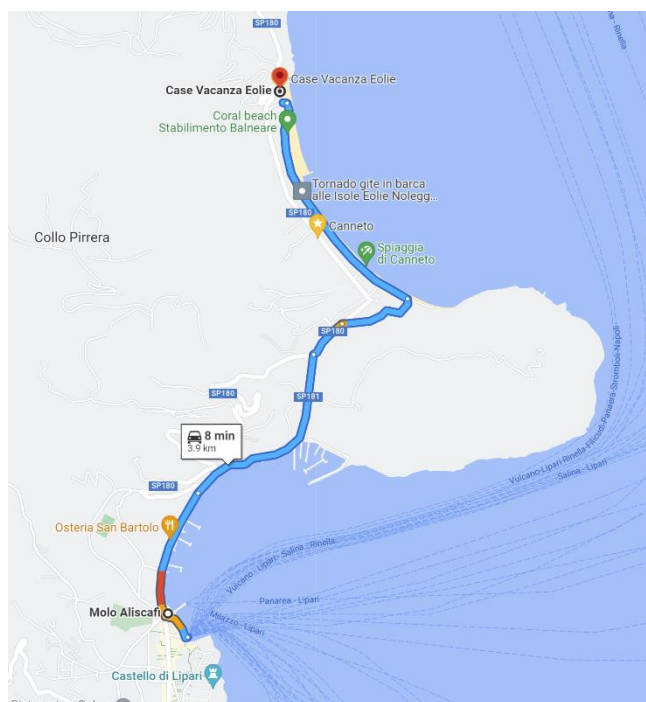
Once you arrive in Canneto, at the end of the promenade, you will find the Calandra area.

In the small square, you will find the RITROVO CALANDRA restaurant.

They will be waiting for you there to hand over the keys.

The residence is located in Calandra square. Taking the uphill road to the white beaches, approximately 20 meters away, you will find the entrance to the apartments with a stone frieze featuring an owl.

On the second floor, you will find the CASA CALANDRA 2+2 residence.



Residence Casa Calandra 8 Instructions

Here is some useful information for using the residence.

WIFI

The residence has full WIFI coverage with a capacity of 80MB.

To access > Networks: VACANZAEOLIE - CASACALANDRA - Password: Eolie2022!!!

Electricity

The control panel is located outside the entrance, to the right of the wrought iron door, before entering the apartment.

Water

The tap water is drinkable.

On the kitchen sink, you will find a small faucet with a charcoal filter installed for further water purification.

To shut off the water supply, turn off the control tap in the bathroom.

In the bathroom there are the classic hot and cold water switches that allow you to turn off the water.

The apartments have an underground cistern and water supply via the municipal network.

CONTACT US FOR ANY NEED OR PROBLEM RELATED TO WATER.

Hot Water

Hot water is generated by a central 300-liter boiler.

In case it runs out, wait about 30 minutes before taking a shower to allow for the generation of new hot water.

The boiler is located in the external cabinet along the stairs leading to the second floor, on the left.

The cabinet is locked. Please contact us for any related issues.

Water is a precious resource on the islands. Please use it wisely.

Air Conditioning / Heating

It works only via remote controls delivered upon delivery of the apartment.

Please turn off the system if you are not at home.

By tampering with the fan coils, the systems shut down.

For any information regarding usage, please contact us.

Boiler and Heating (for winter use)

The heating of the apartments is possible through the air pumps present in the rooms.

The instructions for using the air conditioning (hot/cold) are in the drawer under the kitchen.

KITCHEN

HOB

The hob installed is gas.

The opening and closing is above the hob via a knob with the indication + and -.

The galley supply bottles are located on the roof in a small shed in the garden.

If the cylinder runs out, there is always a reserve. Call us for replacement.

Fridge and Freezer

The fridge has a large freezer compartment at the top.

Dishwasher and Oven

They are located in the kitchen near the sink and below the cooktop.

Coffee Machine and Kettle

The residence is equipped with a coffee machine that uses NESPRESSO pods.

Oven and small appliances

They can be found in the kitchen to the left upon entering.

First Aid Kit

A first aid kit is available in the bottom drawer of the dresser in the bedroom. There is a charge of €30 for its use.

OTHER INFORMATION ABOUT THE RESIDENCE

House Linen

The apartments are provided with bed sheets, blankets, towels, and kitchen linens. If you require a change of bed sheets and towels, please ask us. The additional cost for linen change is €20 per person, which includes replacement of bed sheets and towel set.

Beach towels are not provided.

Plant Watering

We water the plants in the patio and terrace every 3 days. You can take care of them by coordinating with the person in charge of the house.

Cleaning Service on Request

For any cleaning needs, please contact us to arrange the service. The cost for cleaning service is €20 per hour.

Library

Find a small bookcase in the bedroom.

The books are numbered and catalogued.

To buy books on the Aeolian Islands you will find a newsstand in the square of Canneto and a bookshop in Lipari.

Fire Extinguisher

It is located at the entrance of the apartment. Any misuse that results in breaking the safety seal will incur a charge of €90.

Toolbox

It is located in the cabinet on the staircase leading to the second floor. Opening it is only allowed in the presence of the residence manager.

Pumice Dust

About one kilometer north of Canneto, there are old pumice quarries that can be visited along the island tour. When it's windy, an impalpable cloud of pumice dust may enter the houses. Don't worry too much, as it settles again after about half an hour. The houses are thoroughly cleaned, but you may still find a thin layer of deposited dust.

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Grocery Shopping and Services

In the square of Calandra, there is a small supermarket that has everything you may need for your vacation. In Canneto, there is a discount store along the road that leads to Lipari. For fruits and vegetables, besides the supermarket near the house, there is a fruit and vegetable store near the PAPISCA rotisserie on the waterfront. Next to Rosticceria Papisca, there is a grocery store that offers home delivery.

Bakery

You can find one in the square of Calandra. They also make focaccias and croissants for breakfast. Other bakeries can be found along the Canneto waterfront, in the church square, and at the end of the village.

Newsstand and Tobacco Shop

The nearest tobacco shop is located near the house, BAR BLU, 100 meters from Calandra square, along the waterfront. In the church square, there is a newsstand that also sells tobacco.

Pastry Shops and Bars

In the square, you will find pastry shops and bars that produce granitas, cannoli, and pastries. In Lipari, along the main street, there are many establishments. The historic one is Pasticceria Subba.

Pizzerias and Restaurants

Below the house, there is the Ristorante RITROVO CALANDRA, which is convenient due to its proximity and for ordering takeaway pizzas to enjoy on the terrace. Some recommended restaurants in the Acquacalda area are Al tramonto and Da Lauro. For a complete overview, consult Google Maps and Trip Advisor.

VISITING THE AEOLIAN ISLANDS

Excursions by Sea

Departures from Canneto are available for boat trips to visit all the Aeolian Islands. Ask us for more information.

We recommend the **Nautical Center "Il Caicco"** for renting boats and inflatables or exclusive excursions with a skipper. You can find it at the pier in Canneto.

- For availability, contact Giuseppe at +39 339 722 2347.

For exclusive cruises on a 12-meter open boat, we recommend **Captain Sergio** and his boat. The boat can be viewed on the website: www.tourluxuryboat.it.

- To check availability, call him at +39 3382821663.

The Aeolian Islands are an area of great natural beauty with many attractions to see and appreciate during a boat tour. Here are some of the most beautiful things to see during a boat tour:

- Stromboli: This active volcano is one of the highlights of the boat tour of the Aeolian Islands. It is recommended to make a night stop to witness the impressive spectacle of nocturnal eruptions.
- Panarea: It is the smallest island in the Aeolian Islands but is very popular for its beaches and picturesque marina.

- **Vulcano:** The island is named after the active volcano that dominates the landscape. You can take a walk on the volcano and enjoy the thermal waters.
- **Lipari:** This is the largest island and the administrative center of the Aeolian Islands. It is rich in history and culture and has many tourist attractions such as the Castle of Lipari, the Regional Archaeological Museum, and the Cathedral of San Bartolomeo.
- **Salina:** It is the greenest island in the Aeolian Islands, famous for its vineyards and the production of Malvasia, a local wine. The bay of Pollara is also famous for being used as a location in the movie "Il Postino."
- **Alicudi and Filicudi:** These are the islands farthest from the Sicilian coast and offer a quieter experience compared to the other Aeolian Islands. They are perfect for those seeking peace, tranquility, and diving opportunities.

These are just some of the beautiful things to see in the Aeolian Islands during a boat tour. However, each island has its own beauty and strengths, so it's worth visiting them all if you have the opportunity.

From Lipari, it is recommended to organize:

- A tour in the direction of Panarea and Stromboli
- A tour in the direction of Alicudi and Filicudi
- A tour of Salina and Lipari
- A tour of Vulcano and Lipari.

[Excursions by Land](#)



The Aeolian Islands offer many opportunities for land excursions to see some of the natural and cultural attractions of the archipelago. Here are some of the most beautiful things to see:

- **Lipari:** Organize an island tour to discover the most attractive corners of the island. Don't forget to explore Valle Muria beach, the Caolino area, Chiesa Vecchia, Quattrocchi, and the observatory. It is highly recommended to visit Lipari with its castle and archaeological museum.
- **Salina:** The island is famous for its vineyards and the production of Malvasia, a local wine. You can take a tour of the wineries and taste the local wine.
- **Vulcano:** The island is named after the active volcano that dominates the landscape. You can go on a hike to see the crater and enjoy the thermal waters.
- **Filicudi:** The island is famous for its breathtaking landscapes, including the La Canna sea stack and the promontory of Capo Graziano.
- **Stromboli:** This active volcano is a must-see attraction in the Aeolian Islands. You can take a night excursion to witness the eruption and enjoy the panoramic view of the sea.
- **Fossa Volcano:** Located on the island of Vulcano, this volcano is the largest in the archipelago. You can take a hike to see the crater and enjoy a panoramic view of the other islands.

These are just some of the beautiful things to see in the Aeolian Islands with land excursions. There are many other natural and cultural attractions that you can visit during an island tour. It is recommended to contact a local travel agency or a tour guide to organize a personalized tour and discover all the wonders that the Aeolian Islands have to offer. Here is a map of the island of Lipari with the highlights to see.

It is recommended to arrive at Chiesa Vecchia for sunset, where you can have a beautiful experience in the gardens behind Chiesa Vecchia while observing the sunset over the islands of Alicudi and Filicudi. Another beautiful sunset spot is the Osservatorio in front of the island of Vulcano.

From Forgia Vecchia (6), which can be reached by following the road to Serra-Pirrera (along the road to Lipari, take the first right before the tunnel), you can enjoy a beautiful panorama of Lipari and Canneto.

From Canneto, on foot, with a walk of about 1 hour, you can reach the summit of Monte Rosa (7). After passing the tunnel to Lipari, take a small road on the right that leads halfway by car. Continue on foot to reach the cross.



Useful Numbers

Home:

- home ownership Domitia's Mobile: +39 3384260534

Hospital and Pharmacies:

- Lipari Hospital: Tel. +39 09098851
- Medical Emergency Service (Guardia Medica) - Lipari: Tel. +39 0909885426
- Canneto Pharmacy - Morsillo Via Marina Garibaldi 72/73: Tel. +39 0909811428
- Lipari Pharmacy - Cincotta Via Garibaldi - Lipari: Tel. +39 0909811472
- Lipari Pharmacy - Internazionale Via Vitt. Emanuele Lipari: Tel. +39 909811583
- Lipari Pharmacy - Sparacino Via Vitt. Emanuele, 174: Tel. +39 0909811392

Other Useful Numbers:

- Lipari Municipality - Piazza Mazzini - Switchboard: Tel. +39 0909887111
- Carabinieri - Lipari - Via G. Marconi: Tel. +39 0909811333
- Fire Brigade - Via Bagnamare 13: Tel. +39 0909880279
- Coast Guard - Lipari - Porto Pignataro: Tel. +39 0909880819 - +39 0909811320
- Forest Ranger Detachment - Lipari - Via Francesco Vitale: Tel. +39 0909880547
- Financial Guard - Lipari - Via G. Marconi: Tel. +39 0909811160
- Municipal Police Department - Municipal Building: Tel. +39 0909887400
- Civil Protection - Lipari - Municipal Building: Tel. +39 0909887400 - +39 0909887315
- Liparese Electric Company - Via Francesco Crispi 86: Tel. +39 0909811135 – 136

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