## TINOS

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#### Location

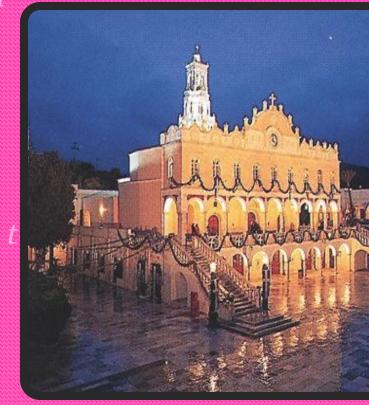
Tinos is a Greek island situated in the Aegean Sea. It is located in the Cyclades archipelago. In antiquity, Tinos was also known as Ophiussa (from Greek ophis 'snake').





## What is Tinos most known of;

Tinos is mostly renowned for being a major tourist and religious site for Orthodox Greeks. Every year, thousands of pilgrims are coming to the island for the Assumption of the Virgin Mary. During this pilgrimage, people are walking on their knees up the Church of Panagia Evangelistria.



# Haces to visit

There is an Archaeological Museum in Tinos town, which contains artifacts from the Sanctuary

of Poseidon and Amphitrite. The excavation of the sanctuary can be seen in Kionia about

4 km of the town

## Gusturas foundation of Tinos

Every year, all principal activities of the foundation are also education and culture-related while special attention is paid in order to inform and bring people and visitors of Tinos in contact with music, art and sciences, through the organization and establishment of artistic programs and exhibitions, concerning the promotion of contemporary and previous artistic trends.



Tinos Cultural Events, Conference and Exhibition Centre