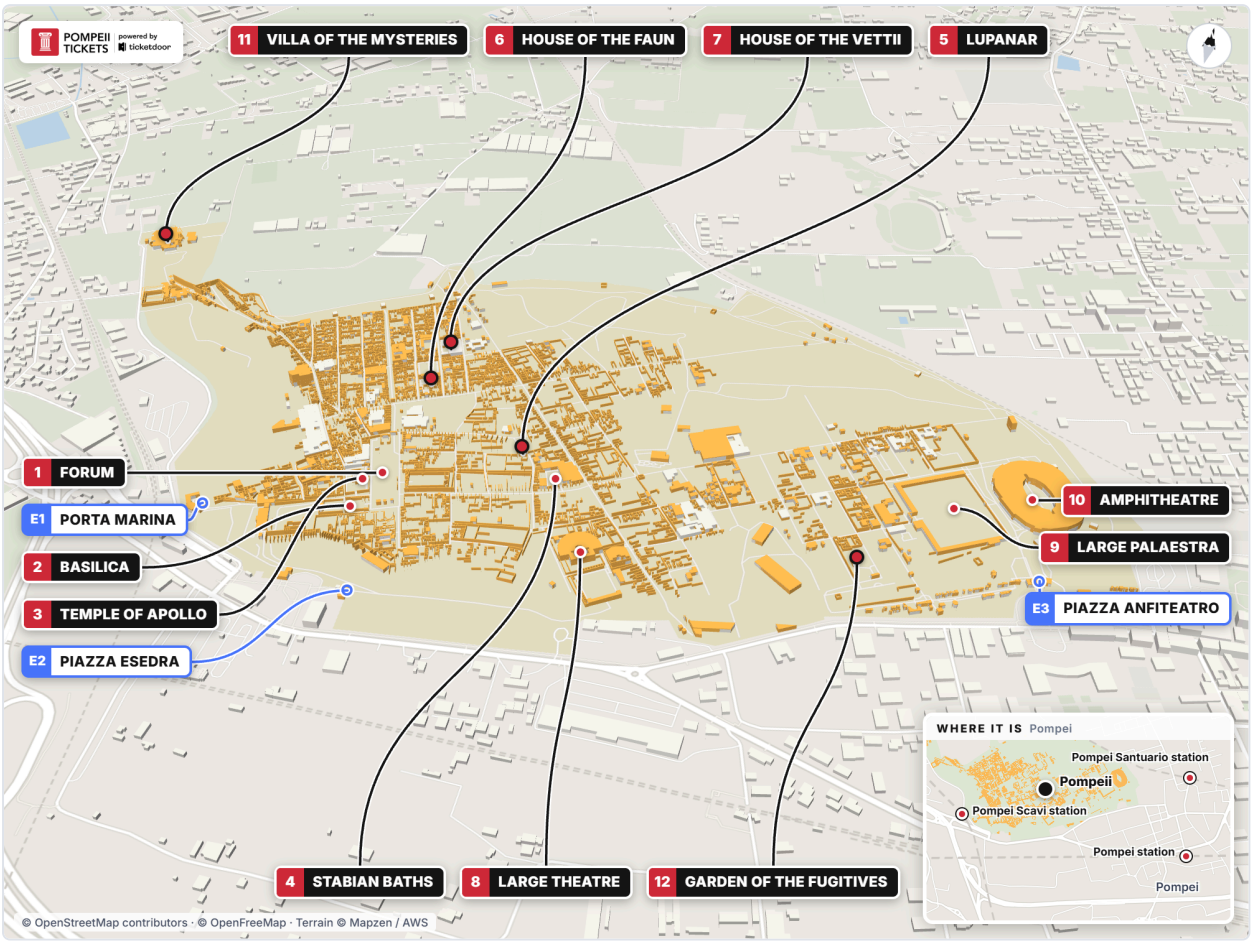
MAP & ENTRANCES

Pompeii map & entrances

3D map of the excavations with the three entrances explained, the main sights numbered and a site plan



1. **Forum**
2. **Basilica**
3. **Temple of Apollo**
4. **Stabian Baths**
5. **Lupanar**
6. **House of the Faun**
7. **House of the Vettii**
8. **Large Theatre**
9. **Large Palaestra**
10. **Amphitheatre**
11. **Villa of the Mysteries**
    Pompeii+ ticket
12. **Garden of the Fugitives**

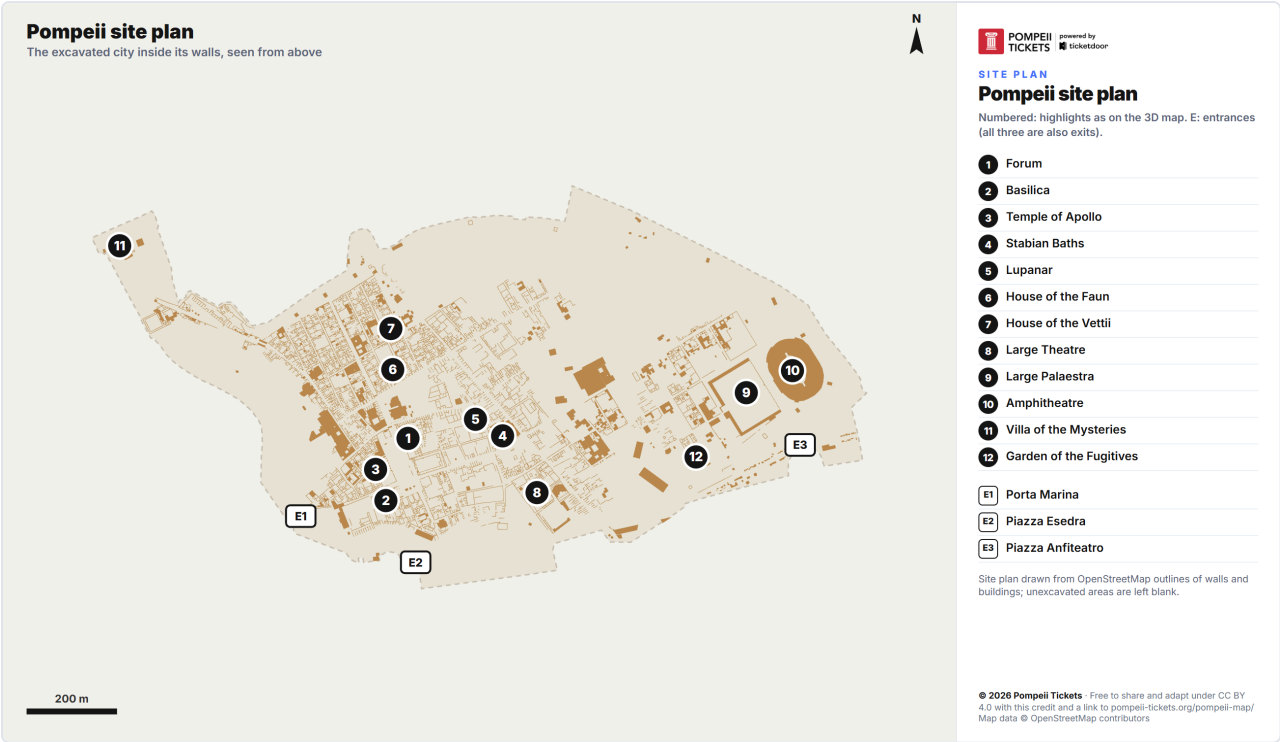
E1 Porta Marina
Entrance and exit with ticket office, luggage storage and the information office; the gate next to the Pompei Villa dei Misteri station (Circumvesuviana, Naples-Sorrento line).

E2 Piazza Esedra
Entrance and exit with ticket office; the park recommends it for the Antiquarium, and the free Artebus shuttle for park visitors leaves from here.

E3 Piazza Anfiteatro
Entrance and exit with ticket office and luggage storage; the start of the step-free 'Pompeii for all' route. Nearest station: Pompei Santuario (Circumvesuviana, Naples-Poggiomarino line).

SITE PLAN

Pompeii site plan



HIGHLIGHTS (NUMBERS AS ON THE 3D MAP)

1 Forum
The core of daily life in the ancient city and the focal point of its main public buildings.

2 Basilica
The grandest building of the Forum, used for business and for the administration of justice; it dates from about 130-120 BC.

3 Temple of Apollo
One of the oldest places of worship in Pompeii, beside the Forum on the way up to Porta Marina.

4 Stabian Baths
Public baths around a large courtyard, with the main entrance on Via dell'Abbondanza; the men's section is open.

5 Lupanar
The ancient brothel, with five rooms on the ground floor, each fitted with a built-in bed.

6 House of the Faun
One of the largest houses in Pompeii, covering a whole block of about 3,000 m²; it dates from the 2nd century BC.

7 House of the Vettii
One of the richest and most famous houses in Pompeii, owned by the brothers Aulus Vettius Restitutus and Aulus Vettius Conviva.

8 Large Theatre
Built into the natural slope of the hill around the middle of the 2nd century BC; the roofed Odeion beside it is seen from outside only.

9 Large Palaestra
A sports ground of about 140 by 140 m around a central pool; since March 2026 it holds the permanent exhibition of the plaster casts.

10 Amphitheatre
The oldest known Roman amphitheatre, built in 70 BC for up to 20,000 spectators.

11 Villa of the Mysteries
Outside the walls beyond Porta Ercolano, named after the hall with a continuous fresco on three walls.

12 Garden of the Fugitives
Casts of 13 victims of the eruption, near the back wall of the garden.

GETTING IN

Entrances and how to get there

E1 Porta Marina

Entrance and exit with ticket office, luggage storage and the information office; the gate next to the Pompei Villa dei Misteri station (Circumvesuviana, Naples-Sorrento line).

Via Villa dei Misteri, west end of the site

E2 Piazza Esedra

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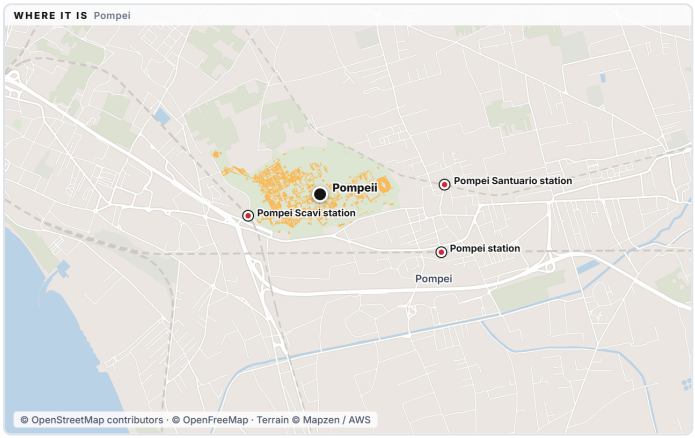
Piazza Porta Marina Inferiore, south-west side

E3 Piazza Anfiteatro

Entrance and exit with ticket office and luggage storage; the start of the step-free 'Pompeii for all' route. Nearest station: Pompei Santuario (Circumvesuviana, Naples-Poggiomarino line).

Piazza Immacolata, east end, near the Amphitheatre

Where it is



Practical

Address: Porta Marina: Via Villa dei Misteri. Piazza Esedra: Piazza Porta Marina Inferiore. Piazza Anfiteatro: Piazza Immacolata. 80045 Pompei (NA)

Getting there: Circumvesuviana Naples-Sorrento line to Pompei Villa dei Misteri for Porta Marina and Piazza Esedra; Naples-Poggiomarino line to Pompei Santuario for Piazza Anfiteatro. By car: A3 motorway, exit Pompei Scavi; the park has no car park of its own

Tickets: Tickets on pompeii-tickets.org. Tickets carry the visitor's name, so bring an ID; one entry only, no re-entry

Open: Every day. 15 Oct to 15 Mar: 9:00-17:00, last entry 15:30. 16 Mar to 14 Oct: 9:00-19:00, last entry 17:30. Closed 1 January and 25 December

Bags: Bags larger than 30 × 30 × 15 cm must be left at the luggage storage at Porta Marina or Piazza Anfiteatro

Good to know: The Villa of the Mysteries needs the Pompeii+ ticket or a supplement at Porta Ercolano (last access there 15:30 in winter). Some houses open shorter hours than the site and a few are seen from outside only. The step-free 'Pompeii for all' route, over 3.5 km, starts at Piazza Anfiteatro

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