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Don't forget sunblock, a hat and your camera! Enjoy! The map is on the 2nd page.

Directions Walk 1 by Beautiful Plakias (<https://beautifulplakias.com>)

You walk to the end of Plakias Beach (east) - at the end the road goes shortly up and ends at Plakias Bay Hotel - take the small foot path straight ahead along the hotel's fence – if you want to take the alternative route look below the current directions and you will join this route again at Damnoni Beach - take the 3rd path to the right which goes up through the olive groves and looks like a dry river bed (usually there is a pile of stones marking the right turn) - when the path levels again take a left turn - you walk towards a small field with gates on both sides - if the gates are closed don't forget to close them again behind you (the gates are there to keep sheep and goats in or out) - at the upcoming t-section go left (there is sign for Damnoni) and you pass a single house - when the dirt road ends take a right turn on the paved road - at the following intersection you cross the road and take the dirt road that curves to the right, passing Hapimag resort - when you reach Damnoni beach you walk passed the water sport centre towards the showers of the resort - pass them , take a left and you will see a wooden bridge - walk over the bridge and follow the road along the beach - at the end it goes up shortly and at the t-section take the dirt road to the right - you will pass Ammoudaki beach and right after it Klisidi or “One Rock” beach (*walk a bit towards the sea to see this beach*) - follow the dirt road and take the steep way down to the next beach, Ammoudi - cross this beach and at the end you will have to pass a small stream (which might be dry) – on your left you can go through the fence, walk about 10 meters towards the sea again and climb up the rock formations - find the rocks marked with a blue dot - climb up, go right and follow the blue dots (in case you lose them just stay close to the shore in the beginning and keep looking for them) - once you are passed the sharp rocks the path is more clear and the blue dots easier to find - when you reach the top Shinaria beach shows itself to you - walk down and pass the gate to get onto the beach - get onto the paved road that ends up on the beach right next to the taverna - the first kilometre keeps going up - just follow the meandering road you are on, don't take any lefts or rights - *when the road levels out you can enjoy the stunning views over the valley east of Plakias* - the walk ends with a downhill, just after an old donkey sanctuary, straight into the centre of Lefkogia. The bus stop is at a stone shelter to the left across the main road from a big taverna.

Alternative route (up and around Mount/Cape Kakomouri):

Walk along the fence next to the Plakias Bay hotel and take the second path to the right (there is a sign that says Kalypso) – the path gradually goes up and gets steeper towards the end – (*the views towards Plakias Bay are spectacular*) – when you see a gate walk up to it and go through - keep following the path – the path will go through a small opening between rocks and when you are through and down the rocks it gets a bit tricky – on your right hand you will have to find a path that goes down and is marked with red (or blue) dots – once you found it just keep following the dots and you will end up on a paved road –go right on this road – pass the big gate at Kalypso and stay on the same road till you see steps going up just after a parking – go up the steps and the dirt road that follows will take you to Damnoni Beach where you connect again with the route above





- START/FINISH
- BEACH
- BUS STOP
- HOTEL
- OLIVE GROVE
- SINGLE HOUSE
- WOODEN BRIDGE
- TAVERNA
- MOUNTAIN
- CONNECTING WALK
- ALTERNATIVE ROUTE