Kenya & Uganda Safari, Adventure

NAIROBI • MASAI MARA • LAKE BUNYONYI

The Offer

Ready for an African journey like no other? This 19-day small-group tour unveils the incredible wildlife and stunning natural landscapes of Kenya and Uganda. Immerse yourself in thrilling adventures, rich cultures and more.

Land in Kenya before heading to the world-renowned plains of Masai Mara National Reserve. Enjoy a full-day game drive in search of lions, leopards, elephants and more in their natural habitat. Journey to Lake Nakuru National Park for an exciting afternoon game drive, home to large flocks of bright pink flamingos. Cross the border into Uganda to visit the Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary where southern white rhinos and prehistoric-looking shoebill storks await.

Head deep into East Africa's largest mahogany forest for a scenic boat ride and exhilarating trek in search of chimpanzees. Discover Lake Bunyonyi in the south, your starting point for a thrilling hike with park rangers in pursuit of mountain gorillas. Admire birdlife around Lake Mburo, join an optional adventure activity in Jinja and browse the lively markets in Eldoret. Unleash your inner explorer with return international fullservice flights, gorilla and chimpanzee trekking permits, 45 meals, and 16 nights of hotel, lodge and camping accommodation.

Want more? Upgrade your accommodation or choose an Arrive Early or Stay Behind in Nairobi, Kenya.







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Day 1 Australia (or New Zealand) - Nairobi, Kenya Today, depart Australia (or New Zealand) for Nairobi, Kenya.

Please note: Due to flight scheduling and availability, some customers may be required to depart on Day 2 and will arrive on Day 2.

Meals included: In-Flight

Day 2 Nairobi, Kenya

Upon arrival in Nairobi, you'll be transferred to the hotel by a tour representative. If check-in is not yet available, luggage can be stored at the hotel until the room is ready. Enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure.

Nairobi is the bustling capital and largest city of Kenya, located in the eastern part of the country. It's often referred to as the "Green City in the Sun" due to its lush foliage and pleasant climate. Uniquely, it's the only capital city in the world that boasts a national park within its city limits.

Accommodation

Camping Option: Room with en-suite bathroom

Accommodation Upgrade: Room with en-suite bathroom

Overnight: Hotel Boulevard Nairobi or similar, Nairobi Meals included: None

Day 3 Nairobi - Masai Mara

Leaving Nairobi behind, you'll head to the Masai Mara, a worldrenowned wilderness of endless plains and spectacular wildlife. For your comfort and optimal viewing, you'll travel to the Mara in safari vehicles rather than the overland truck. Upon arrival, enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure after an approximately 250-kilometre journey.

Please note: Pack a small overnight bag with your towel, clothes, toiletries and camping essentials for this part of the journey. Any excess baggage will be securely stored in the overland truck.

Accommodation

Camping Option: Permanent tent with shared bathroom facilities

Accommodation Upgrade: Permanent tent with en-suite bathroom

Overnight: Kenia Safari Camp or similar, Masai Mara Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 4 Masai Mara National Reserve Full-Day Game Drive

Today, enjoy a full day game drive in the famous Masai Mara National Reserve. This quintessential African landscape, characterised by acacia trees scattered across boundless grassy plains, often comes to life with the additional image of a Maasai warrior and their cattle.

The undisputed highlight of Masai Mara is the annual wildebeest migration, an awe-inspiring natural phenomenon. Over a million wildebeest, along with zebras and other grazers, undertake the largest mass movement of land mammals on Earth, following the seasonal rains across the vast plains of both the Serengeti and

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the Mara. Beyond the migration, the reserve teems with diverse wildlife. Search for large prides of lions, herds of elephants, giraffes, gazelles and eland.

Accommodation

Camping Option: Camping Option: Permanent tent with shared bathroom facilities

Accommodation Upgrade: Permanent tent with en-suite bathroom

Overnight: Kenia Safari Camp or similar, Masai Mara Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 5 Masai Mara - Lake Nakuru - Afternoon Game Drive

This morning, journey to Lake Nakuru National Park for an exciting afternoon game drive. Originally established as a bird sanctuary and upgraded to National Park status in 1968, Lake Nakuru is renowned for its large flocks of flamingos and pelicans. This is a mesmerising sight against the backdrop of the soda lake's saline waters which are rich in the algae that attract these iconic birds.

Set amidst yellow acacia woodlands and bushy scrublands within the Great Rift Valley, the park is home to over 50 mammal species. This includes hippo, black and white rhino, lions, leopards, Rothschild giraffe, buffalo and eland. As a true bird watcher's paradise, it boasts over 450 bird species.

Please note: Today's travel is approximately 220 kilometres.

Accommodation

Camping Option: Room with en-suite bathroom

Accommodation Upgrade: Room with en-suite bathroom

Overnight: Hotel Waterbuck or similar, Nakuru Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 6 Lake Nakuru, Kenya - Jinja, Uganda

This morning, cross the border into Uganda and make your way to Jinja. As Uganda's second-largest city, Jinja is most famous as the precise point where the Nile (officially the Victoria Nile) flows out of Lake Victoria, beginning its epic 6,695-kilometer journey to Egypt and the Mediterranean.

Renowned as the historic source of the Nile River, Jinja has evolved into East Africa's adventure capital. Located 81 kilometres east of Kampala, the city sits on a peninsula bordered by Lake Victoria and the Nile. Once a colonial outpost, Jinja has transformed into a hub for adventure tourism, drawing visitors with its world-renowned white-water rafting.

Once you've arrived, enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure after an approximately 430-kilometre journey.

Accommodation

Camping Option: Camping with shared bathroom facilities

Accommodation Upgrade: Permanent tent with shared bathroom facilities

Overnight: Kalagala Falls Overland Camp or similar, Jinja Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner









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Day 7 Jinja - Masindi

This morning, you'll depart from Jinja on an approximately 260 kilometres. Enjoy a quick stop in Kampala on the way. Head towards the town of Masindi where, upon arrival, the guide will brief you on the exciting activities planned for the following day.

Afterwards, enjoy a tour of the Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary. Located north of Kampala in the Nakasongola district of Uganda, the Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary is the only place in the country with wild rhinos. Currently home to 22 southern white rhinos. You may also spot a range of other species including Uganda kobs, oribis, bushbucks and waterbucks. The prehistoric-looking shoebill stork is one of the most sought-after birds in Uganda, and the sanctuary is one of the only places where they can almost always be seen. It's possible to see over 300 bird species along bird trails through the woodlands, swamp and savannah. Take a guided night walk where you'll be introduced to extraordinary night sounds and sensations, including a beautiful night sky and several nocturnal animals.

Please note: Depending on the weather, visiting the Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary may take place en route to the accommodation.

Accommodation

Camping Option: Camping with shared bathroom facilities Accommodation Upgrade: Room with en-suite bathroom

Overnight: Kabalega Resort Masindi or similar, Masindi Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 8 Budongo Forest Reserve Chimp Trekking & Boat Cruise

Budongo Forest is East Africa's largest mahogany forest and home to Uganda's highest concentration of chimpanzees, with an estimated 600 to 700 individuals. This morning, meet with your expert chimp guide for an exhilarating trek through the forest in search of these incredible primates. Chimpanzee trekking in Uganda is an incredible and highly sought-after wildlife experience, offering the chance to observe our closest primate relatives in their natural habitat. Uganda is one of the best places in the world for this activity, boasting several prime locations.

Afterwards, enjoy a scenic boat cruise within the park.

Please note: Chimpanzee trekking is limited to 12 guests per trek. If there are more than 12 guests on your tour, the trek will be split between the morning and afternoon. Guests who undertake the afternoon chimpanzee trek will do the boat cruise first, or vice versa.

Accommodation

Camping Option: Camping with shared bathroom facilities

Accommodation Upgrade: Room with en-suite bathroom

Overnight: Kabalega Resort Masindi or similar, Masindi Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 9 Masindi - Lake Kikorongo

This morning, depart Masindi and journey towards the magnificent edges of Queen Elizabeth National Park where you will spend the night. Once you've settled into the accommodation, enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure after an approximately 350-kilometre travel day.

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Accommodation

Camping Option: Camping with shared bathroom facilities Accommodation Upgrade: Room with en-suite bathroom **Overnight: Simba Safari Camp or similar, Northern Queen**

Elizabeth National Park

Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 10 Lake Kikorongo - Lake Bunyonyi

Crossing the Equator once more, travel south to the beautiful scenery of Lake Bunyonyi. Located in southern Uganda, the area is famously known as the second deepest lake in Africa and has earned the enchanting name, the "place of little birds" thanks to its diverse variety of water birds. This spectacularly scenic lake is dotted with gorgeous misty islands and surrounded by verdant, undulating, terraced hillsides. Unlike many lakes in East Africa, it boasts the rare advantage of being free from crocodiles, hippos and bilharzia, making its crystal-clear waters safe for swimming.

With eager anticipation, begin to prepare for the upcoming gorilla trekking excursion. Tonight, you'll receive a comprehensive briefing on what to expect for the trekking excursion.

Accommodation

Camping Option: Camping with shared bathroom facilities

Accommodation Upgrade: Room with en-suite bathroom

Overnight: Lake Bunyonyi Overland Resort or similar, Lake Bunyonyi Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 11 Lake Bunyonyi Gorilla Trekking (or Free Day)

Today, embark on a magnificent adventure in search of the wild mountain gorilla. It faces an extreme threat with only an estimated 650 individuals remaining in the wild.

The adventure begins with an early morning briefing by expert park rangers. You'll learn about gorilla behaviour, natural habitat, conservation efforts, and the guidelines to ensure a respectful and safe visit. Led by experienced guides and trackers, you'll then embark on a thrilling trek through dense vegetation. The hike can range from moderately challenging to strenuous involving muddy trails, steep inclines and humid conditions as you navigate the gorillas natural habitat. The time taken to track the gorillas will vary enormously, from as little as half an hour to as much as 8-9 hours before one returns to camp.

Coming face to face with these incredible primates is extremely rewarding as you perhaps witness their intricate social interactions. You could see a powerful silverback leading his family, playful youngsters tumbling amongst the foliage and more. Maintaining a respectful distance, you'll gain an unparalleled insight into their lives, creating memories that will last a lifetime.

Permits

Every gorilla trekking permit purchased directly contributes to the vital conservation efforts that protect these critically endangered primates while supporting the local communities living around their habitats. This sustainable tourism model ensures the gorillas future, making your visit not just an adventure but a meaningful contribution to wildlife preservation. Due to the availability of permits, 2 days is allowed for trekking in

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case permits are unable to be obtained for everyone on the same day. Each traveller will get one trekking day, and the other will be a day at leisure at the camp. There are several optional short activities, as well as the opportunity to take a day trip to Rwanda on the non-trekking day.

Please note:

- Optional activities are not included in the package. Further information and pricing will be provided during the tour.
- For those who do not wish to participate in gorilla trekking, you are welcome to relax at the lodge and enjoy the day at your leisure.

Accommodation

Camping Option: Camping with shared bathroom facilities

Accommodation Upgrade: Room with en-suite bathroom

Overnight: Lake Bunyonyi Overland Resort or similar, Lake Bunyonyi

Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 12 Lake Bunyonyi Gorilla Trekking (or Free Day)

If you attended gorilla trekking yesterday, enjoy a full day at leisure. If not, it is your turn to embark on a trekking adventure in search of some magnificent primates.

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Accommodation

Camping Option: Camping with shared bathroom facilities

Accommodation Upgrade: Room with en-suite bathroom

Overnight: Lake Bunyonyi Overland Resort or similar, Lake Bunyonyi

Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 13 Lake Bunyonyi - Lake Mburo National Park

Today, depart for Lake Mburo in the Ankole subregion near the town of Mbarara. Lake Mburo spans approximately 260 square kilometres and is beautifully surrounded by rolling hills, open grasslands and patches of woodland. With over 350 recorded bird species, Lake Mburo National Park is truly a paradise for birdwatchers, providing optimal habitats for numerous avian species, including the rare and fascinating shoebill stork.









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Situated in the southwestern region of Uganda, Lake Mburo National Park is a compact, easily accessible gem renowned for its impressive biodiversity. This spectacular landscape features open plains of savanna interrupted by rocky ridges, forested gorges and dense woodland. The park shelters almost 70 mammal species and over 300 avian species within its diverse ecosystems which include acacia woodlands, savannahs and wetlands.

In and around the park's 5 lakes, you'll find crocodiles, hippos and a myriad of water birds. Other commonly spotted wildlife includes impala, oribi, eland, zebra, buffalo, Defassa waterbuck, leopard, hyena, hippo and reedbuck.

Accommodation

Camping Option: Camping Option: Camping with shared bathroom facilities

Accommodation Upgrade: Room with en-suite bathroom

Overnight: Leopard Rest Camp or similar, Lake Mburo National Park

Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 14 Lake Mburo National Park - Jinja

This morning, set off on your return journey to Jinja on an approximately 350 kilometre journey. This is East Africa's adventure capital where a wealth of thrilling optional activities awaits, primarily centred around the mighty River Nile.

For water enthusiasts, choose from exhilarating white-water rafting, serene kayaking or a variety of scenic cruises on Africa's longest river. If you prefer adventures on dry land, you can embark on a captivating horse riding excursion or an adrenalinepumping quad bike adventure through the picturesque landscapes. Jinja offers something for everyone to make the most of this vibrant city.

Please note: Additional information and pricing will be provided on tour.

Accommodation

Camping Option: Camping with shared bathroom facilities

Accommodation Upgrade: Permanent tent with shared bathroom facilities

Overnight: Kalagala Falls Overland Camp or similar, Jinja Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 15 Jinja Free Day

Today is yours to explore Jinja at your leisure! Whether you're an adrenaline-seeker or prefer a more relaxed pace, Jinja offers a diverse range of optional activities. Your guide will be on hand to assist you in planning the perfect day. The city is intrinsically linked to the legendary Nile River, traditionally regarded as the longest in the world. The Nile is fed by 2 major tributaries, the White Nile and the Blue Nile. The White Nile, flowing directly from Lake Victoria, is often credited as the river's primary source.

Accommodation

Camping Option: Camping with shared bathroom facilities

Accommodation Upgrade: Permanent tent with shared bathroom facilities

Overnight: Kalagala Falls Overland Camp or similar, Jinja Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

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Day 16 Jinja, Uganda - Eldoret, Kenya

Leaving Uganda behind, you'll continue approximately 270 kilometres back to Kenya.

On the way, you'll visit Eldoret, the country's fifth-largest city. Here, the Great Rift Valley remains the dominant geographical feature. Eldoret's impressive altitude of 2,100 meters above sea level offers a unique perspective on this stunning landscape. Eldoret's high altitude has naturally made it an ideal training ground for long-distance runners, and its athletes have gained international renown in some of the world's most prestigious athletic events, including the Olympics.

While in town, be sure to immerse yourself in the sprawling and colourful floral and fresh produce markets, or take a delightful tasting tour of one of the local cheese factories (charges apply). Approximately 50 kilometres from the city lies the Kerio Valley, home to the fascinating remains of an ancient irrigation system believed to have been ingeniously created by the Sirikwa people between the 12th and 15th centuries.

Accommodation

Camping Option: Camping with shared bathroom facilities

Accommodation Upgrade: Room with shared bathroom facilities

Overnight: Naiberi River Campsite & Resort or similar, Eldoret Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 17 Eldoret - Nairobi

This afternoon, your adventure brings you back to Nairobi on an approximately 310 kilometre journey. Upon arrival in the bustling capital of Nairobi, you can check into your accommodation and enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure.

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Accommodation

Camping Option: Room with en-suite bathroom

Accommodation Upgrade: Room with en-suite bathroom

Overnight: Hotel Boulevard Nairobi or similar, Nairobi Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch

Day 18 Nairobi, Kenya - Australia (or New Zealand)

Today, you'll be transferred to the airport in time for your international flight from Nairobi, Kenya to Australia (or New Zealand).

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 19 Australia (or New Zealand) Please note: Some customers can arrive +1 day.

Meals included: None





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Tour Inclusions

HIGHLIGHTS

Begin your adventure with a night at leisure in vibrant Nairobi

Take a full-day game drive in Masai Mara National Reserve, a global wildlife hotspot

Track and search for the Big Five including lions, leopards, elephants and more

Journey to Lake Nakuru National Park, famous for its flocks of vibrant flamingos

Discover Jinja, East Africa's adventure capital and historic source of the Nile River

Enjoy touring the Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary, home to 22 southern white rhinos

Join an expert guide for an exhilarating chimpanzee trek

Hike through Budongo Forest in search of incredible primates

Relax on a scenic boat cruise amidst the lush Budongo Forest Reserve

Travel south to the picturesque Lake Bunyonyi, a tranquil paradise

Embark on a once-in-a-lifetime adventure in search of mountain gorillas

Enjoy a free day at Lake Bunyonyi, perfect for swimming in its crystalclear waters

Marvel at Uganda's stunning Lake Mburo, a compact biodiversity hotspot

Keep your eyes peeled for abundant zebras, impalas, hippos, hyenas, warthogs and more

Visit the unique high-altitude city of Eldoret

Unwind with a final relaxing night in Nairobi

FLIGHTS

Return international full-service flights (economy class), surcharges may apply

ACCOMMODATION

16 nights of hotel, lodge and camping accommodation

DINING

45 meals including daily breakfast

ESSENTIALS

Driver, guide and cook

Qualified safari field rangers and trackers for all game drives

Gorilla and chimpanzee permits (valued at \$1,000 USD)

Airline taxes and surcharges

TRANSPORT

Transportation by overland safari truck

4x4 safari vehicles for some safari game drives

TRANSFERS

Return airport transfers



*Please note: All information provided in this brochure is subject to both change and availability. Prior to purchase please check the current deal for up-to-date information. If you have already purchased this deal, the terms and conditions on your Purchase Confirmation apply and take precedence over the information in this brochure.

Booking Information

After purchase, you will receive a receipt and a Purchase Confirmation, directing you to an online Passenger Information Form. You must complete the Passenger Information Form within 72 hours of purchase.

Any special requests, preferences and optional extras MUST be clearly stated in your Passenger Information Form. Any change requested after submitting your Passenger Information Form cannot be guaranteed, is strictly subject to availability and will incur surcharges as outlined in the Schedule of Fees below.

Please note: All countries and territories have different entry requirements in relation to vaccinations, quarantine/isolation periods and travel restrictions. Due to the evolving nature, we would ask all of our customers to monitor, meet and adhere to the specific requirements of their intended destination(s) in the lead-up to and immediately before travel, as well as any requirements post-travel upon their return.

Our Policies

Cancellation & Refund Policy

By placing a booking with us, you acknowledge the following important information:

• we act as your booking agent ;

TripADeal is a booking services provider, and curates the Travel Offers available on our website. We act as your booking agent, and we receive payment for the Booking Services as part of the booking price, however, we do not provide any of the Travel Services (flights, accommodation, tours or other products or services) included in your booking – the Travel Services are provided by a number of third party Travel Suppliers.

- each booking is unique ; our Travel Offers are made up of a variety of different components and are, during the booking process, uniquely tailored to suit your requirements, for example, departure dates and ports, flight and room upgrades, tour inclusions, etc.
- changes/modifications to your booking may not be possible ; once your booking has been made, changes or modifications may not be possible, and where possible, may incur a fee. It is important to ensure that the information you provide during the booking process is accurate and up to date, and that you read the Travel Offer carefully before placing your order.
- Travel Offers are a package ; our Travel Offers have been curated into package offerings and must be used as a package – individual components cannot be used independently of the full package offering.
- our Travel Offers are generally nonrefundable; in order to provide great value Travel Offers, we work with a variety of Travel Suppliers to find the best deals – this often means the Travel Suppliers' offerings are non-refundable to ensure the best price. We recommend that you obtain travel insurance as soon as you make a booking with us.

To read more about our <u>Cancellation and</u> <u>Refund</u> Policy, please click here.

General Terms & Conditions

By placing your booking with us, you acknowledge and agree to our <u>Terms &</u> <u>Conditions</u>, <u>Privacy Policy</u> and <u>Cancellation</u> <u>Policy</u>.

Offer Essentials

This Travel Offer is valid for travel on selected dates until the 12th October 2026.

Minimum group size 14, maximum group size 20 per vehicle.

This Travel Offer is priced per person based on a twin share.

Departure Dates & Surcharges

See checkout for live dates and availability.

Single Traveller Supplement

For solo travellers, a mandatory single supplement applies:

- Camping: \$350
- Accommodation Upgrade: \$800

Please note: Accommodation for single customers who are travelling on a tour or cruise package may be in a single room, depending on availability.

Child Policy

- No child discounts are offered. The full price applies to all children travelling with their parents.
- Valid for children 16 years old and over.

Please note: Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult 18 years old and over to travel. No unaccompanied minors are allowed.

Flights

Departure Cities

*Sydney, Melbourne, *Brisbane, *Adelaide, *Perth or *Auckland

Departure City Surcharges

- Sydney: \$100 per person
- Brisbane or Adelaide: \$200 per person
- Perth: \$400 per person
- Auckland: \$600 per person

International Full-Service Flight(s)

• Cabin Class: Economy Class

Please note: We cannot accommodate oneway flights. Travellers must take all included flights within the package, and any flights intentionally forfeited will result in later flights being subject to cancellation.

Preferred Airline Surcharge

- Cabin Class: Economy Class
- Emirates: \$630 per person
- Qatar Airways: \$580 per person

Please note:

• Preferred airlines are subject to availability. If we are unable to fulfil your request, the above extra cost will be refunded.





- On any upgrade purchase, short-haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed.
- In the event that a purchased stopover package and a purchased preferred airline upgrade are not compatible, you will have the option to receive a refund for the preferred airline upgrade or be offered an alternative stopover city option, e.g if you choose to fly with Singapore Airlines you cannot stopover in Dubai.
- Preferred airline refers to the marketing carrier and could include codeshare partners.

Arrive Early & Stay Behind Options

Arrive Early

Nairobi, Kenya - From \$300 per person, subject to availability.

Stay Behind

Nairobi, Kenya - From \$300 per person, subject to availability.

Please note:

- This fee does not include extra nights' accommodation, meals or airport transfers.
- Flight booking changes or cancellations after air tickets have been issued are not guaranteed and may incur additional fees and fare difference, subject to the airline cancellation and change policies.
- Flight changes are subject to availability at the time of booking.
- A high-season Arrive Early or Stay Behind can be purchased for an additional charge, subject to availability. For pricing, please refer to the cart.
- You can arrive early, up to 60 days before your package's start date, and/or stay behind until 60 days after your package's end date. Should you wish to arrive earlier or stay behind for more than 60 days, please contact us to request availability. Additional costs may apply.
- High season surcharges apply to flights departing between the below date ranges:

15th September 2025 - 12th October 2025 1et December 2025 - 4th January 202

1st December 2025 - 4th January 2026

5th January 2026 - 31st January 2026 3rd April 2026 - 20th April 2026 26th June 2026 - 17th July 2026 18th September 2026 - 9th October 2026 12th December 2026 - 26th January 2027

Stopover Packages

- Doha, Qatar
- Dubai, U.A.E
- Includes:
- 2, 3 or 5 nights in 4-star accommodation
- Daily breakfast
- Return airport transfers

For pricing, please refer to the payment cart at checkout.

Please note:

- When a pre and post-tour stopover is chosen, the same stopover location must be chosen each way, due to the airline used.
- When selecting an Arrive Early or Stay Behind in conjunction with a Stopover Package, the stopover will take place after the departure date you select for your Arrive Early or Stay Behind.
- Stopover packages are subject to availability.
- In the event that a purchased stopover package and a purchased preferred airline upgrade are not compatible, you will have the option to receive a refund for the preferred airline upgrade or be offered an alternative stopover city option, e.g if you choose to fly with Singapore Airlines you cannot stopover in Dubai.
- Blackout dates apply to flights departing between the below date ranges:

Hong Kong Rugby 7's: Last weekend

March or 1st weekend of April 2026 (dates TBC)

Doha Grand Prix: 26th November 2026 -2nd December 2026 Abu Dhabi Grand Prix (for Dubai): 3rd December 2025 - 9th December 2025 Christmas and New Years Eve: 18th December 2026 - 3rd January 2027

Flight Class Upgrades

Business Class: For pricing, please refer to the payment cart at checkout.

Please note:

- Flight upgrades are subject to availability and pricing changes (if we cannot fulfil your request, the upgrade cost will be refunded).
- On any upgrade purchase, short-haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed.

Outbound Flights

Please note: Due to flight scheduling and availability, some departures may occur on Day 0. Affected customers must be available to depart the day before. Flight times will be indicated on your final documents, issued 4-6 weeks before departure.

Missed Flights

If you fail to arrive for your outbound flight, you risk all flight and land arrangements in your destination being automatically cancelled by the airlines and land operator, respectively. Additional fees may apply to reinstate these services. If you miss your flight for whatever reason, please contact us as soon as possible to make arrangements.

Accommodation

Accommodation Used: Camping Package

Hotel, Lodge & Camping Accommodation

- Nairobi, Kenya: Hotel Boulevard
- Masai Mara, Kenya: Kenia Safari Camp
- Nakuru, Kenya: Hotel Waterbuck
- Jinja, Uganda: Kalagala Falls Overland Camp
- Masindi, Uganda: Kabalega Resort
- Northern Queen Elizabeth National Park, Uganda: Simba Safari Camp
- Lake Bunyonyi, Uganda: Bunyonyi Overland Resort
- Lake Mburo National Park, Uganda: Leopard Rest Camp
- Eldoret, Kenya: Naiberi River Campsite & Resort

Sleeping Bags For Camping Package

Sleeping bags are not included in this package. There are many factors that you should consider when choosing your sleeping bag including, weather conditions, season, and the minimum temperatures at nighttime. Each sleeping bag will have a

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temperature rating that will indicate either a Risk (weather colder than - 3°C), Transition (2°C - 5°C), or Comfort (6°C -10°C) rating. A camping mattress is provided, which is 5 cm thick, so you have a comfortable night's sleep. Pillows are not provided, so if you would like to use one, please make sure you bring one with you. Camping gives you the freedom to build your own little home every evening. Heavy-duty canvas dome tents and a sleeping mattress are provided. Tents are approximately 2.5 m x 2.5 m across the base. On a camping tour, you need to provide your own pillow, sleeping bag and towel. The tents are easy to put up and have flexible self-supporting poles and there are no unnecessary pegs to fight with. There is a flysheet provided for rainy weather and a built-in mosquito net which should be kept closed at all times.

Accommodation Upgrade Package

Hotel, Lodge & Permanent Tented Camp Accommodation

- Nairobi, Kenya: Hotel Boulevard
- Masai Mara, Kenya: Kenia Safari Camp
- Nakuru, Kenya: Hotel Waterbuck
- Jinja, Uganda: Kalagala Falls Overland Camp
- Masindi, Uganda: Kabalega Resort
- Northern Queen Elizabeth National Park, Uganda: Simba Safari Camp
- Lake Bunyonyi, Uganda: Bunyonyi Overland Resort
- Lake Mburo National Park, Uganda: Leopard Rest Camp
- Eldoret, Kenya: Naiberi River Campsite & Resort

Accommodation Upgrade Package

Customers selecting the accommodation upgrade will stay in hotel, lodge or permanent tented camp accommodation. All of the accommodation will have ensuite bathrooms except for the Kalagala Falls Tented Overland Camp and Naiberi River Campsite & Resort where it will be shared ablutions (4 nights total). Customers selecting the accommodation

upgrade will still have meals prepared by the truck camp kitchen and be required to assist in the after-meal wash-up. You are not required to bring a sleeping bag if selecting this option.

Please note: Accommodation/rooms offered are based on a lead-in room type and are subject to availability based on seasonality. In the instance a property is not available, a similar standard of accommodation will be provided. Properties will be confirmed and included in your travel pack, which you will receive 4-6 weeks before travel.

Important To Note

- Sleeping bags are not provided; customers selecting the camping option must bring their own sleeping bag.
- Customers are provided with a 5 cm thick camping mattress & camping equipment only.
- A driver, guide and cook will accompany you throughout the tour from Day 3 to Day 17.
- Customers selecting the camping option are required to set up their own tents with staff assisting where possible.
- Customers to assist with loading and unloading the truck.
- Trucks are not fitted with WiFi or air conditioning.
- Meals included in the package are a mix of meals provided by the accommodation and meals prepared in the truck camp kitchen facilities by the on-tour staff.
- Customers are required to assist the crew with washing the dishes when meals are prepared in the truck camp kitchen.
- Please note that customers selecting the camping option will have a mix of camping & accommodation throughout the tour.
- Please remember to pack for all weather conditions.
- Inform us at the time of booking if you have any special dietary requirements so that we can check that we can accommodate throughout the tour

- Your tour dossier is a guide only, this is Africa, the distances covered can be very large, things change frequently, for a number of reasons. Every change that is made will be done in the best interest of the group in mind. Please respect your fellow travellers.
- Tours by nature are not only about destinations, they're about journeys.
 Prepare yourself for long hours in the truck on the road getting from A to B.
 Bring along some board games, cards or books to entertain each other.
- On the camping & accommodated tours, guests travel together on the same truck and meals are served from the truck.

Luggage & Packing For The Tour

Camping/Accommodated Tours

Your luggage is limited to one backpack and one day pack weighing no more than 23kg. Please keep in mind that this is a safari tour in a specially designed truck and luggage should NOT include any Samsonite-style suitcases. As the wheelie/ trolley bags have a solid frame, they don't fit into spaces the same way a backpack or a duffel bag does. Locker sizes are 35cm sq, 80cm deep - your bag must fit in the locker. If the frame of your suitcase does not fit these diameters, there is unfortunately nowhere else to safely store your bag.

Suggested Packing List

- Sleeping bag and pillow (if you are participating in a camping tour)
- Towel and facecloth
- Personal toiletries
- Water bottle (trucks are fitted with a purified water filter for access to filtered water)

Kit for all weather conditions including:

- 2 or 3 shorts/skirts
- 1 jacket/anorak
- Tracksuit/pullover
- 2 pairs of long pants/jeans
- 2 pairs of walking shoes/boots/trainers
- 1 pair of sandals
- 3 or 4 T-shirts/short sleeve shirts or sundresses
- 2 or 3 long sleeve shirts
- Smart casual change of clothes



- Swimwear
- Underwear and socks
- Sun hat (preferably that covers the back of your neck)
- Raincoat
- Kikoi/sarong
- Beanie and gloves if you're travelling in winter

Please note: Ensure that you are familiar with the exact weather conditions to be expected on your particular tour and be prepared because the weather in Africa can be extreme. In the rainy season, prepare to get wet and in the dry season, prepare to get hot. The weather is part of an African adventure but it can be a tough taskmaster.

Gorilla Trekking

Recommended 'What to Bring' Trekking

- A small, lightweight, frameless, waterproof back/day pack
- Light, waterproof hiking or walking boots or shoes with treaded soles
- Thick socks
- High-speed film 400 ASA minimum, 800 ASA recommended (no flash photography allowed on the track), fast film, binoculars
- Long pants (jeans/khakis) and a longsleeved shirt
- Leather or heavy canvas (gardening-style) gloves to grip vegetation (gardening gloves may be advised)
- Waterproof rain pants, a rain suit or a poncho with a hood
- Moisture-wicking undergarments, lightweight wool socks, long-sleeved shirt
- Sturdy trousers and sunglasses
- Sunscreen, a sun hat, a breathable lightweight rain poncho or a parka with a rain hat
- Thick sweaters are not necessary on the track, as it gets very hot during tracking. Best to have layers of clothing as temperatures tend to change
- Light raincoat
- A waterproof, squashable hat
- Drinking water

Additional Items (Suggestion Only)

- Baby wipes/wet wipes
 - Torch and spare batteries
 - Camera and spare batteries and memory cards
 - Insect and mosquito repellent
 - Sun block and after sun lotion
 - Sunglasses
 - Watch
 - Biodegradable laundry detergent
 - A small padlock for your luggage locker in the truck

Extra Nights

Not available.

Please note: If you are interested in booking additional nights of accommodation pre or post-tour, please wait until you receive your travel documentation approximately 4-6 weeks before departure for the confirmed list of hotels. If booking your own additional accommodation directly with the hotel, please be aware that you may be required to change rooms at the start/end of your tour.

Maximum Room Capacity

2 people.

Triple Share

Not available.

Bedding Configuration

Twin or double (subject to availability).

Exclusions

- Visa fees and requirements
- Domestic transfers and flights not stated in the deal offer
- Meals/beverages not stated in the deal offer
- Optional gratuities/tipping
- Optional activities/tours
- Personal expenses
- Travel insurance
- Any costs associated with an interruption to your tour as a result of an airline schedule change or cancellation
- Mandatory city tax
- Sleeping bags
- Porterage
- Air conditioning in the overland truck

Gratuities/tipping

Land

Gratuities (tips) are not included for the services of the tour leader (when available) and driver throughout the tour. The recommended tip is \$5 USD per person per day. This covers the guide/leader and the driver and will be collected on tour.

Please note: Tipping for services provided is always a matter of personal discretion; however, please be aware that many locals consider tipping part of their normal remuneration, and they may approach you for payment; there's no need to be intimidated by the request.

Other Important Information

TOUR GUIDE VS. TOUR LEADER

Tour Guide

Often locals with intimate knowledge of an area, its culture, and history. Their role entails providing commentary, routing the tour, and seeing that people have a good time. They are a licensed, qualified expert who supplies specific information on the history, art, architecture and culture of the city/village/attraction where they are guiding the tour. The guide meets the group at the required place and leaves it at the end of the tour; they do not travel with the group.

Tour Leader

An experienced person tasked with ensuring the smooth operation of tours, as well as providing practical support to passengers throughout the whole trip. Their role primarily includes assisting with accommodation, transportation between locations, and communication with tour guides at each stop. A tour leader may provide general guidance around a city or village and offer information on the place visited on the bus. However, they are not required to have specific art, architecture, or historical knowledge. They are not allowed to provide a guided tour or commentary of a city/village/attraction once there and, if caught doing so, can be fined

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Please note: Tour leaders/guides are not a standard inclusion in all travel offers. Tour leaders/guides will only be made available when required to enhance the experience of the destination featured.

CLIMATE & AVERAGE TEMPERATURES

Kenya

The climate of Kenya varies by location, from mostly cool every day, to always warm/hot. The interior of Kenya has an arid climate, is nearly devoid of rainfall, and temperature swings widely according to the general time of the day/night. For many areas of Kenya, the daytime temperature rises about 12°C almost every day.

Uganda

Uganda is near the Equator. As a result, the climate does not change much and the country can be visited throughout the year. The rainy seasons tend to be from February to April and October to December, but this varies in different areas and it can rain any time of year, especially in the forest and mountainous areas. Travel can be slower in the rainy season but the views are often better. Gorilla tracking can be muddier but it can certainly be done. In the mountainous areas it is much colder than on the plains and the rainfall is greater. The temperatures on the plains tend to be between 21°C and 30°C and in the mountainous areas they can go down to 10°C in certain months, especially November.

Weather

We always suggest referring to an online source for the most up-to-date weather information for your destination/s.

FLIGHTS

Seat Selection & Frequent Flyer Points

We do not arrange seat selection. It is essential to highlight that some airlines do not allow pre-selected seats. We strongly suggest you contact the airline directly with seating allocation requirements and/ or arrive at the airport earlier to arrange your seating. While we do not add frequent flyer member details to bookings, you can do this directly with the airline once you have your flight information.

Dietary Requests

Meal options and availability differ between airlines and routes therefore not all dietary requests can be accommodated. If your flight includes meals we will select the most suitable option available based on the dietary requirements you have specified. All meal requests are subject to airline approval and are not guaranteed, therefore we recommend preparing for your flight by bringing appropriate food for yourself, as required.

Passport Validity

Customers must provide valid passport details either at the time of purchase or no later than 90 days before the departure date. Failure to do so may result in the cancellation of the booking. Customers will be responsible for any costs and fees incurred in this instance.

COACH TOUR

Meals

For meals not included, the tour leader (when available) will offer assistance with reservations, suggestions and directions to local restaurants. It is your responsibility to notify us of any dietary requests/ requirements.

Please note: We will do our best to meet your requests/requirements; however, we cannot guarantee that we will always be able to.

Luggage

You will be responsible for all your personal belongings whilst on tour. You must carry your own luggage from the vehicle to the hotel room and back to the vehicle. The driver will assist with the uploading and unloading of bags from the vehicle.

Packing For The Tour

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OTHER

Mobility

If you require wheelchair access please contact our friendly sales and service team to inquire on your behalf.

Fitness Level Required

Adventure (and spontaneity) create some of the best travel memories. Bear in mind, your home schedules and timings might not be adhered to on tour - it's all part of the fun!

An active level of fitness will be required. Expect an active pace of travel where the focus is on adventure with no limitations. You will need to be self-reliant, physically fit and healthy to participate in fast-paced travel, extended walking/trekking over several hours/days, navigate steep steps, slopes, rugged and uneven terrain, varying weather conditions, remote locations and higher elevations. You will be responsible for your own luggage and able to board all modes of transport without assistance. This tour is typically inaccessible to wheelchairs, mobility scooters and those requiring assistance while travelling.

Please note:

 It is expected that every traveller must be self-reliant and able to undertake all aspects of their own travel. Please speak to your booking agent about your personal circumstances and any assistance requirements to ensure this tour is right for you.



• If you have any concerns, please consult your healthcare provider prior to purchase/ travel.

Yellow Fever

A valid international certificate of vaccination against Yellow Fever is required in many countries. You may need to present this on arrival at the airport or border crossing. Some countries will refuse entry if you are unable to present your certificate. It's also common for your home country to request a Yellow Fever certificate upon arrival. You must check with your doctor well before leaving home about the Yellow Fever requirements for the countries you'll be visiting.

Sightseeing

Please note: If entry to a site is affected by changes in operating hours or public holiday closures, your itinerary, where possible, may be adjusted, or a similar activity will be offered in its place (subject to availability).

Shopping

Shopping overseas can be a daunting and confusing experience, especially when there is a language barrier. Please be very cautious when foreign currencies and prices are involved. If paying by credit card, please pay close attention to the amount you are being charged and keep all your receipts. Do not make any purchases you are not comfortable with or feel pressured into. If you are uncertain or need assistance with the language barrier, please seek assistance from your Tour Guide/Leader. Please refer to our <u>Terms</u> and <u>Conditions</u> regarding shopping for further information.

Visas

Kenya

If travelling on an Australian or New Zealand passport, all travellers to Kenya must apply for an e-visa (approximately \$30 USD) through the online web platform before being allowed to enter the Republic of Kenya, via the website.

Uganda

A single-entry tourist visa is a strict requirement when travelling to Uganda on an Australian passport. This cost is approximately \$50 USD (subject to change) and can be arranged online directly through the Uganda Directorate of Citizenship and Immigration.

Important:

- Please start arranging your visa three weeks before departure to account for any delays due to consulate operating hours.
- Visa rules are subject to change. Please check with the nearest embassy, consulate or immigration department of the destination/s you are visiting once you receive your travel documentation to ensure you have the most up to date information.
- It is your responsibility to be travel-ready and ensure that you are aware and comply with any destination or travel requirements, including the validity of all required travel documents.
- Passengers who are not Australian citizens must also check with the respective consulate or visa agency to determine what their visa requirements are and what personal identification is required.
- It is also important to note that some areas of employment, such as journalism, government authorities and charity organisations, may have additional restrictions in applying for visas. This may, in turn, affect the type of application required.

Travel Insurance

Embarking on your next trip is exciting, and while you hope the unexpected does not happen, it is best to be prepared. We strongly recommend you take out travel insurance when making your booking. Whether it's a potential medical emergency, a flight cancellation, a delayed suitcase, or an unforeseen event, it's important to ensure you're adequately protected. For more information or advice visit <u>https://www.tripadeal.com.au/travelinsurance</u>

Schedule Of Fees

Voluntary Changes

This includes booking changes requested by you, including but not limited to those changes requiring an airline ticket or a Purchase Confirmation reissue.

• Changes - \$100 per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/ cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

Name Changes Due To Passenger Error

If the incorrect name has been provided, charges of \$100 per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/ cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

Supplier Fees

In the event the tour package you have purchased is unable to proceed, and/or a Travel Supplier is unable to fulfil the tour due to external circumstances (Limitation of Liability e.g. a Force Majeure event), there may be a fee or amount of money that is withheld by our Suppliers and is unrecoverable. This may be due to nonrefundable airline tickets, cancellation penalties with cruise cabins or unrecoverable payments with our land/ accommodation partners. If refunds are not available from Suppliers, we will endeavour to obtain a travel credit on the best terms available and communicate these outcomes to you. In the event we are unable to obtain a refund or travel service credit, or part thereof, this cost is passed on to the customer as a Supplier Fee.

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