

Taste of Tanzania Safari

7 Days Tailor-made safari, Departure; Any day

Overview

This short but sweet 7-day tour takes you to the most popular game parks of Northern Tanzania.

Starting in Moshi-Kilimanjaro, you will travel to Tarangire National Park, one of Tanzania's most significant national parks, famous for its large elephant population. You will enjoy a fantastic afternoon game drive. The next day the tour continues to Serengeti National Park, well-known for its annual wildebeest migration when millions of wildebeest and zebra trek around in search of fresh grass. Day 5 takes you to the enormous Ngorongoro Crater, a haven for wildlife. You will find here loads of wildlife, ranging from hippo and warthog to cheetah and lion.

Perfect for those with little time but who want to experience as much as possible.

Itinerary:

Day 1: Kilimanjaro Airport – Arusha

Upon arrival at Kilimanjaro airport, you will be met and transferred to Arusha. Overnight accommodation in Arusha, including dinner.

Day 2: Arusha – Tarangire

This morning you will travel to Tarangire National Park. Tarangire is one of Tanzania's largest national parks and sanctuary known for a substantial elephant population. Its natural vegetation consists mainly of Acacia woodland, where you can find over 500 bird species, and the majestic African Baobab trees, an exciting feature of the park. Animals concentrate along the Tarangire River, which provides the only permanent water supply in the area, making it the place for many animals and predators. There is a great diversity of wildlife, including lions, leopards, cheetahs, and up to six thousand elephants. Enjoy your afternoon game drive. Overnight within Tarangire National Park.

Day 3: Tarangire – Serengeti

After breakfast, you will commence your drive to one of the most famous game parks in Africa, the Serengeti. The Serengeti is famed for its annual migration, where approximately three million wildebeest, zebra & Thompson's gazelle trek the park in search of fresh grazing. The spectacle of predator versus prey dominates Tanzania's most incredible park. Over the vast flat plains, you will likely find lions, cheetah, leopards, hyenas, and many other small predators. Enjoy an afternoon game drive, followed by the experience of sleeping in the middle of the Serengeti. Overnight within Serengeti National Park.

Day 4: Serengeti

For a full day within this beautiful park, your guide will choose the best animal spotting locations for that time of year. You can spend time at the Hippo pool, watching these majestic animals laze about in the cool water alongside the crocodiles, watch a considerable pride of lions or be in the middle of the migration. You can journey from the vast open plains to the kopjes; these rocky volcanic outcrops provide protection and shelter for various animals. From the top, we can look out across the vast grasslands of the Serengeti. This diverse and exciting

landscape will provide you with the ultimate in-game viewing. Overnight within Serengeti National Park.

Day 5: Serengeti – Ngorongoro Crater

An early morning start in the Serengeti to try and find cats before they retreat away from the blazing sun during the day. After a few hours of game drive in the Serengeti, drive to the Ngorongoro Crater. Overnight on the rim of the Ngorongoro Crater.

Day 6: Ngorongoro Crater – Arusha

This morning you will descend into the Ngorongoro Crater – a wonderful haven for wildlife. Ngorongoro is unique in that almost all the wildlife live within the crater walls; hence you have the opportunity to find game easily. The crater supports a wide variety of animals, which include herds of wildebeest, zebra, buffalo, eland, warthog, hippo, elephants, and the endangered white rhino. Another big draw card to this picturesque crater is its dense population of predators, which include lions, hyenas, jackals, cheetahs, and occasionally leopards. Enjoy lunch by the hippo pond before beginning your drive back to Arusha.

Overnight accommodation in Arusha, inclusive of dinner.

Day 7: Serengeti – Departure

Today you will be transferred back to Kilimanjaro airport/hotel in time for your flight.

Includes / Excludes:

Camping safari includes:

Park fees, camping fees, vehicle (unlimited km), English-speaking driver/guide, cook, all food, unlimited drinking water, camping equipment (including sleeping bags if you don't have your own), and at least one pair of binoculars.

Camping safari excludes:

Tips to the driver/guide and cook.

Lodge safari includes:

Park fees, lodge/tented camp accommodation, vehicle (unlimited km), English-speaking driver/guide, all food, unlimited drinking water, and at least one pair of binoculars.

Lodge safari excludes:

Tips to the driver/guide, cook, and drinks at the lodge.