



## Explore Uganda Safari 14 Days



### **Day 1: Arrival and overnight in Entebbe**

You will be met on arrival by your driver guide who will warmly receive and welcome you. Transfer to your hotel in Entebbe. **Dinner and overnight stay at A) Airport Guest House (B&B)**

**Upgrade to B) Boma Guest House, C) Serena Lake Victoria Hotel.**

### **Day 2: Kampala City Tour**

After breakfast we start the day with a city tour through the bustling capital of Uganda. Immerse yourself in the traditions of the Kings of the Buganda tribe at the Kasubi Tombs, visit the Namirembe Cathedral and explore the African Craft Village for the most authentic crafts and arts. You will enjoy a local cuisine and visit the museum where you will learn the history of Uganda. Dinner and overnight at **A) Hotel New Madagascar (B&B)**

**Upgrade to B) Cassia Lodge C) Kampala Serena Hotel.**

### **Day 3: Jinja, Rafting and Source of the Nile.**

You will be picked from your hotel and transferred to Jinja for a full day of adventure as you raft the white waters of the Nile starting at the Source of the Nile. Enjoy the beautiful scenery and thundering rapids of the White Nile and do not forget to watch



the incredible birdlife as you drift quietly between the rapids of this mighty river. If you prefer a more peaceful experience can also decide to go for a wonderful river journey instead of choosing the wildest rapids, we drift swiftly between beautiful forested islands, bounce down smaller rapids and explore the least known channels. Later in the evening return to hotel for Dinner and overnight stay at **A) 2friends Guest House (B, L, D)**

**Upgrade to B) The Haven, C) Wild Waters Lodge**

#### **Day 4: Jinja—Murchison Falls National Park (5-6Hours)**

Your driver guide will pick you up early from your accommodation in Kampala and head north to Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary for white rhino tracking. Founded in 1998, Rhino Fund Uganda works to reintroduce black and white rhinos into Uganda. They run a breeding program, as well as working to educate communities on these endangered giants, the problem of poaching and the need for environmental conservation. In the Rhino Sanctuary you will have a safari-hike to the rhinos which will give you the opportunity to view them at close range. After having lunch, continue to Uganda's largest national park, Visit the top of the falls and later relax in the afternoon. **Dinner and overnight at A) Fort Murchison (B, L, D)**

**Upgrade to B) Budongo Eco Lodge C) Paraa Safari Lodge.**

#### **Day 5: Game Drive and Boat Cruise at Murchison Falls National Park**

After an early morning breakfast, you will set out for an early morning game drive while the animals are the most active. In the early morning hours animals are the most active, the sun is not yet so bright and temperatures are cooler. A drive through the park up close with the African animal kingdom: You are likely to spot elephants, giraffes, buffaloes, lions, leopards, different species of antelope and a variety of tropical birds. In the afternoon, you will enjoy a boat safari to the bottom of Murchison Falls. You are likely to see Nile crocodiles, hundreds of hippos, buffaloes, water birds and a variety of animals that come to the drink water at the banks of the river Nile. **Dinner and overnight at A) Fort Murchison (B, L, D)**

**Upgrade to B) Budongo Eco Lodge C) Paraa Safari Lodge.**

#### **Day 6: Transfer to Kibale Forest National Park (8-9 Hours)**

After an early breakfast we depart to Kibale Forest National Park, It's a beautiful ride on the countryside as you pass through rolling hills and plantations. You will have lunch en route as you approach Fort Portal town which rests in the shadow of the mountains of the moon. **Dinner and overnight Kibale Forest Camp (B, L, D)**

**Upgrade to B) Primate Lodge Standard, C) Primate Lodge Luxury.**



### **Day 7: Chimpanzee tracking in Kibale Forest National Park**

Today you will spend the morning tracking the exuberant chimp families in the Kibale forest. Tracking chimpanzees in their natural habitat, as they swing from the branches in the canopy high above the forest floor, is a thrilling experience. Though they can be difficult to spot, you will be in no doubt of their presence as the forest is alive with their noisy calls. In the afternoon, explore the Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary. The reserve is abundant with butterflies, plants, animals and, in particular, birds. Spectacular birds like Great Blue Turaco and rare Papyrus Gonolek will be of great interest to birders. The swamp is also home to more elusive animals such as Red Colobus monkeys and Sitatunga antelope. Dinner and over at **A) Kibale Forest Camp (B, L, D) Upgrade to B) Primate Lodge Standard, C) Primate Lodge Luxury.**

### **Day 8: Depart for Queen Elizabeth National Park (2-3 Hours)**

Today, your driver/guide will take you to Queen Elizabeth National Park – Uganda's second largest national park. You will enjoy journey as you pass through scenic crater lakes. In the afternoon, you will have a game drive for your first introduction to the hidden gems in the park. Dinner and overnight at **A) Simba Safari Camp (B, L, D) Upgrade to B) Ihamba Safari Lodge, C) Mweya Safari Lodge.**

### **Day 9: Game Drive in Queen Elizabeth National Park.**

After an early morning cup of tea, transfer to Queen Elizabeth National Park 135km about 2 – 3 hours' drive to catch up with a game drive along Kasenyi track and Queen's Mile in the park. In sight you have possibilities of encountering gigantic elephants, lions, buffalos, warthogs and antelopes. return to the lodge for lunch, after which you enjoy the two hours launch cruise on Kazinga Channel and have an amazing variety of birds and wildlife that majorly include; hippos, crocodiles and the wild game drinking on the channel side like elephants, water backs, buffaloes just to mention but a few. From the boat, do another game drive along the channel track in search of more game as head back to the lodge for relaxation, dinner and overnight. Dinner and overnight at **A) Simba Safari Camp (B, L, D) Upgrade to B) Ihamba safari Lodge, C) Mweya safari Lodge.**

### **Day 10: Ishasha sector in Queen Elizabeth National Park. (3-4 Hours)**

After breakfast, You will head to the Southern part of the park, the Ishasha sector famous for its tree climbing lions. You will have a game drive as you look out for the kings of the jungle resting in the trees. You are likely to see other animals like the elephants, Buffaloes, antelopes and a variety of bird species. **Dinner and overnight at Savanna resort (B, L, D) Upgrade to B) Ishasha Jungle Lodge C) Ishasha Wilderness**

### **Day 11: Gorilla Tracking in Bwindi impenetrable national park.**

After enjoying an early breakfast, you set off gorilla tracking. Trekking through the steep, densely forested hills and then finally coming across the gorillas camouflaged in the vegetation is an inspiring and privileged moment. Tracking in the Bwindi forest requires



stamina and can often take most of the day. After an hours encounter with these gentle giants, you will graduate and join the rest of the tourists who describe this as the greatest highlight of an adventure in Uganda. Guests are always given a certificate of encountering the Gentle Giants. A memorable experience. Dinner and overnight at **A) Buhoma Community Bandas, (B, L, D) Upgrade to B) Engagi Lodge, C) Mahogany Springs.**

#### **Day 12: Transfer to Lake Mburo- Boat ride. (3-4 Hours)**

You will transfer to Lake Mburo National park. It's the only national park in Uganda where you can have a safari on foot. There has been an addition of tallest savanna animal (the giraffe) added to its endemic impalas. You will have a game drive as you enter the park. **Dinner and overnight at Eagles nest, (B, L, D)**

**Upgrade to B) Mantana Tented Camp, C) Mihingo Lodge**

#### **Day 13: Game drives and a Boat trip**

You will an early morning game drive after having a delicious breakfast at your lodge with chances of seeing the beautiful colors of a rainbow spectrum from the beautiful sun rises and many more surprises of nature like song birds. Embark on a spectacular game drive having a view of numerous animals.

After a hearty lunch, you will have a boat ride on Lake Mburo for at least 2 hours on the waters. View the water birds such as the Papyrus gonoleks, Brown-faced lapwings, Carruther's, cisticolas, the extraordinary White winged Warbler and Bare-faced Go-away bird. You will later relax and unwind at your lodge. **Dinner and overnight at A) Eagles Nest,**

**Upgrade to B) Mantana Tented Camp, C) Mihingo Lodge**

#### **Day 14.Lake Mburo National Park- Transfer to Kampala and Airport. (4-5 Hours)**

You will walk up early and have a guided safari walk with a ranger, return to the lodge for breakfast before you return to Entebbe International Airport for your onward flight back home.

**End of Safari**



**Included in the price:**

Ground transport per private 4WD safari vehicle

English speaking driver/guide

Accommodation in places mentioned in the itinerary, based on a twin/double room

Meals as described in the itinerary (B=breakfast, L=lunch, D=dinner)

Bottled mineral water in the safari vehicle

Entrance fees and ranger fees for national parks

Activities and excursions mentioned in the program

AMREF Flying Doctor Insurance

VAT for upcountry hotels and lodges

**Exclusions:**

International flight

Gorilla trekking permit in Bwindi NP

Chimpanzee Trekking permit in Kibale NP

Visa (USD \$100)

Meals and drinks not mentioned above

Items of personal nature

Tips

**The price for the trip**

**Note:** *The given rates are subject to change. Accommodation and activities can only be guaranteed after confirmation and payment of the requested deposit. The final price will be dependent on the facilities available at the time of booking. We can always offer suitable alternatives should any of the facilities not be available. Some of the budget facilities based on are basic and non-self-contained. Please refer to our booking terms and conditions for more information and our website.*

**We wish you a pleasant safari with**



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