

Lake Nakuru - Nakuru National Park



KENYA

African wildlife
at its best!

Zebra - Masai Mara



Rothschild's giraffe - Nakuru National Park



Cheetah - Masai Mara



The Great Migration



Single Elephant - Masai Mara



Flamingos - Lake Nakuru



Rhinos - Nakuru National Park



A Masai Warrior - Masai Mara



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Travel

Day 1

Jambo! Upon arrival at the Jomo Kenyatta International Airport in Nairobi, you will be met by a tour representative who will greet you and provide assistance with the transfer to the hotel. The rest of the day is free to be spent at your leisure.

You can choose to explore the hidden sights of Nairobi, including the Karen Blixen Museum, the Giraffe Centre for an up close and personal encounter with these beautiful and majestically tall animals, the Daphne Sheldrick Foundation (open to the public from 1100 hrs to 1200 hrs) for a personal visit to see the baby elephants and rhinos who have been orphaned and are being hand reared to be released back into the wild.

On the other hand, you may just want to relax after your flight and simply enjoy the hotel facilities at the [Sentrim Boulevard Hotel](#) (or similar).



Day 2

After breakfast, departure will be around 0830 hours to the journey towards the lake of the Great Rift Valley. Arrival at your lodge will be in time for a buffet lunch.

Depart for a game-drive in Lake Nakuru National Park along the shorelines of the lake.

Lake Nakuru is a shallow alkaline lake that is world-renowned for its huge concentration of flamingos; at times, hundreds of thousands of these birds give the lake a pink shimmering glow (flamingo numbers are dependent on water levels in the lake). The park boasts a huge variety of animals, including leopard which is often found snoozing on the branches of the magnificent yellow-barked acacias, lion, buffalo, hippopotamus, waterbuck, warthog, baboon, the endangered Rothschild's giraffe only found in this park in Kenya, white rhino and the rare black rhino, a protected and guarded species.

Enjoy the game drives in the afternoon and return to the lodge around 1830 hours. Dinner and overnight stay at the lodge at Lake Nakuru.

Dinner and overnight stay at the [Sentrim Elementaita Lodge](#).

Day 3

After an early breakfast, your journey now takes you to the Masai Mara, Kenya's most famous wildlife reserve. The drive takes you down the Great Rift Valley offering great views over the wilderness and Mt. Longonot. The drive is around 4 hours to the gate. Arrive in time for lunch followed by an afternoon game viewing drive.

The Masai Mara is arguably Kenya's most popular game reserve. The film "Out of Africa" was made to a great extent in this sanctuary. There is a profusion of all types of wildlife including the big five.

A spectacle worth seeing is the annual migration of millions of wildebeests, zebras and gazelles from the Serengeti plains across the Tanzania border and the Mara River to reach the Masai Mara grazing fields from late June. The game reserve abounds with birdlife, with approximately 450 recorded species.

Dinner and overnight stay at the Sentrim Mara Camp.



Day 4

Enjoy breakfast at the camp.

Spend a full day in the Masai Mara. Depending on the movement and location of wildlife on the day, the guides will discuss with you various options, such as doing an early morning game drive, returning to the lodge for breakfast, followed by another trip prior to lunch at the camp.

Following a relaxing time in the early afternoon, there typically are further game drives in the late afternoon around 1600 hours.

Alternatively, you might partake in an early breakfast and then go out for the day and carry lunch boxes with you. The choice is yours and the best solution will be discussed between yourself and your guide.

Return in the evening for dinner and overnight stay at the Sentrim Mara camp.

Day 5

After an early breakfast at the lodge/camp, bid farewell to the Mara as you set forth on your return journey to Nairobi. Drive back down the Great Rift Valley, passing the dormant volcano Mount Longonot. Keep an eye out for herds of giraffe and gazelle which head up the escarpment.

Arrive in Kenya's bustling capital city Nairobi where you will be transferred to the Jomo Kenyatta International airport for your departure flight back home.



Tour Inclusions:

- Accommodation in standard rooms as described above (or similar) according to the option chosen
- Transport and game-drives in non-air-conditioned 7-seater safari minivan with pop-up roofs
- Game-drives, excursions and sight-seeing activities (if any) as described in the itinerary
- Activities (if any) as outlined in the itinerary
- Transfers as indicated in the itinerary
- Meals as indicated in the itinerary
- Services of an English-speaking driver-guide
- Relevant park entrance fees
- Bottled water whilst on safari (1-litre per person per day)

Tour Exclusions:

- Personal expenses such travel and medical insurance, excess baggage fee, communication charges that include emails, faxes and phone calls, beverages including water, soft drinks luxury champagne, spirits or meals not included in the itinerary
- Gratuity for portorage / waiters at hotels, camps and airports
- Gratuity for your professional driver guide
- Cost of obtaining passport and visas
- Any optional tours or excursions not mentioned in the itinerary
- Travel Insurance
- International and domestic airfares
- Christmas Supplement AUD 70 Dec 24/25/26, 31 Dec/01 Jan

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