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# KENYA SAFARI PACKAGE SEPTEMBER 2025 2 NIGHTS, 3 DAYS



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#### MAASAI MARA SAFARI ITINERARY: 2 Nights, 3 Days Package

#### Day 1: Nairobi - Maasai Mara

Morning pick up from your Nairobi hotel and begin your Kenya safari adventure safari. Enjoy a brief stopover at the escarpment to appreciate the stunning & scenic Great Rift Valley that stretches all the way from Lebanon to Mozambique (Northern to Southern Africa) covering over 9,000 Kilometers and optional shopping at the curio shops. Continue with the drive and enjoy another brief stop-over in Narok Town for refreshments and to use the rest rooms before continuing your journey to Masai Mara with a short game drive enroute before reaching the lodge. Arrive at the lodge in time for check in and lunch. Day at Leisure to enjoy the facilities the lodge has to offer before heading out for a thrilling introductory evening game drive in the Magnificent Masai Mara. Return to the Lodge for Dinner and Overnight Stay

#### Maasai Mara Game Reserve

The Maasai Mara (also known as the Maasai Mara, and locally simply as The Mara) is a large game reserve in Narok County, Kenya, contiguous with the Serengeti National Park in Tanzania. It is named in honor of the Maasai people (the ancestral inhabitants of the area) and their description of the area when looked at from afar: "Mara" means "spotted" in the local Maasai language of Maa, due to the many trees which dot the landscape. It is world-renowned for its exceptional populations of lions, leopards, cheetahs and elephant, and the annual migration of wildebeest, zebra, Thomson's gazelle and other antelope, to and from the Serengeti every year known as the Great Migration. The Masai Mara "Big Five" are the Lion, Elephant, Buffalo, Leopard and Rhino.

The Greater Mara Ecosystem encompasses areas known as the Maasai Mara National Reserve, the Mara Triangle, and several Maasai Conservancies, including: Koiyaki, Lemek, Ol Chorro Oirowua, Olkinyei, Siana, Maji Moto, Naikara, Ol Derkesi, Kerinkani, Oloirien, and Kimintet.



#### Day 2: Maasai Mara.

Early morning shared game drive before sunrise and return to the camp for breakfast. Day at leisure to enjoy the facilities the camp has to offer before enjoying lunch and an evening game drive. Dinner and overnight stay in Maasai Mara

#### \*Note\*

On this day clients can choose to have full day game drive with packed lunch boxes this

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#### EXTRA OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS MASAI MARA:

#### Maasai Mara Balloon Safari Experience:

The adventure begins just before dawn. Guests assemble at the launch site for a briefing as the flames from the hot air balloon burners light the darkness as the crews inflate their craft. As the dawn breaks the hot air balloon fills and then rises. Suspended in a basket beneath the rainbow-colored canopy, you're off for a wildlife viewing adventure with an entirely different perspective. What amazes most first-time balloonists is the absolute stillness: the silence as you float above the plains, the forest and the rivers of the Maasai Mara. The flight lasts around an hour, drifting wherever the air currents take you. There are ample opportunities for photography and video filming. Then your Kenyan Hot Air Balloon Safari finishes with a flourish. In the time honored tradition of balloon flights the world over, you toast your return to earth with a champagne breakfast, cooked wherever you land.

Kindly note\* Balloon Safari age limit 8 years and above

#### Balloon Safari Supplement: \$450 per person



**Day 3: Maasai Mara – Nairobi.** <u>(Approximately 6 Hours Drive) - Depart</u> After breakfast, check out and drive through the countryside enjoying the beautiful views and optional en-route shopping at the curio shops . Upon arrival in Nairobi transfer to the airport for your return International flight.



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# **ACCOMMODATION & COST BREAKDOWN**

# OPTION 1:

DESTINATION	PROPERTY	ROOM TYPE	MEAL PLAN
Maasai mara	Entim Camp	Standard Tent	AI

#### COST:

USD (Based on)	2 pax	4 pax	6 pax	10 pax
per person sharing in Double	\$2,670	\$2,370	\$2,270	\$2,310
per person in a single room	\$3,080	\$2,780	\$2,680	\$2,720

# **OPTION 2:**

DESTINATION	PROPERTY	ROOM TYPE	MEAL PLAN
Maasai mara	Governors' Camp	Luxury Tent	AI

#### COST:

USD (Based on)	2 pax	4 pax	6 pax	10 pax
per person sharing in Double	\$2,950	\$2,650	\$2,550	\$2,590
per person in a single room	\$3,415	\$3,115	\$3,020	\$3,055

# **OPTION 3:**

DESTINATION	PROPERTY	ROOM TYPE	MEAL PLAN
Maasai mara	Ishara Mara	River suite Room	AI

#### COST:

USD (Based on)	2 pax	4 pax	6 pax	10 pax
per person sharing in Double	\$5,955	\$5,655	\$5,555	\$5,595
per person in a single room	\$8,395	\$8,100	\$8,000	\$8,040

#### Rate Includes:

- 2 Nights stay within Maasai Mara?
- Individual Park fees for Masai Mara reserve eco-system
- Private game drives within Masai Mara reserve in a customized safari landcruiser with a pop up roof for game viewing
- Private transport in a customized safari landcruiser with services of an experienced English speaking driver guide throughout the safari
- Meal plan throughout the safari as per the accommodation option
- Mentioned arrival and departure airport transfer

#### Rate Excludes:

- Electronic Travel Authorization Document (eTA) must be applied via www.etakenya.go.ke prior to your dates of travel (this has replaced visa)
- International Flight
- Travel Insurance
- Tips/gratuities to Driver/Guide (budget approximately \$15.00 US\$ 20.00 per person per day)
- Extras & optional excursions (Village Visit, Balloon Safari etc)
- Items of a Personal Nature
- Beverages not stated in the Itinerary
- Community Fees Note\* some of the lodges and camps are charging a community fee of between \$50 to \$80 per person per night. This has not yet been gazetted yet however in case that any of the lodges in the below Masai Mara lodge options communicate the same we will let you know in advance and this cost will need to be passed onto the client

#### \*Kindly note\*

- The Price is Per Person and in US Dollars (\$)
- Masai Mara Park fees are now only valid for 12 hours: from 6 am to 6 pm daily hence clients have until 10AM to exit the reserve to avoid incurring further park fees.
- The above mentioned properties are subject to availability upon booking Confirmation
- BB Bed & Breakfast, BD Bed & Dinner, FB Full Board (All Meals), AI Al Inclusive (All Meals, Soft Drinks, Tea, Coffee, Selected Local Beers, Wines and Spirits)
- Hotels and lodges terms and conditions apply
- A Yellow Fever Vaccination is Required and valid for not less than 10 days of arrival
- Indian Nationals must have a Polio Vaccination when departing from Nairobi
- Any increases in Government Tax or Park/conservancy fees will be passed on to the client directly

#### **Kenya Travel Requirements**

A) Kenya has replaced its eVisa system with an Electronic Travel Authorization system (eTA), which is now operational. Apart from holders of valid Kenya Passports, holders of Kenya Permanent Residence, valid Work Permits/Passes and Passport holders from Burundi, Democratic Republic of Congo, Rwanda, South Sudan, Tanzania and Uganda), all visitors including infants and children who intend to travel to the Republic of Kenya, must apply

and pay for the eTA at least 3 days prior to travel to ensure adequate time for authorization. eTA applications can be done via <u>www.etakenya.go.ke</u> and pay a processing fee of USD \$34

- **B)** Traveler passport copy must be valid for 6 Months prior to the date of arrival Kenya and with at least two blank pages
- C) Dollar bills issued before year 2013 are not accepted
- **D)** All travelers arriving into the country through any point of entry shall no longer be required to show proof of either COVID-19 vaccination or a pre-departure COVID-19 test.
- **E)** Passengers traveling out of the country, will be required to abide by the particular travel, health and COVID-19 related requirements of the transit and destination country
- **F)** Pre-departure RDT or PCR testing may be considered at the discretion of any of the airlines departing from or terminating in Kenya
- **G)** Yellow Fever Vaccination is required for entering any country within East Africa and should be dated at least 10 Days before the Date of Arrival.
- H) For clients coming from the US, Europe or UK they don't need the Yellow Fever Vaccination However, they may require this on departure from Kenya depending on the transit country / country they are returning to hence we highly recommend all clients to get this vaccination.
- I) If you are connecting through other East African countries the Yellow Fever Vaccination is Mandatory
- J) What to pack for safari; The most practical items to pack for your Kenya safari are:
  - Clothes in khaki, green, beige and neutral colors
  - Long-sleeved shirts that offer protection from the sun and mosquitoes
  - T-shirts
  - Shorts or a light skirt
  - > Jeans or safari trousers for evenings and cooler days
  - > Jackets and sweaters for early morning and late afternoon game drives
  - > A lightweight waterproof jacket in case of rain
  - Swim and beachwear
  - Comfortable walking shoes
  - Sunscreen, sunglasses, a hat, insect repellent, moisturizer and lip salve
  - Binoculars and camera equipment

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