

SUGGESTED SAFARI PACKING LIST

As you prepare for your safari, we'd like to share our recommendations to ensure most comfort and at ease whilst with us in Africa.

The dress code on safari is casual with an emphasis on comfort. A long-sleeved shirt for protection from the sun and long pants for protection from occasional mosquitoes in the evenings is recommended. You will need a warm sweater / shell jacket for the early mornings and evenings when it can get surprisingly cold.

The concept of 'layering' is a good system to employ. A waterproof rain jacket can double as a windbreaker.

Daytimes can get quite warm, though never humid, so shorts and t-shirts/short sleeve shirts during the heat of the day are the norm. Since laundry is done daily in almost every camp, lodge or hotel you will visit, it is not necessary to bring more than 4 or 5 sets of clothing. The camp and lodge staff will not wash ladies underwear due to local traditions but laundry soap is provided.

Please avoid clothing resembling army uniforms eg. Army jackets, caps, trousers as it is illegal in most African countries.

LUGGAGE

Private Air Charter:

Duffel bags are ideal as they store easily, especially in a private chartered aircraft. When a light aircraft is utilised, the maximum baggage allowance per person is restricted to **20kgs** (approximately 45lbs.) per person. One soft duffel bag with wheels and one carry on bag per person is recommended.

Scheduled Flight:

The Baggage Allowance on Scheduled Flights is restricted to **15kgs in East Africa per person** (including hand luggage) in soft bags, plus a reasonable amount of photographic/video equipment. Any excess luggage may involve the use of an extra aircraft to carry such luggage and will therefore be charged as an additional cost.



Personal Items
Personal Toiletries
Insect Repellent
Prescriptions (with doctors letter)
Malaria Medication
Small First Aid Kit
Wet Wipes and /or Antibacterial Gel
Toothbrush and Toothpaste
Sunscreen SPF 30+
1 Hat
Shampoo and Conditioner (+ Dry Shampoo)
Deodorant
Hair Brush
Moisturiser
Lip Balm
One set of packing cubes (e.g. flight 101)

Other
Passport (Valid for at least 6 months with two extra blank pages per country visiting and visa's)
Visa's
International Certificate of Vaccinations
Air Tickets
USD\$ Dollars for shopping & tipping
Still/Video Camera & Camera Bag
Memory Cards - at least 1 gigabyte
Flash & Lenses
Small tripod /Beanbag
Converter and adapter (British plug)
Binoculars
Small Flashlight with extra batteries
Extra batteries and necessary chargers
Ear plugs and eye mask

Clothing
4 Cotton T-shirts
2 Long sleeve shirts
2 Pairs of lightweight pants
1 Pair of Sunglasses
1 Pair of Walking shoes
2 pairs of comfortable casual shoes (sneakers)
1 pair of flip flops
3 Pairs of lightweight shorts
1 Cotton wrap or scarf
1 Fleece-lined waterproof jacket
1 Set of casual lounge wear
1 Sweater
5 Pairs of undergarments & socks
1 pair of pyjamas
2 Sets of smart casual wear for the evenings