ESSENTIAL SOUTH AFRICA & VIC FALLS TOUR



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South Africa & Victoria Falls with Flights

Duration: 11 days

Stay: 9 nights accommodation

Travel style: Escorted tour with flights from Australia

Booking code: SAEVFG11M

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About the holiday

Experience the worry-free convenience of an escorted tour, with the freedom to explore on your own during this value-packed African adventure!

This tour offers a great introduction to South Africa, including animal viewing game drives and time to experience the city of Cape Town. A city tour will help you get your bearings and pick up local travel tips about Cape Town. Then during your free time in the beautiful city, there are plenty of optional tours available for those of you who are keen to see as much as possible during your stay.

Fly to Johannesburg and drive to Limpopo Province, where amazing game drives and animal viewing bring the thrill of being in Africa to life. You'll get to enjoy wildlife drives in open air safari vehicles. Early mornings and late afternoons are best, to avoid the midday heat when animals are at rest. This is your chance to look out for lion, leopard, cheetah, herds of elephant and buffalo, as well as incredible bird viewing opportunities on a breathtaking safari.

Return to Johannesburg for the flight to Victoria Falls, where you'll get to witness the magnificent World Heritage-listed waterfalls!

Travel dates

2024 & 2025- Departs year-round

Note: Departures are subject to confirmation at time of booking. Price will vary depending on your travel date. Not available during school holidays, Easter and Christmas periods.

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Holiday Inclusions

Escorted Package Includes:

Flights - Return economy airfares to Johannesburg from Australia
Fly with Singapore Airlines includes airline fees, taxes & fuel surcharges
Intra-flights Cape Town-Johannesburg, Johannesburg-Victoria Falls &
Victoria Falls-Johannesburg.

Accommodation - 9 nights accommodation

4 nights Cape Town

2 nights Limpopo Province

1 night Johannesburg

2 nights Victoria Falls

Hotel taxes, fees & service charges

Hotel porterage

13 meals - 9 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 2 dinners

Sightseeing & game drives per itinerary

Services of English-speaking tour manager throughout

Package excludes:

Airport transfers - can be pre-booked on request for an additional fee Meals & sightseeing not specified
Optional tours & activities
Any items not specified in the inclusions or itinerary
Personal items, such as drinks, snacks, laundry etc.
Gratuities for tour manager, guides & drivers
Travel insurance is essential
Prices are based on twin share, please contact us for single rates

Subject to confirmation by the airlines, tour company, hotels & local operators.

Cancellation fees & booking conditions apply.

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Special features:

- During the Panoramic Cape Town City Tour, pass by Castle of Good Hope, City Hall, the Grande Parade and view Table Mountain
- Game drives in magnificent Limpopo Province
- Visit spectacular Victoria Falls, a UNESCO World Heritage Site

Itinerary:

DAY 1, Tuesday - Fly to South Africa

Depart for South Africa

DAY 2, Wednesday - Arrive in Cape Town

Arrive in Cape Town. As you make your way to the hotel, you can see the city's iconic symbol, Table Mountain, greeting you in the distance. Balance of the day is at leisure **Overnight:** Cape Town

DAY 3, Thursday - Cape Town City Tour

After an orientation meeting with your Tour Manager, depart on a city tour. Pass famous landmarks including the Castle of Good Hope, City Hall, the Grand Parade, St. George's Cathedral, Company Gardens, and the Malay Quarter. The route then leads to Kloof Nek and Table Mountain. Perhaps ascend to the summit by cable car* (ticket not included) for bird's eye view of the city and its beaches. Continue to the V & A Waterfront where you will have the opportunity to learn the three-billion-year-old story of diamonds while touring prominent Shimansky Jewellers & Museum. Following the tour (or for those who do not wish to participate) stroll through the adjacent V & A Waterfront with its endless shopping and dining opportunities before returning to your hotel for an afternoon at leisure

*Table Mountain Aerial Cableway closes for annual maintenance in July & August. Exact dates will be advised in early 2023.

Overnight: Cape Town

Meals: Breakfast

DAY 4, Friday - Full Day in Cape Town

While in Cape Town, don't miss the *optional* tour to Cape Peninsula, known for its steep mountains, secluded coves, and pristine beaches. The Cape of Good Hope, within Table Mountain National Park, is home to at least 250 species of birds as well as antelope, ostrich, and baboons. Walk the rugged cliffs, or take the famous Flying Dutchman funicular that climbs uphill to the old lighthouse. Afterward, visit Boulders Beach to see the unique spectacle of penguins waddling freely, and walk through Kirstenbosch Botanical Gardens

Optional: Full Day Cape Peninsula Tour

Overnight: Cape Town

Meals: Breakfast

DAY 5, Saturday - Full Day in Cape Town

Enjoy the day at leisure in Cape Town. Perhaps join the *optional* South African Wine Tour* which takes you along the country's principal wine route to the scenic towns of Paarl, Franschhoek and Stellenbosch with tastings along the way. Alternatively, thrill seekers will not want to miss the *optional* excursion to "Shark Alley" to experience great white shark cage diving.* Tonight, attend the *optional* Traditional African Dinner Experience for a memorable evening of live performances and African gastronomy before returning to the hotel

*The South African Wine Tour and Full Day Great White Shark Cage Diving operate simultaneously. Passengers may opt to participate in only one of these tours

Optional: South African Wine Tour

Optional: Full Day Great White Shark Cage Diving **Optional:** Traditional African Dinner Experience

Overnight: Cape Town

Meals: Breakfast

DAY 6, Sunday - Flight to Johannesburg, Evening Game Drive

This morning, fly to Johannesburg, known as "Gauteng: the City of Gold." Upon arrival, drive to Limpopo Province located just three hours outside of Johannesburg. Your stay will be at a game reserve where the varied habitats provide ideal conditions for a selection of large mammals including the Big Five (lion, elephant, buffalo, leopard, and rhino). Here, accompanied by a ranger, uncover the magic of the African bush. during the late afternoon game drive. Dinner is at the lodge

Overnight: Limpopo Province

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

DAY 7, Monday - Morning and Afternoon Game Drives

Depart early for a morning game drive, or participate in the *optional* Balloon Safari. Drift above the beautiful landscape, watching for wild game below. A glass of sparkling wine awaits you at the end of the journey. Join the rest of your group on the morning game drive in open safari vehicles where you may have a chance to see not only the large beasts but also the smaller mammals, birds and insects. After lunch, relax at the lodge before setting out for your afternoon game drive. Return in time for dinner and toast to your final night in South Africa

Optional: Mabula Balloon Safari Overnight: Limpopo Province Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 8, Tuesday - Travel to Johannesburg

Awaken early this morning and set out on your final game drive. After an early lunch, bid farewell to the bush and travel to Johannesburg.

Upon arrival, check into your hotel and spend the rest of the day at leisure

Overnight: Johannesburg Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

DAY 9, Wednesday - Flight to Victoria Falls

Transfer to the airport for your morning flight to Victoria Falls,* in Zimbabwe, named a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Here, you can still encounter herds of buffalo and elephant on their way to the Zambezi River. Experience the romance of Africa on the *optional* Zambezi River Sundowner Cruise. Relax onboard as you look for hippos, elephants, and buffalo that come to drink at the end of the day at the water's edge. Afterward, return to the hotel. Tonight, attend the *optional* Boma Dinner & Drum Show, an unforgettable dinner experience featuring dance performances, lively songs, and an interactive drumming show

*Flights to Victoria Falls will arrive and depart into Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe or Livingstone, Zambia. The Livingstone airport is a 30-minute drive to the hotel in Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe

Optional: Zambezi River Sundowner Cruise Optional: The Boma Dinner & Drum Show

Overnight: Victoria Falls

Meals: Breakfast

DAY 10, Thursday - Full Day in Victoria Falls

Today is yours to discover this beautiful area independently, or join the *optional* Full Day Chobe Safari. Embark on a morning game viewing cruise along the Chobe River, famous for its elephant and lion populations. After lunch, enjoy an afternoon game drive in Chobe National Park, home to one of the largest game concentrations in Africa. Tonight, say goodbye to your Tour Manager and fellow travellers at a Farewell Reception

Optional: Full Day Chobe Safari

Overnight: Victoria Falls

Meals: Breakfast

DAY 11, Friday - Depart South Africa

This morning, take a guided tour of Victoria Falls, one of the "Seven Natural Wonders of the World." The walking safari takes you through the rainforest to view the Cataracts, Livingston's statue and a wide variety of birds and plants. Return to the hotel before transferring to the airport in Zimbabwe. Fly to Johannesburg and connect to your international departure flight this evening. Please select flights that depart no earlier than 7:30 PM

Meals: Breakfast

Note: The day-by-day descriptions published are intended as a rough guideline only. Travel by nature is unpredictable, weather patterns, game migrations, road conditions, public holidays, travel restrictions and a multitude of other factors may necessitate itinerary changes that ultimately are for the client's benefit. It is essential that clients are flexible and open minded in this regard.

Is this trip right for me?

This value program provides the comfort of an escorted tour, with the freedom to explore on your own. Minimal inclusions plus a variety of optional excursions allow maximum customization. This moderately active program is intended to offer an introduction to the two most South African experiences, animal game drives and the city of Cape Town. Game drives take place in the early morning and late afternoon to avoid mid-day heat when animals are at rest. Game drives will be performed by small, non air-conditioned safari vehicles. During this tour, you may come into proximity of wild animals whose actions can be unpredictable. Certain inherent risks are involved which should be considered at your own discretion. Additional optional sightseeing is available to enhance your holiday. While on safari, on the motor coach and at remote lodges, WiFi service is not available or extremely limited. Short power outages are a regular occurrence in Africa. Hotels in major cities are equipped with back-up generators so there are no interruptions to normal services, however hotels outside of major cities may have supplemental generators that provide electricity to only essential services.

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