

E3 Kenyan Tour

June 26-July 4, 2024



Through safaris at Ole Pejeta and Maasai Mara, two of Kenya's top game parks, and visits to E3-supported schools in central and western Kenya, you will get to know this beautiful country and its warm, friendly people.

HIGHLIGHTS:

- Viewing spectacular wildlife in Ol Pejeta and Maasai Mara
- Visiting Petals of Africa School, Wide Horizons School, and Three Rivers Academy, the new high school near mighty Mount Kenya.
- Meeting diverse Kenyan communities and delighting in the warmth of the people.

Day 1: Arrive Nairobi (Wednesday, June 26)

On your arrival our E3 representative will greet you at the airport and take you to your accommodation for the night.

Included meals: None

Accommodation: Four Points Sheraton Hurlingham

Day 2: Nairobi (Thursday, June 27)

Enjoy a day to refresh, relax, and catch up on jet lag if necessary. You may opt to tour some of Nairobi's highlights including the David Sheldrick Elephant Orphanage and the AFEW Giraffe Centre. Enjoy lunch and some souvenir shopping at one of Nairobi's malls, where you will begin to see the diversity of this cosmopolitan African capital.

Included meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Accommodation: Four Points Sheraton Hurlingham

Day 3: Nairobi (Friday, June 28)

Meet the students and teachers at Wide Horizons School in Waithaka where you will enjoy their welcoming presentations and witness the impact the school is having on the children. After a couple of hours with the students, you will journey to Nanyuki in Central Kenya. En route, you will stop for lunch and have the opportunity to shop for items crafted by local artisans and take photos at the equator.

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Sweet Waters Serena Camp

Approximate driving time: 4 hours



Day 4: Nanyuki (Saturday, June 29)

Spend the day at Three Rivers Academy, the new secondary school that E3 helped establish. There is also the opportunity for morning and/or evening game drives.

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Sweet Waters Serena Camp



Day 5: Ol Pejeta Conservancy (Sunday, June 30)

Spend the day in the Ol Pejeta Conservancy where there are several activities available to choose from including:

- Game drives – day and/or night
- Endangered Animals Enclosure
- Chimpanzee Sanctuary
- Bush dinner/breakfast (additional cost)

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Sweet Waters Serena Camp



Day 6: Nanyuki to Migori to Maasai Mara (Monday, July 1)

Your charter plane whisks you from the cool, lush central highlands to the warmer climes of Lake Victoria. On your arrival at Migori, you will be taken to Petals of Africa School for another warm welcome, lunch, and a visit with the students and teachers. In the afternoon, you will fly into the middle of the Maasai Mara Game Reserve.

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Mara River Camp

Approximate total flying time: 2 hours



Days 7 & 8: Maasai Mara Game Reserve (Tue & Wed, July 2 & 3)

Spend two full days game-driving in the Maasai Mara. The abundance and variety of game in this reserve is amazing. Elephants, buffalo, giraffes, wildebeest and the common zebra abound. Maasai Mara is also home to the big cats (lion, cheetah, leopard) as well as hyena and vultures. The hippo pool is a popular spot; with luck, you may catch crocodile basking on the rocks. You might want to add one of the following experiences to your trip (additional fees apply):

- Bush breakfast, lunch and/or dinner
- Nature walks
- Ballooning

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Mara River Camp



Day 9: Maasai Mara to Nairobi (July 4)

After breakfast you will have a morning game viewing session before getting a plane back to Nairobi. Transfer from Wilson Airport to Jomo Kenyatta Airport in time for your flight home.

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Approximate flying time: 1 ½ hours

Rates:

- **Price: US \$5650 per traveler***
- **Single supplement: US \$1355**
- **Extra night in Nairobi (includes accommodation, breakfast and airport transfer and can be added at the beginning and/or end of this tour): US\$255 per person per night**
- **A \$250 deposit holds your place. It is fully-refundable until 3 months before the trip (March 25). Final reservations need to be confirmed with a 50% non-refundable deposit 2 months before the trip (April 25) and final payment is due one month before the trip (May 25). We need a minimum of 6 travelers for the trip to go. Maximum of 12.**

*This quote is a guide and is not binding. The final price of the tour will be quoted at the time of booking, based on individual preferences for accommodation and other inclusions/exclusions.

Included:

- Pick up and drop off at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport, Nairobi
- All accommodations
- All transport and tours/game drives as listed on the itinerary in a comfortable safari 4x4 Land Cruiser with pop-up roof fit for photography and game-viewing.
- Services of a professional English-speaking driver-guide
- Meals as listed in the itinerary plus two liters bottled drinking water per person per day
- Park entry and game drives in the Maasai Mara Game Reserve and Ol Pejeta Conservancy
- All domestic charter flights: Nanyuki to Migori, Migori to Maasai Mara, and Maasai Mara to Nairobi.

Not included:

- International flights and entry visas
- Gratuities – an entirely personal gesture
- Travel insurance
- Meals not listed
- Personal expenses or room charges including laundry, drinks and phone calls
- Additional optional activities

Other information:

All US citizens traveling to Kenya must obtain an e-visa in advance. <https://evisa.go.ke/>

The US Embassy has helpful information for travelers to Kenya. <https://ke.usembassy.gov>

At this time, no COVID-19 tests or immunizations are required to enter Kenya.

Activity Level: Travelers on this tour should be able to walk over uneven ground, tolerate extended travel over bumpy terrain, and enter/exit Land Rovers and small planes unaided.

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