

KIDEPO & BWINDI NATIONAL PARKS
8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS



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DAY 1 ENTEBBE

On arrival at Entebbe International Airport in Uganda and after finalizing the formalities, you will be welcomed by your guide, who will then drive you to your hotel.

Accommodation: Entebbe for 1 night

DAY 2 ENTEBBE · KIDEPO NATIONAL PARK

Transfer to the airport for your flight to Kidepo National Park. The park lies in the rugged, semiarid valleys between Uganda's borders with Sudan and Kenya, some 700km from Kampala. Gazetted as a national park in 1962, it has a profusion of big game and hosts over 77 mammal species as well as around 475 bird species. Kidepo is Uganda's most isolated national park is also the most magnificent, for Kidepo ranks among Africa's finest wildernesses. (B/L/D)

Accommodation: Kidepo National Park for 3 nights

DAY 3 KIDEPO NATIONAL PARK

After an early morning breakfast, embark on a morning game drive that will take you to see herds of buffaloes, elephants, giraffes, zebras and hopefully some lions, leopard and the elusive cheetah. This will also enable you to be in full sight of varieties of birds as well. You will rest at your accommodation after your lunch until evening where you will go for a cultural tour in the Karamajong community. Here you will spend a wonderful evening with Karamajong people and have an insight of their way of life and beliefs. At the end of the tour you will be able to understand why their pride makes them slow to adapt to globalization. (B/L/D)

DAY 4 KIDEPO NATIONAL PARK

After your breakfast, start your drive through the Narus Valley where you will have a nature walk. In the afternoon, you will enjoy another game drive. Kidepo National Park is a savannah landscape that extends in all directions, It is home to elephant, zebra, giraffe, huge herds of buffaloes, warthog, duiker, Jackson's Hartebeest, lion, leopard, cheetah and hundreds of bird species. You may see other animals too such as Jackal Roan Antelope, waterbuck, Eland, Oribi, Klipspringer, Lions etc. The park has also the highest concentration of birds that are endemic to Uganda: Ostrich, Kori bustard, vultures, pygmy falcon, hornbills, eagles etc. (B/L/D)

DAY 5 KIDEPO NATIONAL PARK · KAJJANSI · ENTEBBE · ISHASHA

After breakfast you will fly to Kajjansi Airstrip from Kidepo, you will then drive to Entebbe and fly to Kihhi Airstrip. On arrival, you will drive to Ishasha, the southern part of Queen Elizabeth National Park. In Ishasha you will have a game drive searching the unique tree-climbing lions. Only here the lions have the habit of climbing trees. (B/L/D)

Accommodation: Ishasha for 1 night

DAY 6 ISHASHA · BWINDI NATIONAL PARK

After breakfast you will have another morning game drive in Ishasha discovering other hiding spots that the tree climbing lions enjoy. Afterwards you will proceed to Bwindi Impenetrable National Park. The park is home to the endangered mountain gorillas. This fascinating mountain forest hosts chimpanzees and spectacular birds. There are 23 of the 24 Albertine Rift endemic bird species including Blue-throated Broadbill, bar-tailed Trogon and other beautiful forest species. Go to bed earlier this evening, since you should be fit for the gorilla trekking the next day. (B/L/D)

Accommodation: Bwindi National Park for 2 nights

DAY 7 BWINDI NATIONAL PARK

This morning you will get up very early for your gorilla trekking. Trekking the Mountain Gorilla is one of the most exciting wildlife experiences on earth. The trek will take between 2 and 6 hours, but is well worth the

effort. You will be led by an experienced ranger who will tell you interesting facts about flora and fauna and the lifestyle of the Gorillas. As an alternative to gorilla trekking, there are several walks that you can take. The Munyaga waterfall Trail takes about 3 hours and goes through some area of the park where you may see elephants. (B/L/D)

DAY 8 BWINDI NATIONAL PARK · ENTEBBE

After breakfast, you will fly back to Entebbe enjoying the beautiful aerial view of south western Uganda, the hills and thick vegetation as well as the farming practiced by the locals. Afterwards you will arrive at the Airport and catch your flight back home. (B)

INCLUSIONS

- Flights Kajjansi – Kidepo – Kajjensi // Entebbe – Kihhi – Entebbe
- Transfers as per itinerary
- Visits as per itinerary
- 7 night accommodation in double occupancy
- Meals: 7 breakfasts, 6 lunches, 6 dinners
- 4X4 vehicle with pop up roof
- Bottle of water
- English speaking local guides
- Gorilla trekking permit

Not included · International air · **visa for Uganda +/- \$USD50** · Optional excursions · beverages · items of a personal nature · gratuities to hotel personnel, guides and drivers.

Price in CAD\$, per person starting from, double occupancy	Land package	Land package	Land package
Daily departures			
INTERMEDIATE ACCOMMODATION			
	2 persons	4 persons	6 persons
Jan 1 - December 31, 2020	8229	7199	6859
Jan 1 – December 31, 2021	8119	7159	6839
DELUXE ACCOMMODATION			
	2 persons	4 persons	6 persons
Jan 1 - December 31, 2020	12459	11249	10839
Jan 1 – December 31, 2021	12239	11089	10699
Single room supplement	On request		

Hotel Options or similar		
City	Intermediate accommodation	Deluxe accommodation
Entebbe	Cassia Lodge	Serena Lake Victoria
Kidepo N. P.	Adere Safari Lodge	Apoka Safari Lodge
Ishasha	Enjojo Lodge	Ishasha Wilderness Camp
Bwindi N. P.	Mantana Engagi Lodge	Buhoma Lodge

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