



# MAKING THE MOST OF YOUR CHECKLIST



We hope you get to make many tick-marks on this list along your route! Always remember though that a great safari is less about how many animal sightings you have and more about the experience of being in the African bush, with surprises waiting around every corner. Just relax and enjoy every sight, smell and sound nature has on offer...

ARRIVE AS STRANGERS.  
LEAVE AS FRIENDS.

- SNAKES**
- African Rock Python
  - Brown House Snake
  - Black Mamba
  - Boomslang
  - Cape File Snake
  - Common Egg Eater
  - Giant Blind Snake
  - Half Banded Garter Snake
  - Mozambique Spitting Cobra
  - Marbled Tree Snake
  - Natal Green Snake
  - Night Adder
  - Olive Grass Snake
  - Puff Adder
  - Red-lipped Herald Snake
  - Spotted Bush Snake
  - Snouted Cobra
  - Side-stabbing Stiletto Snake
  - Striped Skaapsteker
  - Sheild-nose Snake
  - Tiger Snake
  - Twig or Vine Snake
  - Yellow-bellied Sand Snake

- REPTILES**
- Agama, Southern Tree
  - Chameleon, Flap-necked
  - Crocodile, Nile
  - Gecko, Dwarf
  - Legless Skink, Giant
  - Monitor, Rock
  - Monitor, Water
  - Plated Lizard, Giant
  - Skink, Rainbow
  - Skink, Striped
  - Terrapin, Hinged
  - Terrapin, Marsh
  - Tortoise, Hinged
  - Tortoise, Leopard

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# WILDLIFE CHECKLIST

## MAMMALS

- Aardvark
- Aardwolf
- Antelope, Roan
- Antelope, Sable
- Baboon, Chacma
- Buffalo, African
- Bushbaby, Lesser
- Bushbaby, Thick-tailed
- Bushbuck
- Bushpig
- Caracal
- Cheetah
- Civet, African
- Dassie(Hyrax) Rock
- Duiker, Common
- Eland
- Elephant, African
- Fox, Bat-eared
- Genet, Large-spotted
- Giraffe
- Grysbok, Sharpe's
- Hare, Scrub
- Hartebeest, Lichtenstein's
- Hippopotamus
- Honey Badger
- Hyaena, Spotted
- Impala
- Jackal, Black-backed
- Jackal, Side-striped
- Klipspringer
- Kudu
- Leopard
- Lion
- Mongoose, Banded
- Mongoose, Dwarf
- Mongoose, Slender
- Mongoose, Water
- Mongoose, White-tailed
- Monkey, Vervet
- Nyala
- Oribi
- Pangolin, Cape
- Polecat, Striped
- Porcupine
- Reedbuck, Common
- Reedbuck, Mountain
- Rhebok, Grey
- Rhino, Hook-lipped(Black)
- Rhino, Square-lipped(White)
- Serval
- Squirrel, Tree
- Springhare
- Steenbok
- Tsessebe
- Warthog
- Waterbuck
- Wild Cat, African
- Wild Dog, African
- Wildebeest, Blue
- Zebra, Burchell's

## BIRDS OF PREY (RAPTORS)

- Bateleur
- Buzzard, Steppe
- Buzzard, Lizard
- Eagle, Long-crested
- Eagle, Martial
- Eagle, Steppe
- Eagle, Tawny
- Eagle, Verreaux's
- Eagle, Wahlberg's
- Hawk-Eagle, African
- Honey-Buzzard, European
- Kite, Black-shouldered
- Kite, Yellow-billed
- Owl, Barn
- Owl, Marsh
- Owlet, African Barred
- Owlet, Pearl-spotted
- Scops-Owl, African
- Eagle-Owl, Spotted
- Eagle-Owl, Verreaux's
- Falcon, Amur
- Falcon, Red-footed
- Fish-Eagle, African
- Goshawk, Dark Chanting
- Goshawk, Gabar
- Grass-Owl, African
- Harrier-Hawk, African
- Scops-Owl, White-faced
- Secretarybird
- Shikra
- Snake-Eagle, Black-chested
- Snake-Eagle, Brown
- Vulture, Lappet-faced
- Vulture, Hooded
- Vulture, White-backed
- Vulture, White-headed

## BIRDS (NON-RAPTORS)

- Apalis, Yellow-breasted
- Apalis, Bar-throated
- Babbler, Arrow-marked
- Barbet, Acacia Pied
- Barbet, Black-collared
- Barbet, Crested
- Batis, Chinspot
- Bee-eater, Blue-cheeked
- Bee-eater, European
- Bee-eater, Little
- Bee-eater, Southern carmine
- Bee-eater, White-fronted
- Bishop, Yellow-crowned
- Bishop, Southern Red
- Boubou, Southern
- Brubru
- Buffalo-Weaver, Red-billed
- Bulbul, Dark-capped
- Bunting, Cinnamon-breasted
- Bunting, Golden-breasted
- Bush-Shrike, Gorgeous
- Bush-Shrike, Grey-headed
- Bush-Shrike, Orange-breasted
- Bustard, Black-bellied
- Bustard, Kori
- Buttonquail, Kurrichane
- Canary, Yellow-fronted
- Cisticola, Rattling
- Cliff-Chat, Mocking
- Cormorant, Reed
- Cormorant, White-breasted
- Coucal, Burchell's
- Hamerkop
- Helmetshrike, White-crested
- Helmetshrike, Retz's
- Heron, Green-backed
- Heron, Grey
- Heron, Goliath
- Heron, Purple
- Heron, Squacco
- Hoopoe, African
- Hornbill, African Grey
- Hornbill, Crowned
- Hornbill, Red-billed
- Hornbill, Yellow-billed
- Hornbill, Trumpeter
- Ibis, African Sacred
- Ibis, Hadedda
- Jacana, African
- Courser, Bronze-winged
- Courser, Temmincks
- Crow, Pied
- Cuckoo, Black
- Cuckoo, Diderick
- Cuckoo, Jacobin
- Cuckoo, Klaas's
- Cuckoo, Levallant's
- Cuckoo, Red-chested
- Darter, African
- Dove, African Mourning
- Dove, Laughing
- Dove, Red-eyed
- Drongo, Fork-tailed
- Duck, Comb
- Duck, White-faced
- Egret, Cattle
- Egret, Great
- Finfoot, African
- Firefinch, African
- Firefinch, Jameson's
- Flycatcher, Pale
- Flycatcher, Southern Black
- Go-away-Bird, Grey
- Goose, Egyptian
- Goose, Spur-winged
- Grebe, Little
- Greenbul, Sombre
- Green-pigeon, African
- Ground-Hornbill, Southern
- Guineafowl, Crested
- Guineafowl, Helmeted
- Scimitarbill, Common
- Scrub-Robin, White-browed
- Scrub-Robin, Bearded
- Shrike, Magpie
- Shrike, Red-backed
- Shrike, Southern White-crowned
- Snipe, African
- Snipe, Greater Painted
- Sparrow, House
- Spoonbill, African
- Spurfowl, Natal
- Spurfowl, Swainson's
- Starling, Burchell's
- Hornbill, Cape Glossy
- Starling, Greater Blue-eared
- Starling, Red-winged
- Starling, Violet-backed

- Kingfisher, Brown-hooded
- Kingfisher, Giant
- Kingfisher, Grey-headed
- Kingfisher, Malachite
- Kingfisher, Pied
- Kingfisher, Striped
- Kingfisher, Woodland
- Korhaan, Red-crested
- Lapwing, African Wattled
- Lapwing, Blacksmith
- Lapwing, Crowned
- Lapwing, Senegal
- Longclaw, Yellow-throated
- Mannikin, Bronze
- Martin, Rock
- Masked-Weaver, Lesser
- Masked-Weaver, Southern
- Moorhen, Common
- Mousebird, Red-faced
- Mousebird, Speckled
- Neddicky
- Nightjar, Fiery-necked
- Nightjar, Square-tailed
- Openbill, African
- Oriole, Black-headed
- Ostrich, Common
- Oxpecker, Red-billed
- Oxpecker, Yellow-billed
- Palm-Swift, African
- Paradise-Flycatcher, African
- Paradise-Whydah, Long-tailed
- Parrot, Brown-headed
- Plover, Three-banded
- Prinia, Tawny-flanked
- Puffback, Black-backed
- Pytilia, Green-winged
- Quail, Common
- Quail, Harlequin
- Quailfinch, African
- Quelea, Red-billed
- Robin-Chat, Red-capped
- Robin-Chat, White-browed
- Robin-Chat, White-throated
- Roller, Broad-billed
- Roller, European
- Roller, Lilac-breasted
- Roller, Purple
- Sandgrouse, Double-banded
- Starling, Wattled
- Stilt, Black-winged
- Stonechat, African
- Stork, Abdim's
- Stork, Black
- Stork, Marabout
- Stork, Saddle-billed
- Stork, White
- Stork, Woolly-necked
- Stork, Yellow-billed
- Sunbird, Amethyst
- Sunbird, Collared
- Sunbird, Marico
- Sunbird, Scarlet-chested
- Sunbird, White-bellied
- Swallow, Barn
- Swallow, Lesser-striped
- Swallow, Red-breasted
- Swallow, Wire-tailed
- Swift, Alpine
- Tchagra, Black-crowned
- Tchagra, Brown-crowned
- Teal, Red-billed
- Thick-knee, Spotted
- Thick-knee, Water
- Thrush, Groundscraper
- Thrush, Kurrichane
- Turtle-Dove, Cape
- Turaco, Purple-crested
- Wagtail, African Pied
- Wagtail, Cape
- Waxbill, Common
- Plover, Violet-eared
- Waxbill, Blue
- Weaver, Red-headed
- Weaver, Spectacled
- Weaver, Thick-billed
- Weaver, Village
- White-eye, Cape
- Whydah, Pin-tailed
- Widowbird, Red-collared
- Wood-Dove, Emerald-spotted
- Wood-Hoopoe, Green
- Woodpecker, Bearded
- Woodpecker, Bennett's
- Woodpecker, Cardinal
- Woodpecker, Golden-tailed