



ARRIVE AS STRANGERS LEAVE AS FRIENDS

Kruger Park Adventures

5 Day Luxury Combo Safari

Accommodation Inside & Outside Kruger

Experience the ultimate 5-Day Luxury Safari combining a private game reserve, the stunning Panorama Route, and Kruger National Park. Enjoy two nights at Imagine Africa Tented Camp in Balule for exclusive game walks and drives, followed by a scenic tour of Blyde River Canyon and God's Window. Conclude with two nights at the prestigious Skukuza Safari Lodge for classic night safaris and continuous Big Five tracking, with all premium accommodations, guided tours, and meals included.

TOTAL DURATION 5 Days / 4 Nights	TRAVEL STYLE Luxury Safari	MAIN WILDLIFE TARGETS Big Five, Birding, Common Wildlife
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SAFARI HIGHLIGHTS

Dual Wilderness: Combine a private game reserve with Kruger National Park.

Tented Camp Luxury: Enjoy two nights at Imagine Africa Tented Camp with bush walks and sundowners.

Panorama Route: Explore Blyde River Canyon, God's Window, and Bourke's Luck Potholes.

Skukuza Safari Lodge: Stay two nights in central Kruger with continuous Big Five tracking.

Night Safari: Spot elusive nocturnal wildlife on an exciting, guided night drive.



DAY TO DAY ITINERARY

Day 1:

Your luxury safari begins with a convenient collection from Johannesburg (OR Tambo) or Hoedspruit Airport (HDS), followed by a transfer straight to Imagine Africa Tented Camp in the private Balule Game Reserve. Check into your luxury tented accommodation, settle in, and enjoy a welcoming lunch before heading out on your first thrilling Big Five game drive in the exclusive reserve. As the sun sets, pause to enjoy a traditional sundowner drink overlooking the savannah, then return to camp for a gourmet dinner served under the stars.

MEALS INCLUDED: Dinner

Day 2:

Wake up to fresh coffee and rusks before heading out on either a sunrise game drive or an invigorating guided bush walk with an expert guide to uncover the secrets of the bushveld. Return to camp for a hearty breakfast and spend your midday relaxing by the pool or unwinding on your private deck before enjoying a delicious lunch. In the afternoon, set off on an open-vehicle safari dedicated to tracking predators and large game, then wrap up your day with a final gourmet dinner under the stars at the private reserve camp.

MEALS INCLUDED: Breakfast & Dinner

Day 3:

After an early breakfast, check out of camp and journey along the spectacular Panorama Route, stopping to marvel at the breathtaking views of Blyde River Canyon, God's Window, and Bourke's Luck Potholes. Enjoy lunch at your own expense before entering the gates of Kruger National Park, kicking off your afternoon game drive en route to the prestigious Skukuza Safari Lodge. Check into your premium room and unwind with a delicious included dinner at the lodge restaurant.

MEALS INCLUDED: Breakfast & Dinner

Day 4:

Set off from Skukuza at dawn for an exhilarating sunrise drive, tracking lions, leopards, and wild dogs across the wildlife-rich central Kruger region. Return to camp for a hearty breakfast and spend your midday relaxing by the pool or exploring the lodge's amenities, with lunch available for purchase. After enjoying a delicious, included dinner, climb aboard an open vehicle for an adventurous night safari to search for elusive nocturnal creatures under the African sky.

MEALS INCLUDED: Breakfast & Dinner



Day 5:

Head out for one final early morning game drive in Kruger National Park for a chance at a memorable farewell wildlife sighting. Return to Skukuza Safari Lodge for a delicious final breakfast, check out of your room, and settle in for your comfortable return transfer. You'll arrive back at your original drop-off point in Johannesburg between 5:00 PM and 6:00 PM, concluding your unforgettable luxury safari adventure.

MEALS INCLUDED: Breakfast



YOUR ARRIVAL & PICK-UP OPTIONS

Depending on your travel plans, we offer convenient collections from three major transit hubs:

- **OR Tambo International Airport (JHB):** Ideal for international arrivals.
- **Hoedspruit Eastgate Airport (HDS):** Closest regional airport, perfect for quick access to the area.
- **Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport (MQP):** Best for regional connections.
- **Skukuza Airport (SZK):** Located directly inside the park for maximum convenience.

Road Transfer: You will travel in a spacious, air-conditioned Toyota Quantum, featuring comfortable seating and ample luggage space to ensure a relaxing road journey. Road Transfers from JHB are around 4-5 hours long.

The Wild Transition: Upon arriving at our Hazyview hub, you will transfer your luggage and step into an open-air 4x4 safari vehicle. This custom vehicle is designed with tiered seating to give you unobstructed; 360-degree views the moment we cross the park gates.

📌 **A Note on Luggage:** Because we transition to open safari vehicles, we highly recommend using soft-sided duffel bags rather than hard-shell suitcases for easier packing and protection against dust.



ACCOMMODATION INSIDE THE KRUGER NATIONAL PARK

First Leg (2 Nights): Imagine Africa Tented Camp (Balule Game Reserve)

- **Room Style:** Luxury Tented Accommodation
- Experience authentic, secluded tented living surrounded by the wilderness of an exclusive private game reserve.

Second Leg (2 Nights): Skukuza Safari Lodge (Central Kruger National Park)

- **Room Style:** Premium Air-Conditioned Room
- Unwind in modern, high-end comfort at Kruger's premier luxury lodge, featuring contemporary amenities and easy access to the park's rich wildlife.

⚠ Important Booking Note: Because premium lodges like Skukuza Safari Lodge and Imagine Africa Tented Camp are in high demand and book out well in advance, we secure and confirm your exact accommodations as soon as your booking deposit is finalized.



DAILY MEALS AND BEVERAGES

Your safari keeps you fuelled with **4 delicious breakfasts and 4 hearty dinners** served right at Imagine Africa Tented Camp and Skukuza Safari Lodge, letting you easily unwind after a great day out in the bush. Lunches are for your own account, giving you the freedom to grab a bite at the lodge dining areas or scenic stops along your route whenever you're hungry. We recommend budgeting around R250 to R450 per person per day for your lunches, drinks, and any extra snacks along the way.



SAFARI INCLUDES / EXCLUDES

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- 2 Nights' Accommodation at Imagine Africa Tented Lodge in Bulule Private Game Reserve
- 2 Nights' Accommodation Skukuza Lodge within the Kruger National Park
- All Road Transfers - Johannesburg/Hoedspruit
- Panorama Route - Blyde River Canyon, God's Window, and Bourke's Luck Potholes
- Daily Conservation/Entrance Fees
- Open Vehicle Game Drives in Kruger
- Open Vehicle Game Drives in Balule
- Professional Nature Guide
- 2 lunches at Imagine Africa in Balule
- 4 Dinners
- 4 Breakfasts

EXCLUDED

- Lunches
- All Beverages
- Personal Curios
- Flights
- Travel insurance
- Gratuities
- Bush Walks

WHAT TO PACK FOR YOUR SAFARI

- **Clothing:** Neutral-coloured clothing is best for game viewing. Bring layers, early mornings and nights can be surprisingly chilly, even in summer.
- **Footwear:** Comfortable, closed-toe walking shoes are essential for lodge grounds and bush walks.
- **Gear:** A pair of decent binoculars is a must. Don't forget your camera with extra memory cards and batteries.
- **Sun Protection:** High-SPF sunscreen, a wide-brimmed hat, and polarized sunglasses to cut the glare during long drives.
- **Essentials:** Personal toiletries, any prescription medications, and a light rain jacket (for those rare summer showers).



HEALTH AND SAFETY FOR YOUR SAFARI

Your safety is our absolute priority. Kruger National Park is a well-managed wilderness, and you will be in the expert hands of our professional, accredited guides who are trained to navigate the bush safely.

Regarding health, please ensure you consult your doctor regarding malaria precautions well before your trip, as Kruger is in a malaria area. We recommend staying hydrated and always following your guide's instructions, especially when outside the vehicle. Our safari camps are secure, comfortable, and maintained to high standards to ensure you have a relaxing and worry-free stay in the heart of nature.

TRAVEL INSURANCE FOR YOUR SAFARI

Please note that comprehensive travel insurance is compulsory for all guests traveling with Nhongo Safaris. For the best coverage tailored specifically to African travel, we highly recommend **SATIBGo**. This specialized policy integrates seamlessly with our on-the-ground emergency network and can be easily purchased online. To secure your policy, please [click here to purchase your SATIBGo Travel Insurance](#).

We Can't Wait to Welcome You to the Wild!

At Nhongo Safaris, we don't just guide tours, we share the heart and soul of the African bush. Our passion is ensuring your Kruger experience is seamless, safe, and unforgettable. If you have any questions at all or would like to customize any part of this document, please let us know. Your adventure of a lifetime is just a booking away.

Warm regards,

The Nhongo Safaris Team

An African safari is more than just a holiday; it's a transformative experience that stays with you long after you've returned home. Whether you are seeking the thrill of the Big 5 or the quiet peace of a sunset in the Kruger, we are here to ensure your journey is seamless from start to finish. Your adventure begins with a single conversation.

