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Kenya with Kids

DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY

Family safari with private guide

The “Big Five,” your child’s favorite animals, local experiences and more.

Our Kenyan family safari combines outstanding wildlife viewing with impactful cultural exchanges and exciting natural learning. Spend a day with Kenyan school children. Have quality one-on-one time with orphaned baby elephants. Feel welcomed in Maasai warriors’ villages, sharing their traditional skills and ways of life. Stare in awe at towering Kilimanjaro as the backdrop of Amboseli National Park and the shores of Lake Nakuru turned pink with flamingos. Watch in wonder in the midst of the thundering herds migrating across the Maasai Mara each year from July until October, with gifted guides focused on your child’s enjoyment and enrichment.

Welcome to Deeper Africa

Wildlife encounters, at once spontaneous and beyond imagination, result from our in-depth knowledge of seasonal wildlife migrations and patterns. Our guides possess a lifetime of African lore and all the skills of a master tracker. *It's being in the perfect place at the perfect time.*

As a worldwide team with vast experience, we provide you with exceptional personal service. We attend to every detail. We help you learn about Africa's important conservation issues. *Arrive in Africa fully prepared and ready to explore.*

We believe that local African communities must benefit and prosper from the conservation and enjoyment of Africa's wildlife. They ensure the future. Your dollars protect wildlife and wild lands, as well as support and nurture local small businesses that in turn support our safari business. *Your dollar makes change.*

Experience wondrous wildlife, enjoy local culture and discover more about the vibrant people and complicated politics unique to Africa. *We love this wild continent.*

family safaris with Deeper Africa

From aardvark to zebra

Our family safaris create a rich learning experience for young people and everyone lucky enough to travel with them. Our guides are parents themselves, and are experts in experiential learning. Your safari guide is at once a teacher, translator and a tracker. He'll keep you safe, comfortable, and entertained throughout your entire journey.

This is education at its most fun.

Safari schedule at a glance

International flight #1

Departs: TBD

Arrives: TBD

International flight #2

Departs: TBD

Arrives: NBO

Days 1 & 2:

Arrival in Nairobi National Park
Overnights at Ololo Lodge

Days 3 & 4:

Drive to Amboseli National Park
Overnights at Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge

Day 5:

Drive to Nairobi
Day trip to Isiniya, Tembea Academy
& BEADS for Education
Overnight at Ololo Lodge

Days 6 & 7:

Bush flight to Lake Nakuru National Park
Overnights at Sarova Lion Hill Lodge

Days 8 & 9:

Bush flight to Naboisho Conservancy
Overnights at Base Camp Eagle View

Day 10:

Day room at Hilton Garden Inn
Bush flight to Nairobi for international flights

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DAYS 1 & 2

Ololo Lodge Nairobi

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Upon clearing customs at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport in Kenya's bustling capital city of Nairobi, a driver awaits you holding a Deeper Africa sign with your name on it. He will transport you to Ololo Lodge. Visit the Sheldrick Animal Orphanage and meet the resident baby elephants. Interact with the orphans and watch their inspiring keepers feed, nurture and rehabilitate them, so that they can form new families in the wild. Learn about conservation efforts in Kenya.

Enjoy lunch at Tamambo Restaurant before heading to the nearby Giraffe Center. Stand atop the platform to be

eye-level with these gentle giants. Hold out some pellets and feed lunch to a hungry giraffe.

Conclude the day with a tour of Kazuri Beads. Kazuri began as a tiny workshop making handmade beads and is now large enough to operate its own factory that produces beautiful handmade jewelry and pottery. See how the beads are made and turned into exquisite crafts.

Includes: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Wi-fi, Swimming pool
Private guide & private vehicle

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Wildlife viewing
Get your checklist ready

Activities included
Keep your camera close

Elephants, Buffalo,
Cheetah, Giraffes, Hippos,
Hyenas, Impala, Lions,
Mongoose, Ostrich,
Wildebeest, Zebras

Wildlife viewing
Hiking
Cultural exchange

DAYS 3 & 4

Serena Safari Lodge Amboseli National Park

Amboseli National Park's open savannah is famous for elephants. Researchers at the Amboseli Elephant Research Project have tracked these elephants for more than 40 years, given them names and mapped their family trees. Watch the herd's matriarchs, babies, teenagers and bulls interact and relate to one another.

Have fun learning animal identification, tracking and spotting skills from your safari guide. Supplement the guide's knowledge with extra information, maps and pictures at your fingertips.

The Enkongo Narok swamp and the acacia woodlands are always green and attract plenty of animals. The swamp's water is replenished underground from the snows of Mt. Kilimanjaro. Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge employs local Maasai from the surrounding area. Embark on a nature walk lead by a local Maasai guide.

Includes: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Wi-fi, Private guide &
private vehicle

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DAY 5

BEADS for Education

Isinya, Kenya

Proceeds

from your visit go to BEADS for Education

Depart Amboseli for a special day in the rural town of Isinya—home to the BEADS for Education program. This international non-profit supports Maasai mothers and their daughters by offering mothers the opportunity to sell traditional beaded crafts to pay for the school fees of their daughters. In places like Isinya, girls have been traditionally discouraged from pursuing education. Instead they have been married off, frequently to older men as a second, third or fourth wife. The program attracts international donors who sponsor students that

attend primary school, secondary school and college, if they choose. This program changes lives.

Spend time in class with Tembea Academy's BEADS Students and enjoy lunch. The children will have the opportunity to talk, laugh and share stories with their Kenyan peers.

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Wi-fi, Swimming Pool
Private guide & private vehicle

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DAYS 6 & 7

Sarova Lion Hill Lodge Lake Nakuru National Park

Lake Nakuru National Park contains a variety of ecosystems— acacia forest, woodlands and a famous soda lake that draws more than 400 species of birds.

Sarova Lion Hill Lodge offers marvelous views of pelicans fishing and flamingos wading.

Two endangered species thrive in Nakuru. In 1987, after devastation by poachers, just two black rhino remained in this park. The Kenyan Wildlife Service created a rhino sanctuary within the park and reintroduced breeding herds from nearby Laikipia, successfully reestablishing black and white rhino in the park. Similarly, the iconic Rothschild's giraffe, threatened in it's western Kenyan home, was introduced to the park in 1977. Now there are 60-70 members.

Includes: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner,
Wi-fi, Swimming Pool
Private guide & private vehicle

Spot leopards and even lions lounging in trees. Four million flamingos roam the Rift Valley soda lakes throughout the year, literally turning the shores pink.

Wildlife viewing
Get your checklist ready

Antelopes (Eland, Reedbuck, Waterbuck), Baboons, Buffalo, Colobus monkeys, Dik-diks, Flamingos, Grant gazelles, Hippos, Impalas, Leopard, Lions, Pelicans, Rhino, Rothschild giraffes, Thompson's gazelles, Warthogs, Zebras

Activities included
Keep your camera close

Wildlife viewing

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DAYS 8 & 9

Base Camp Eagle View

Mara Naboisho

Conservancy

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Basecamp Eagle View sits in the private Mara Naboisho Conservancy in southwest Kenya and offers some of Kenya's best wildlife viewing year-round. Zebras and giraffes, attracted to nearby salt-licks, often stroll the grounds and in July and August, herds from the great migration journey through. The conservancy is a predator refuge with some of the highest concentrations of lions in the world. Star gaze the clear night sky.

Spend an afternoon at a Maasai village. Basecamp has close ties to the local community and the camp's staff and guides are locals who are happy to share their traditions and culture. Experiences here are authentic and unobtrusive.

Includes: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Alcohol & Beverages, Laundry
Private guide & private vehicle

This is the perfect place to see big cats. The Disney documentary *"African Cats"* filmed here, features a young lion named Mara and her mother Layla, as well as a famous cheetah named Sita and her cubs.



Wildlife viewing
Get your checklist ready

Antelope, Baboons, Black rhino, Buffalo, Caracal, Cheetah, Dik-diks, Elephants, Gazelles, Giraffe, Hartebeest, Impalas, Leopards, Lions, Mongoose, Serval, Thomson's gazelle, Vervet monkeys, Waterbuck, Warthogs, Wildebeests, Zebras

Activities included
Keep your camera close

Wildlife viewing
Guided walking safaris
Learning about Maasai culture
Learning tracks & signs
Bush skills
Baking
Stargazing & stories

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DAY 10

Hilton Garden Inn Flights & International Travel

After breakfast and morning wildlife viewing, your Deeper Africa guide will transfer you to the bush airstrip for your flight back to Nairobi.

A Deeper Africa driver awaits you at Wilson Airport to transfer you to the Hilton Garden Inn where a day room awaits. In the evening, your driver will transport you to Jomo Kenyatta Airport for your international departure.

Includes: Breakfast
Swimming Pool, Wi-fi
Private guide & private vehicle

Flight #1 (Day 10)

Departs | Nairobi, Kenya

Arrives | TBD

Flight #2 (Day 11)

Departs | TBD

Arrives | TBD

Maa Trust visit

Maasai Mara, Kenya

Proceeds

from your visit go to the Maa Trust:

an independent non-profit in partnership with Maasai-owned conservancies and neighboring communities that works for conservation and to improve the lives of Maasai families through sustainable community development in the Maasai Mara ecosystem. The Trust manages projects that increase benefits to Maasai landowners of having wildlife on their land. These include schools, honey production, conservation education, beadwork, water and sanitation, health clinics and bursary programs.

Social enterprises, such as Maa Beadwork and Maa Honey, bring income and opportunity specifically to women, who felt that conservancy payments largely passed them over and went only to men.

Maa Honey runs 74 beehives, owned by 75 women in three women's groups. In 2015 Maa Trust relocated the hives inside the conservancy at secure ranger posts. With a donation from Africa Exchange for all of the equipment needed and a trained professional beekeeper, the women of this project bottle and decorate the jars of organic honey produced from their hives. The Maa Trust then sells this honey on their behalf to camps and lodges throughout the Mara.

Learn more about the Maa Trust at <http://themaatrust.org>

2020 Pricing

\$7,600 - \$8,750
adult

\$3,800 - \$4,200
child

2020 Custom Pricing & Departures

July - Oct, 15-31 Dec

- 6 guests: \$8,000 USD per person
- 4 guests: \$8,350 USD per person
- 2 guests: \$8,750 USD per person
- Child under 12 years: \$4,200 USD

Jan - June, Nov - 14 Dec

- 6 guests: \$7,600 USD per person
- 4 guests: \$8,000 USD per person
- 2 guests: \$8,400 USD per person
- Child under 12 years: \$3,800 USD

All pricing in US dollars. Pricing assumes two adults and one child per room. Arrival and departure are through Kenyatta International Airport in Nairobi, Kenya. Prices do not include international airfare. All itineraries and prices are subject to change.

Kenya with Kids safari includes

- Start-to-finish safari expertise
- Accommodations in all lodges & tented camps
- All meals as stated in itinerary
- Wildlife viewing with private guide in private 4x4 safari Land Cruiser
- All park and entrance fees
- Enrollment with Flying Doctors Evacuation Service
- All in-country transportation
- Safe drinking water available at all times
- Beverages in your 4x4 safari vehicle
- Laundry at some camps and lodges
- Alcohol & beverages at some camps and lodges
- Extensive pre-departure briefing and materials including health information, reading list and map

International airfare and gratuities not included. Certain brands of alcohol and beverages not included in some camps.

We plan your adventures in areas where wildlife habitats are known to exist for the season and time you're traveling. Still, animals are not in a zoo. They run freely and we cannot always anticipate their movements.



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