HIGHLIGHTS OF UGANDA SAFARI ITINERARY FOR 12 DAYS/ 11 NIGHTS

WITH





HIGHLIGHTS OF UGANDA

| Lake Mburo | Bwindi | Queen Elizabeth | Kibale | Jinja | Nile | Kampala |

Day 1: Arrival

On arrival at the Airport, you will be picked up by our tour guide who will transfer you to your hotel for check in.

Day 2: Transfer to Lake Mburo

This morning, after breakfast, you will set off for Lake Mburo National Park where you will do a Game drive and Boat ride. You will spot buffalo, zebras, gazelles etc as you drive through the game park. You will also enjoying wonderful sceneries along the way. After the game drive you will then take boat rides on Lake Mburo, you will return to the lodge for dinner and overnight stay.





Day 3: Transfer to Bwindi Impenetrable Forest

Your guide will pick you up from your hotel to commence your transfer to Bwindi Impenetrable National Park. You can make a stop at the Igongo Cultural Centre. After lunch, you will continue onto Kisoro via Kabale. Once in Kisoro, you will continue on to the Rushaga area. On arrival, you will check-in at the Lodge for dinner and overnight stay.

Day: 4 Gorilla Tracking in Rushaga & transfer to Lake Bunyonyi

You will be up by 6.00am for a quick breakfast and transfer to the Rushaga gate of Bwindi Impenetrable Forest National Park – which is 25 kilometres (1 hour drive) away. With packed lunch in your carry-on, your guide will deliver you to the Rushaga tracking point before 8:00 am for registration and a briefing on what to expect before commencing your tracking.

When you finally locate the family that you are tracking, you will sit in the forest among the gorillas, listening to them grumble to each other, and marvel at the sheer size of the dominant male; the silverback.

Your guide will then transfer you to Lake Bunyonyi for overnight stay. You can relax as you wait for dinner to be served.





Day 5: Transfer to Queen Elizabeth National Park Via Ishasha

You are up at 6.00 am. Enjoy your breakfast at the hotel and be ready to commence your transfer to Queen Elizabeth National Park at 6.30 am. The 7-hour drive takes you through Uganda's leafy central plains - driving through tea plantations in or near Fort Portal town, before heading down into the rift valley, with the Rwenzori Mountain ranges in the distance on your right and the rift valley on the left. On arrival, you will check-in at your chosen lodge and enjoy a late lunch. After lunch, you can relax at the lodge and later visit Katwe Crater Lake where local people have mined for salt for centuries.





Day 6: Game Drive & Boat Ride

After an early breakfast at 6.00am, your guide together with a game ranger will take you on a game drive to the northern sector of Queen Elizabeth National Park through the Kasenyi track in search for lions, hyenas, buffaloes, leopard, water buck, bush bucks, Uganda Kob plus many bird species including ibis, fish eagles and vultures etc. You will head back to your lodge for relaxation and lunch.

After lunch, you will embark on a boat cruise along the Kazinga channel – a natural channel that connects Lakes George and Edward. On the cruise, view great numbers of wildlife including elephants, crocodiles, hippos, buffaloes and large numbers of birds like eagles, kingfishers, eaglets converging at the channel waters to enjoy a sip of the natural waters. You will then be driven back to your lodge for dinner and overnight stay.





<u>Day 7: Transfer to Kibale Forest National Park</u>

After your breakfast you will set off on a 9-10 hour journey to Kibale Forest National Park. The drive is through a beautiful countryside dotted with traditional homesteads, crop gardens and plantations as well as trading centres and towns. You will have lunch en-route and arrive in the late afternoon.

Day 8: Chimpanzee tracking and nature walk in Kibale Forest

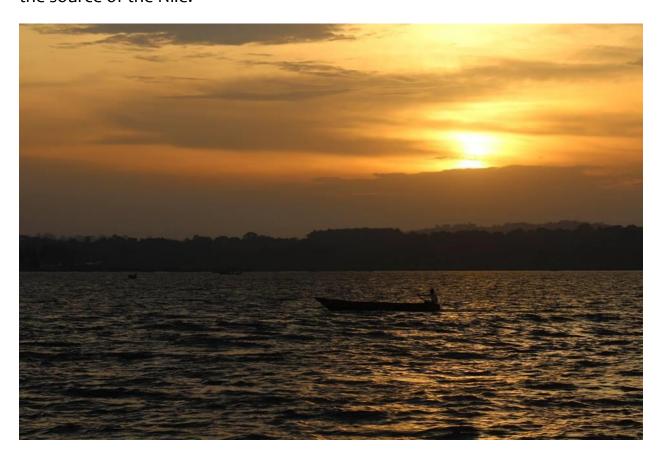
After breakfast you will report at the Kanyanchu at o8.00 am for a briefing on the rules of chimpanzee tracking. Kibale Forest National Park has the greatest variety and highest concentration of primates in East Africa. The trek takes 2-3 hours and it will provide you with the opportunity to see a variety of other primates and animals as well as birds and a variety of butterflies. You will return to the lodge for lunch and in the afternoon go for a nature walk in the Bigodi Wetland to see a variety of rare birds and more monkey species.





Day 9: Transfer from Kibale Forest to Jinja

After breakfast, the tour guide will come pick you from hotel and transfer you to Jinja; where you will check in your hotel for your overnight stay. After Lunch, about 5pm, the tour guide will come pick you from hotel and transfer you to the source of the nile for a brief tour and later for a sundowners boat ride on the source of the Nile.





Day 10: Source of the Nile & Adrenaline Activities

After breakfast, you will be taken for your adrenaline adventure which will be either Quad Biking, White Water Rafting, Bunjee Jumping, Horse Riding by the Nile. Afternoon at leisure (or depends on your choice of activity). Later on have dinner and a night rest.







Day 11: Transfer back to Kampala

Breakfast at leisure, relax at your hotel. You will have lunch after which we will prepare to leave Jinja and head back to Kampala. On your way to Kampala you will make a stop at Griffin Falls for Zip lining, lunch and transfer to Ssezibwa falls for a brief tour before heading out to Kampala, check into your overnight stay.



Day 12: Departure

Driver will pick you up and transfer you to the airport for your departure flight.

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"We guarantee you to have a memorable safari with us".



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