

NUBA

PACKING LIST



VIRTUOSO.

PREFERRED ON-SITE

WHAT TO PACK AFRICA

Men's Clothing

- Light windproof / Waterproof jacket.
- 1 Fleece & 1 jumper / sweatshirt.
- 2 pairs of safari trousers & safari shorts.
- 6 pairs of sports socks.
- 4 short sleeved shirts & / or T-shirts.
- 2 casual trousers (for evenings).
- 3 long sleeved shirts (for evenings).
- Pyjamas (nights can be cool).
- Swimming trunks & 6 sets underwear.



Women's Clothing

- Sunhat.
- Light windproof / Waterproof jacket.
- 1 Fleece & 1 jumper / sweatshirt.
- 2 pairs of safari trousers & safari shorts.
- 6 pairs of sports socks.
- 4 short sleeved shirts & / or T-shirts.
- 2 pairs of casual pants (evenings).
- 3 long sleeved tops / blouses (for evenings).
- Pyjamas (nights can be cool).
- Swimming costumes & 6 sets underwear.
- 1 Sarong (you can buy kikoyos / kangas here).

Men & Women's Shoes

- Light tennis / walking shoes for everyday use.
- 1 pair of sandals / flip-flops/ thongs.
- 1 pair of closed shoes for the evening.

Sundries

- Passport & Health card.
- Airtickets / vouchers.
- Credit cards (Debit cards often not compatible).
- No Traveller cheques.
- Cash – US\$ preferable, notes newer than 2006, **(tipping is customary expect to use \$15 pppd)****
- Discrete money pouch / wallet.
- Basic sewing kit.
- Sun glasses & solid case.
- Prescription glasses (+spare pair), solid case
- Clients using contact lenses should bring extras and prescription glasses (due to dust).
- Books / magazines / journals / ipad.
- Converter / plug set – to UK square 3 pin.
- Binoculars*
- Flashlight (small, with extra batteries)
- A few zip-lock bags.

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• Toiletries (men & women)

- Anti-histamine cream & Insect repellent.
- Motion sickness pills (if needed).
- Painkillers sun / dehydration can cause headaches).
- Sunscreen (we recommend a high factor, as many parts of Africa are at high altitude).
- Aftersun / moisturizing lotion.
- Face cleaner (wipes are handy) & moisturizer.
- Hand cleaning wipes (antibacterial).
- Battery or hand razor (not electrical).
- Hairbrush, shampoo and conditioner.
- Deodorant, lip balm, eye drops (if needed).
- Feminine hygiene supplies.
- Toothpaste and toothbrush.
- Supply of any usual medication—bring in hand luggage.



• Camera Equipment*

- Camera / video camera with lenses (if required).
- Camera bag (padded, dust & splash proof).
- Lens cleaning equipment & battery charger + adapter.
- Extra batteries & large memory card (and a spare).

Powers supply and phone / wifi connectivity:

Many camps have limited power source which are unable to support hairdryers and/or hair straighteners.

Many camps have limited wifi (often through satellite link), and many areas have mobile network. Roaming charges can be prohibitive, so stick to wifi when possible. Always bear in mind the peace of the wilderness and disturbance to other guests.

Luggage / Clothing Advice:

Weight allowance for internal flights is 15kgs in soft bags (we recommend a soft 80 litre duffle bag without wheels). We recommend bringing comfortable, hard-wearing, 'breathable' (cotton) clothes. Consider wearing layers of clothing as temperatures can vary on an hourly basis throughout the day.

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Lost luggage:

Wear suitable casual clothes and shoes when travelling, and make sure you bring spare underwear, and essential toiletries in your hand luggage, in case your checked luggage is delayed by the airline. Essential medication should be carried in hand luggage when travelling. If luggage does go awry, We have dedicated airport staff who will help you locate and reunite you with your lost luggage.

Laundry:

Laundry is often scrubbed on a rock and ironed with a charcoal iron, and luggage can bounce around the back of the safari vehicles, so please do not bring anything too special or fragile! The properties do not take any responsibility for damage to clients' goods.



* Binoculars and camera equipment:

For game viewing we advise that every guest in your party brings their own pair of binoculars. Some lodges provide photographic equipment, ask your travel advisor. For best photographic results a telephoto lens of 250-400mm is recommended. Many camera stores will rent specialist equipment including lenses - ask your local camera shop about this option. And it is always recommended to practice with your new equipment before you depart on safari.

** Tipping:

Tipping is customary and most lodges and camps will have a central tip box so that all lodge staff can share, although your guide should be tipped separately. Allow \$5-10 per guest per night, for the lodge staff and same for the guide.

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