3-Day Tanzania Safari: Serengeti & Ngorongoro Crater

Duration: 3 Days | Price: $0.00



Overview

Experience an unforgettable 3-Day Tanzania Safari, exploring two of the country's most spectacular wildlife destinations—Serengeti National Park and Ngorongoro Crater. This 3-day adventure takes you deep into the heart of the African wilderness, where vast golden plains stretch endlessly, teeming with diverse wildlife. The Serengeti, known for its incredible predator population and the world-famous Great Migration, offers an unparalleled game-viewing experience, with chances to spot the Big Five—lions, leopards, elephants, buffalo, and rhinos.

Your journey through this Tanzania Safari continues into the Ngorongoro Conservation Area, home to the breathtaking Ngorongoro Crater, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. The crater is a natural haven for wildlife, boasting one of the highest densities of animals in Africa. Within its lush grasslands, soda lakes, and acacia forests, you can encounter black rhinos, hippos, flamingos, and large prides of lions, all thriving in this enclosed ecosystem. A game drive inside the crater provides a rare opportunity to witness an extraordinary concentration of wildlife in a relatively small area.

This carefully curated Tanzania Safari is designed for those who seek an immersive and efficient wildlife experience without compromising comfort. From thrilling game drives in the Serengeti to a scenic picnic lunch on the crater floor, every moment is crafted to showcase the raw beauty of Tanzania's wilderness. Whether you are a wildlife enthusiast, photographer, or first-time visitor to Africa, this safari promises breathtaking landscapes and unforgettable encounters with nature.

Itinerary

Day 1

Arusha – Serengeti National Park

Your adventure begins with an early morning departure from Arusha. You will drive through the scenic landscapes of the Great Rift Valley and the Ngorongoro Highlands before entering the Serengeti National Park. Along the way, you may spot wildlife such as giraffes, zebras, and antelopes roaming freely.

Upon arrival in Serengeti, enjoy an afternoon game drive through the vast plains, searching for lions, leopards, cheetahs, elephants, and large herds of wildebeest and zebras. As the sun sets, head to your lodge in Central Serengeti for dinner and overnight stay.

Overnight: Central Serengeti Lodge or Tented Camp
Meal Plan: Lunch & Dinner

Accommodation: *Central Serengeti Lodge or Tented Camp*

Day 2

Serengeti – Ngorongoro Conservation Area (Overnight in Karatu)

Wake up early for a sunrise game drive in Serengeti, one of the best times to spot predators on the hunt. The golden light of dawn paints the landscape beautifully, creating a perfect setting for photography. After breakfast, continue exploring Serengeti's diverse ecosystems before beginning the journey toward the Ngorongoro Conservation Area.

As you leave Serengeti, enjoy more game viewing en route. Upon arrival in Ngorongoro, descend towards Karatu, a picturesque town located just outside the conservation area. Relax at your lodge and enjoy the beautiful surroundings.

Overnight: Karatu Lodge
Meal Plan: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Accommodation: *Karatu Lodge*

Day 3

Ngorongoro Crater – Arusha

After an early breakfast, drive to the Ngorongoro Crater and descend into the world's largest unbroken volcanic caldera. The crater floor is home to an extraordinary concentration of wildlife, including rhinos, lions, elephants, hippos, and flamingos. Enjoy a half-day game drive, exploring its unique ecosystem and spotting some of Africa's most sought-after animals.

Lunch will be served at a scenic picnic site within the crater, offering stunning views of the surrounding landscapes. In the afternoon, ascend the crater rim and begin your return journey to Arusha, arriving in the late afternoon.
Meal Plan: Breakfast & Lunch

Accommodation: *NIL*

Inclusions

- 4x4 safari vehicle with a pop-up roof for game viewing

- Professional English-speaking safari guide
- Park entrance fees to Serengeti & Ngorongoro
- Full-board accommodation (lodges/tented camps)
- All meals as per itinerary
- Bottled drinking water during safari
- Crater service fees for Ngorongoro Crater

Exclusions

- International & domestic flights
- Airport transfers (can be arranged at an additional cost)
- Tips & gratuities for guides and lodge staff
- Beverages and alcoholic drinks
- Travel insurance & personal expenses
- Optional activities not included in the itinerary