10-Day Best of Uganda Safari: Gorillas, Chimps and Big Game

Uganda



DURATION	COUNTRY	STARTING FROM
10 days, 9 nights	**Uganda**	**USD 3,650 per person**

TOUR SUMMARY

This 10-day, 9-night safari covers the best-known parks in Uganda.

You start with rhino tracking at Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary and game drives and a boat cruise at Murchison Falls, then trek chimpanzees in Kibale, take a game drive and boat cruise in Queen Elizabeth, trek gorillas in Bwindi, and end with a game drive at Lake Mburo before returning to Kampala.

ITINERARY

Day 1

Kampala to Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary and Murchison Falls NP

Depart Kampala and drive to Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary for rhino tracking.

Continue to Murchison Falls National Park.

Visit the top of Murchison Falls.

Check-in at Pakuba Safari Lodge.

Dinner and overnight at the lodge.

Day 2

Game Drive and Boat Cruise

Early morning game drive in the northern sector of the park.

Return to the lodge for breakfast and relaxation.

Afternoon boat cruise to the base of the falls.

Optional hike to the top of the falls.

Dinner and overnight at Pakuba Safari Lodge.

Day 3

Transfer to Kibale Forest

After breakfast, drive to Kibale Forest National Park.

Check-in at Kibale Forest Camp.

Evening at leisure.

Dinner and overnight at the camp.

Day 4

Chimpanzee Trekking and Transfer to Queen Elizabeth NP

Morning chimpanzee trekking in Kibale Forest.

After lunch, drive to Queen Elizabeth National Park.

Evening game drive en route to The Bush Lodge.

Dinner and overnight at the lodge.

Day 5

Game Drive and Boat Cruise

Early morning game drive in the Kasenyi plains.

Return to the lodge for breakfast and relaxation.

Afternoon boat cruise on the Kazinga Channel.

Dinner and overnight at The Bush Lodge.

Day 6

Transfer to Bwindi via Ishasha Sector

After breakfast, drive through the Ishasha sector, known for tree-climbing lions. - Continue to Bwindi Impenetrable National Park.

Check-in at Gorilla Valley Lodge.

Dinner and overnight at the lodge.

Day 7

Gorilla Trekking in Bwindi Forest

Early morning briefing and gorilla trekking in Bwindi Forest.

Spend up to one hour with the gorillas.

Return to the lodge for relaxation.

Dinner and overnight at Gorilla Valley Lodge.

Day 8

Transfer to Lake Mburo National Park

After breakfast, drive to Lake Mburo National Park. - Check-in at Rwakobo Rock Lodge.

Evening game drive or nature walk.

Dinner and overnight at the lodge.

Day 9

Game Drive and Relaxation

Morning game drive in Lake Mburo National Park. - Return to the lodge for breakfast and relaxation. - Optional boat ride on Lake Mburo.

Dinner and overnight at Rwakobo Rock Lodge.

Day 10

Return to Kampala

After breakfast, drive back to Kampala. - Stop at the equator for photos and crafts shopping.

WHAT IS INCLUDED

Cost includes

- All activities
- Entrance fees
- All accommodation
- Gorilla permits (One per person, non-resident)
- Chimpanzee permits (One per person, non-resident)
- A professional driver/guide
- All transportation
- All Taxes/VAT
- Round-trip airport transfer
- Meals
- Drinking water

Cost excludes

- International flights (From/to home)
- Additional accommodation before and at the end of the tour
- Tips (Tipping guideline US$10.00 pp per day)
- Personal items (Souvenirs, travel insurance, visa fees, etc.)
- Government imposed increase of taxes and/or park fees

GOOD TO KNOW

- Packing for Safari? Keep it simple!
- Bring comfortable, lightweight clothes in natural colors like khaki, olive, sand, and earth tones. Pack layers too: mornings can be surprisingly chilly, while the middle of the day gets hot. You don't need a fresh outfit for every day, since most lodges and camps can arrange laundry service.
- Don't forget your sun protection: a good hat, sunglasses, and sunscreen. Comfortable shoes are enough for most safaris. Heavy hiking boots are only needed if you're doing a walking safari, primate tracking, or mountain climbing.
- A good pair of binoculars is a must. A camera is great, but binoculars will transform the way you experience wildlife, especially birds and animals that are far away.
- For luggage, we recommend a soft-sided bag over a hard suitcase. It fits much more easily into safari vehicles and small aircraft, where space is tight and weight is often limited to 15 kg.
- Most importantly, don't overpack. Travel light and enjoy the adventure!

Ready to book this safari?

Request a quote and we will tailor it to your dates and group: **gorillatreking.com/safari/10-day-best-of-uganda-safari-gorillas-chimps-and-big-game/**

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