3-Day Akagera Big Five Safari and Lake Ihema Boat Cruise, Rwanda

Rwanda



DURATION	COUNTRY	STARTING FROM
3 days, 2 nights	**Rwanda**	**USD 980 per person**

TOUR SUMMARY

Track lion, rhino, elephant, buffalo and leopard in Akagera, the only Big Five park in Rwanda, with a boat cruise on Lake Ihema to see hippos and crocodiles.

ITINERARY

Day 1

Kigali to Akagera

Drive east to Akagera for an afternoon game drive.

Day 2

Game drive and boat cruise

Take an early game drive then a boat cruise on Lake Ihema among hippos and birds, and an optional night drive.

Day 3

Akagera to Kigali

Enjoy a morning game drive and return to Kigali.

WHAT IS INCLUDED

Cost includes

- 2 nights accommodation in or near Akagera
- Park entrance fees
- Game drives
- Boat cruise on Lake Ihema
- Professional English-speaking driver/guide
- Transport in a safari vehicle
- Meals as indicated
- Drinking water
- All taxes/VAT

Cost excludes

- International flights
- Visa fees
- Tips for guides and staff
- Travel insurance
- Personal items and drinks not mentioned
- Government-imposed increases in taxes and/or park fees

GOOD TO KNOW

- Akagera is about 2.5 hours from Kigali. Game viewing is good all year; the dry season is best.
- 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/3-day-akagera-big-five-safari-and-lake-ihema-boat-cruise-rwanda/**

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