

Check list – Packing for your Safari

The well known expression 'less is more' applies very much for Safaris. However, apart from your travel documents, you must not forget some important things when packing as it is very likely that you won't come across a pharmacy / supermarket on your entire Safari.

Travel Documents ready?

- Passport (Valid for at least 6 month and empty pages)
- Visa (need to apply in advance?)
- Drivers license (international drivers license necessary?)
- Flight tickets
- Travel documents
- Hotel-, Tour- and other vouchers
- Travel insurance documents
- Vaccination card

Convenient apparel packed?

Please beware, that on light aircraft transfers there is a 10 – 20 kg per person limit on luggage. Note that this includes any cameras, camera bags and associated equipment. No hard suitcases or bags with wheels can be transported as they physically cannot fit into the aircraft. We insist on a soft carry-on (instead of a suitcase) with the following maximum dimensions: 25cm / 10 inches wide x 30cm / 12 inches high and 62cm / 24 inches long.

- T-Shirts & pullovers
- Shorts & long trousers
- Underwear & socks
- Warm clothing (Fleece)
- Raincoat
- Trekkingsandals & sturdy shoes
- Hat / head covering
- Sunglasses
- Swimming gear
- Beach and ocean? Don't forget fins, snorkel & goggles

First-aid kit:

- Personal medication
- Anti-malarials
- Insect repellent
- Band-aid & dressing material
- Painkiller & remedy for colds
- Anti-Diarrhoeal agent
- Antinauseants
- Contraceptive



Toiletry:

- Tooth brush & tooth paste
- Shower gel & hair shampoo
- Deo
- Shaving kit
- Manicure scissors / nail file (not allowed in your hand luggage)
- Contact lenses & solution
- Hair-brush / comb
- Sun screen & After-Sun-Lotion
- Handkerchiefs & wipes for disinfection

Entertainment:

- Books, travel diary & writing set
- Card game for the journey
- MP3-Player / CD-Player

Electronic devices:

- Power adapter
- Torch (LED rechargable)
- Photo & video camera
- Extra memory card
- Mobile phone
- Recharger
- Battery & extra adapter
- Alarm
- (Hair dryer – some Safari bush camps do not have electricity)

Further useful things:

- Extra glasses (sunglasses as well)
- Travel pillow / neck roll
- Backpack / water proof packsack
- Poss. hand washing powder (for underwear)
- Sewing kit

For Self-Drivers:

- Pocketknife (not allowed in your hand luggage)
- Lighter / matches (not allowed in your hand luggage)
- Bottle & can opener (not allowed in your hand luggage)
- Travel guide / map
- Compass / GPS

This check list is based on suggestions! Please note, that different things are required on every journey and according to the travellers personal needs. After you have booked your Safari we will inform you about the detailed luggage restrictions etc. for your journey.

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wishes You an incredible Safari experience!

