






South Africa Escape with Victoria Falls

Tour Overview

 Start Point Cape Town	 End Point Johannesburg	 Meals 16 Breakfasts 3 Lunches 9 Dinners	 Transport Air- conditioned coach	 Tour Type Fully- guided tour
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Itinerary

Day 1: Start of tour in Cape Town

 Dinner  StayEasy Cape Town City Bowl

Welcome to your Cape Town to Victoria Falls tour! Starting in South Africa's beautiful "Mother City", meet up with your tour leader and group at the hotel. Then, set off on a city tour. Drive through District Six and Signal Hill, visit the Company's Gardens and more. Tonight, enjoy a braai (BBQ) and African drumming experience at a local winery.

Included:

- SAEVFT - Embark on a Cape Town city tour
- SAEVFT - Enjoy a traditional braai & African drumming

Day 2: Cape Town: Free Day

 Breakfast  StayEasy Cape Town City Bowl

Enjoy a free day to spend as you wish in Cape Town. Alternatively, join the unmissable Cape Peninsula Day Trip! This excursion includes visits to Cape Point (where stunning views await), Boulders Beach (home to an African Penguin colony), and lunch in Kalk Bay. End the trip at the V&A Waterfront for plenty of entertainment, shopping and dining options!

Optionals:

- Cape Peninsula Day Trip

Day 3: Cape Winelands - Stellenbosch - Hermanus Region

 Breakfast, Lunch  Windsor Hotel Hermanus

Leaving Cape Town after breakfast this morning, head to the gorgeous Cape Winelands. Arrive in Stellenbosch, a town famous for its university, Cape Dutch architecture and world-class wine. Visit a local winery for lunch and get a taste of this region's renowned wines. Afterwards, drive to Hermanus. Look forward to a free evening in this charming coastal hamlet.

Included:

- SAEVFT - Visit Stellenbosch
- SAEVFT - Taste local wine in the Cape Winelands
- SAEVFT - Explore Hermanus

Day 4: Hermanus Region - Swellendam - Mossel Bay

 Breakfast, Dinner  Garden Route Hotel

Enjoy a free morning in Hermanus before hitting the Garden Route. To make the most of the coast, join the Marine Eco Big 5 Trip or settle in for a craft beer and seafood pairing on the Spirit of Hermanus. Next stop is Swellendam, a quaint town known for its Cape Dutch church. Finally, arrive in Mossel Bay for an included dinner.

Included:

- SAEVFT - Discover Swellendam

Optionals:

- Marine Eco Big 5 Trip
- Spirit of Hermanus

Day 5: **Garden Route: Game Reserve - Knysna - Tsitsikamma**

 **Breakfast, Dinner**  **Tsitsikamma Village Inn**

Today, a safari adventure awaits! Head to Botlierskop Private Game Reserve to spot incredible wildlife such as rhinos, lions and giraffes. Afterwards, visit the vibrant Knysna waterfront for lunch. The rest of the day is free to join the Monkeyland or Birds of Eden optional excursions to experience even more spectacular local wildlife. Enjoy an included dinner this evening.

Included:

SAEVFT - Go on a Garden Route Game Drive

SAEVFT - Visit Knysna

Optionals:

Monkeyland

Birds of Eden

Day 6: **Tsitsikamma National Park & Storms River - Eastern Cape**

 **Breakfast**  **Tsitsikamma Village Inn**

Experience the expansive beauty of the Tsitsikamma forest. Wander along rivers, gorges, mountains and greenery. Join an optional tree-top canopy tour or embark on the Woodcutters trail drive. Afterwards, discover the Storms River Mouth. Dare to cross the 77-metre long Storms River suspension bridge, and admire picturesque coastal views while enjoying free time for lunch.

Included:

SAEVFT - Explore Storms River Mouth in Tsitsikamma National Park


Optionals:

Tree Canopy Zip-Lining

Woodcutters Trail Drive

Kayak & Lilo Adventure

Day 7: **Route 62 - Oudtshoorn - Cango Caves**

 **Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner**

Admire awe-inspiring views as you travel along Route 62, an area framed by the Kouga and Tsitsikamma Mountains. Arrive Oudtshoorn, the world's ostrich capital. Tour a working ostrich farm and learn more about these fascinating birds before sitting down for a three-course lunch. Later, visit the spellbinding Cango Caves! Enjoy an included buffet dinner at the hotel tonight.

Included:

SAEVFT - Visit a Klein Karoo ostrich farm

SAEVFT - Visit the Cango Caves

Optionals:

Oudtshoorn Stargazing

Day 8: **Oudtshoorn - Route 62 - Cape Winelands - Cape Town**

 **Breakfast, Lunch**  **StayEasy Cape Town City Bowl**

Travelling back to Cape Town, make two stops in the Cape Winelands. First, visit a winery in Robertson for an included lunch. Then, enjoy a cheese and wine tasting in Paarl. Arrive back in Cape Town this evening. Make the most of your final evening in this captivating city and visit one of the city's many buzzing restaurants or bars.

Included:

SAEVFT - Visit a winery in Robertson

SAEVFT - Enjoy a cheese and wine tasting in Paarl

Day 9: **Cape Town - Johannesburg - Kruger National Park Region**

 **Breakfast, Dinner**  **Hazyview Sun**

Early this morning, the tour makes its way to the airport. Hop on an included flight to Johannesburg. Upon arrival, travel to the province of Mpumalanga, home to the Kruger National Park - one of the world's top safari destinations. Tonight's accommodation is located in the southern region of the Kruger National Park. Enjoy dinner with your fellow travellers tonight.

Day 10: **Kruger National Park Region**

 **Breakfast, Dinner**  **Timbavati Safari Lodge**

Enjoy a full-day game drive through the Kruger National Park! Keep an eye out for spectacular wildlife, including cheetahs, wild dogs, leopards, elephants and rhinos in their natural habitat. Later, travel to your safari lodge/hotel in the park's central region. Cool off with a refreshing swim and sip a sundowner before sitting down to tonight's included dinner.

Included:

SAEVFT - Embark on a full-day Kruger National Park game drive

Day 11: **Kruger National Park Region: Free Day**

 **Breakfast, Dinner**  **Timbavati Safari Lodge**

Continue your Kruger Park adventure today! Choose to join a safari in open vehicles, guided by expert local wildlife trackers. A full-day safari offers the chance to explore top game viewing spots, pausing at waterholes and rest camps along the way. This evening, sit down to a delicious included dinner served in true African style.

Optionals:

Half-Day Game Drive

Full-Day Game Drive

Sunset Game Drive

Day 12: **Kruger National Park Region: Free Day**

 **Breakfast, Dinner**  **Timbavati Safari Lodge**

Today, take your pick of a full-day, half-day or sunset safari for more unforgettable wildlife moments. As the sun sets over the savanna, spot animals in the magical golden hour glow. Tonight, savour your final dinner in the African bush. Gather around the campfire to share safari tales and toast with a glass of Amarula, a beloved South African liqueur.

Optionals:

Half-Day Game Drive

Full-Day Game Drive

Sunset Game Drive

Day 13: **Three Rondawels - Blyde River Canyon Viewpoint - Bourke's Luck Potholes -**

 **Breakfast, Dinner**  **Garden Court O.R. Tambo International Airport**

Take a scenic journey along the Panorama Route through Mpumalanga's breathtaking landscapes. Start at the Three Rondawels lookout for jaw-dropping views over the Blyde River Canyon. You may even spot Mozambique in the distance! Then, visit Bourke's Luck Potholes, where swirling waters have carved striking rock formations and plunge pools. Return to Johannesburg and enjoy dinner at the hotel.

Included:

SAEVFT - Visit the Three Rondavels for Blyde River Canyon views

SAEVFT - Explore Bourke's Luck Potholes

Day 14: **Johannesburg - Victoria Falls**

 **Breakfast**  **Waterfalls Lodge**

Get ready for a whole new adventure today as the group makes its way to Zimbabwe. Catch an included flight to Victoria Falls - home to one of the World's 7 Natural Wonders! Settle in for the next three nights and soak up the beauty, adventure and warm hospitality of this UNESCO-protected region. Tonight, experience the tastes, sights and sounds of Africa at the optional Boma Dinner & Drum Show.

Included:

SAEVFT - Spend three nights in the Victoria Falls region

Optionals:

Boma Dinner & Drum Show

Day 15: **Victoria Falls**

 **Breakfast**  **Waterfalls Lodge**

Start the day with a locally-guided morning tour of Victoria Falls! Wander through the dazzling rainforest and marvel at the 'Smoke That Thunders' (Mosi-oa-Tunya), the biggest falls in the world. Later, take the optional 'Flight of the Angels' helicopter ride for unparalleled views! In the afternoon, embark on a sunset Zambezi River cruise. Spot incredible wildlife like crocodiles and hippos.

Included:

SAEVFT - Enjoy a guided tour of Victoria Falls

SAEVFT - Cruise the Zambezi River at sunset

Optionals:

Flight of the Angels Helicopter Ride

Day 16: Victoria Falls: Free Day

 Breakfast  Waterfalls Lodge

Today is free to enjoy as you wish! Relax at the lodge or explore Victoria Falls with handy hourly shuttles. To discover another country, join the optional Chobe Day Trip in Botswana. This full-day adventure includes a game drive, lunch, and a river cruise in the expansive Chobe National Park, home to incredible wildlife and stunning scenery.

Optionals:

Chobe Day Trip

Day 17: Victoria Falls - End of tour in Johannesburg

 Breakfast

Enjoy one last breakfast with the group while taking in Victoria Falls' extraordinary scenery. Later, head to the airport for an included flight back to Johannesburg where the tour will come to an end. Choose to stay on and explore Johannesburg or head onwards to your next destination. Expat Explore hopes to see you on tour again soon!

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