

10 Days Tanzania Photo Safari

📍 Serengeti, Ngorongoro, Tarangire



Experience Tanzania on a 10-day photo safari created for travelers who want to capture Africa's most striking wildlife scenes. This journey covers iconic landscapes, dramatic encounters, and the finest light for photography.

You begin in Arusha, the gateway to northern Tanzania safaris. After a relaxing evening, you head to **Tarangire National Park**. The park is famous for towering baobabs, massive elephant herds, and predators that roam the open plains. It provides excellent opportunities for wide-angle shots and predator portraits.

Next, travel to the **Ngorongoro Crater**, one of the world's greatest natural wonders. Here, black rhinos, lions, and countless herbivores thrive in a compact caldera. Because of the crater's size, you can enjoy close encounters and varied compositions throughout the day.

From there, continue into the **Serengeti National Park**, first exploring the central **Namiri Plains**. This area hosts dense populations of lions, leopards, and cheetahs. The golden evening light creates perfect conditions for predator photography.

Then move north to **Lamai and the Mara River**. Between July and October, this region becomes the stage for the Great Migration. River crossings offer dramatic action with dust, splashing herds, and lurking crocodiles. Meanwhile, granite kopjes provide striking backdrops for lions and leopards.

Finally, round out the journey in the **Western Serengeti's Grumeti region**. This quieter corner offers different perspectives of the migration in June. It also holds the possibility of photographing wild dogs and other elusive species.

Throughout the safari, you stay in handpicked lodges and camps that balance comfort with immersive bush experiences. Game drives are timed for golden light, predator activity, and unique encounters. With elephants in Tarangire, rhinos in Ngorongoro, predators in Seronera, and migration drama in Lamai, this adventure delivers unforgettable images and the essence of wild Tanzania.

Tour Facts

Group Size:

2-6

Duration:

10

Language:

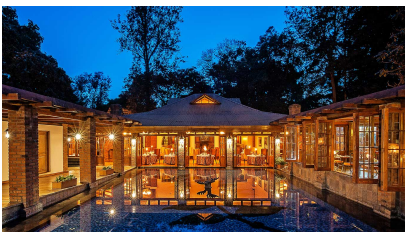
English, France, Germany, Spain

Tour Type:

continuous

Tour Itinerary

Day 1 : Arrival in Arusha – Gateway to Your Tanzanian Safari



Your adventure begins upon arrival at **Kilimanjaro International Airport**, where our friendly team will welcome you and transfer you to Arusha, the heart of northern Tanzania safaris. You will check in at **Arusha Coffee Lodge** or **Rivertrees Country Inn**, both renowned for their comfortable rooms, lush gardens, and relaxing atmosphere—perfect for unwinding after your journey. Depending on your arrival time, you may explore the lodge grounds, photograph the majestic **Mount Meru** in the golden evening light, or visit nearby local markets to experience Tanzanian culture firsthand. In the evening, enjoy a delicious dinner at the lodge while your guide provides an overview of the upcoming safari, including game drive schedules, photography tips, and essential wildlife insights. Day 1 is designed to let you relax, acclimate, and prepare for the thrilling wildlife encounters ahead, giving you both comfort and inspiration before the safari adventure officially begins.

Meals Included
DINNER,

Duration
8 Hours

Day 2 : Tarangire National Park - Giants of the Savannah



After an early breakfast in Arusha, depart for **Tarangire National Park**, a landscape famed for its towering baobabs, sweeping plains, and one of Tanzania's largest elephant populations. Upon arrival, embark on your first full-day game drive, where you can photograph elephants roaming in family herds, lions lounging under acacia trees, and elusive leopards if you're lucky. Tarangire's diverse habitats also host giraffes, zebras, buffalo, and a rich variety of birdlife, offering endless opportunities for wildlife photography. Capture the warm morning or late afternoon light filtering through iconic baobabs, creating dramatic silhouettes and perfect golden-hour shots. In the evening, check into **Nimali Tarangire** or **Tarangire Treetops**, both luxury lodges that blend comfort with close access to wildlife. Enjoy dinner while reflecting on the day's encounters and preparing for the next leg of your photographic safari. Tarangire's combination of elephants, predators, and unique landscapes provides a perfect introduction to Tanzania's incredible wildlife and sets the tone for the days ahead.

Meals Included
LUNCH, DINNER, BREAKFAST,

Duration
8 Hours

Day 3 : Ngorongoro Crater - The Wildlife Wonderland



After breakfast at your Tarangire lodge, drive to the **Ngorongoro Conservation Area**, a UNESCO World Heritage site famed for its breathtaking caldera and dense wildlife population. Descend into the **Ngorongoro Crater**, often called the "Eighth Wonder of the World," where predators and prey coexist in a compact, scenic environment that makes photography both easy and rewarding. Spend the day on game drives, capturing images of black rhinos grazing among zebras and wildebeests, lions stalking in open grasslands, and elephants moving through lush valleys. The crater's varied landscapes—from crater floor wetlands to rolling savannahs—offer endless opportunities for composition, light, and perspective. During midday, enjoy a picnic lunch at a designated scenic spot within the crater, giving you more time to photograph wildlife in natural settings. In the evening, check into **Ngorongoro Serena Lodge** or **Sanctuary Ngorongoro Crater Camp**, both offering stunning views over the rim, ideal for sunset photography. Day 3 immerses you in one of Africa's most iconic wildlife arenas, providing close encounters with rare species and creating unforgettable photographic memories.

Meals Included
LUNCH, DINNER, BREAKFAST,

Duration
8 Hours

Day 4 : Ngorongoro Crater - Predator Encounters and Scenic Photography



Wake up to a spectacular sunrise over the Ngorongoro Crater rim before enjoying breakfast at your lodge. Today, spend a full day exploring the **crater floor**, one of Africa's most concentrated wildlife habitats. With your experienced guide, track and photograph **lions, leopards, and hyenas** as they hunt or rest amidst zebras, wildebeests, and buffalo. The crater's compact terrain allows for intimate wildlife photography, giving you the chance to capture detailed shots of animals in natural behavior without long drives. Birdlife is abundant, including flamingos in the crater's soda lakes and colorful raptors perched on termite mounds. Enjoy a picnic lunch in the crater, surrounded by dramatic landscapes and uninterrupted wildlife views.

In the late afternoon, ascend to the rim and capture the changing light over the vast caldera, perfect for sweeping panoramic shots. Return to **Ngorongoro Serena Lodge** or **Sanctuary Ngorongoro Crater Camp** for dinner and relaxation. Day 4 offers both **action-filled predator sightings** and serene landscape opportunities, making it an unforgettable day for photographers seeking variety and high-quality wildlife imagery.

Meals Included
LUNCH, DINNER, BREAKFAST,

Duration
8 Hours

Day 5 : Serengeti Central – Namiri Plains – Predator Action and Golden Light



After breakfast, leave Ngorongoro and drive to the **central Serengeti**, heading toward the **Namiri Plains**, a prime area for predator photography. Upon arrival, embark on an afternoon game drive where lions, leopards, and cheetahs are frequently spotted in high densities. The vast open plains provide dramatic backdrops, and the golden afternoon light enhances action shots of hunting, chasing, and resting predators. Capture intimate wildlife behavior, from a cheetah

crouching in the grass to lion prides lounging on kopjes. Birdlife and herbivores such as zebras and wildebeests add layers to your photography compositions. Check in to **Namiri Plains Camp (Asilia)** or **Kubu Kubu Tented Lodge**, both offering luxury tented accommodations with easy access to wildlife. Evening photography is perfect here, with silhouettes of predators against glowing sunsets. Day 5 immerses you in the heart of the Serengeti, combining thrilling predator encounters with landscape photography opportunities, making it a highlight for both amateur and professional wildlife photographers alike.

Meals Included
LUNCH, DINNER, BREAKFAST,

Duration
8 Hours

Day 6 : Serengeti Central – Namiri Plains – Predator Tracking and Wildlife Photography



Start your day early with a sunrise game drive across the **Namiri Plains**, where the soft morning light creates ideal conditions for photography. Today, focus on observing and capturing the **predators in action**—lions stretching and playing, leopards stealthily moving through tall grasses, and cheetahs sprinting after prey. The plains are alive with zebras, wildebeests, and other herbivores, offering dynamic foregrounds for your shots. Your guide will help you track animal movements and find the best vantage points for both close-up portraits and sweeping landscape compositions. After a mid-morning break or picnic, continue exploring lesser-traveled areas of Namiri, photographing unique wildlife interactions and dramatic landscape scenes. In the late afternoon, return to **Namiri Plains Camp (Asilia)** or **Kubu Kubu Tented Lodge** to relax, review your photos, and enjoy dinner under the African sky. Day 6 provides an immersive wildlife

experience, allowing photographers to capture intimate predator behavior and unforgettable Serengeti landscapes during both golden-hour light and the vibrant energy of the plains.

Meals Included
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Duration
8 Hours

Day 7 : Serengeti North - Lamai & Mara River - Migration and Dramatic Wildlife



After an early breakfast, depart for the **northern Serengeti**, heading toward the **Lamai region** and the famous **Mara River**. This area is a prime location for witnessing the Great Migration between July and October, with wildebeests, zebras, and other herbivores crossing the river amid crocodiles and swirling waters. Spend the day on game drives along the riverbanks and open plains, capturing dramatic action

shots of crossing herds, lions stalking prey, and leopards resting on granite kopjes. The contrasting landscapes—rocky outcrops, riverine vegetation, and sweeping savannah—offer exceptional photographic opportunities at any time of day. Check in to **Lamai Serengeti (Nomad)** or **Sayari Camp (Asilia)**, both offering luxury accommodations with easy access to wildlife hotspots. Sunset photography on the kopjes provides stunning silhouettes and golden light, perfect for capturing iconic Serengeti images. Day 7 immerses you in the energy of the northern migration, combining action, landscape, and predator encounters for an unforgettable wildlife photography experience.

Meals Included
LUNCH, DINNER, BREAKFAST,

Duration
8 Hours

Day 8 : Serengeti North - Lamai & Mara River - Migration Close-Ups and Predator Action



Begin the day with a pre-dawn game drive along the **Mara River and Lamai Plains**, where early morning light creates dramatic photographic conditions. This region is renowned for the **Great Migration**, and today offers close-up opportunities of wildebeests and zebras crossing the river while crocodiles lurk nearby. Capture predators in action—lions hunting near riverbanks or resting on kopjes, and leopards blending into rocky outcrops. The mix of movement, water, and landscape allows for dynamic compositions,

perfect for both wide-angle and telephoto shots. After a midday break, continue exploring lesser-visited areas of Lamai, photographing unique interactions between animals and the scenic backdrop of the northern Serengeti. In the evening, return to **Lamai Serengeti (Nomad)** or **Sayari Camp (Asilia)** for dinner and relaxation. Day 8 highlights the drama of the migration, offering photographers unforgettable action sequences and the chance to capture iconic predator-prey moments in one of the world's most famous wildlife regions.

Meals Included
LUNCH, DINNER, BREAKFAST,

Duration
8 Hours

Day 9 : Western Serengeti – Grumeti Region – Unique Wildlife Perspectives



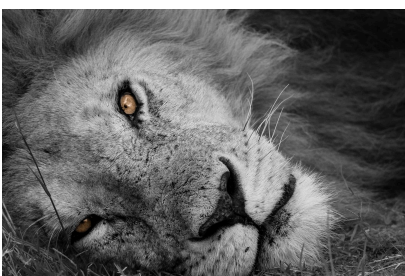
After breakfast, drive to the **Western Serengeti's Grumeti region**, a quieter and less-visited area that offers unique photographic opportunities. Spend the day on game drives through open woodlands, riverine forests, and rolling hills, capturing different angles of wildlife and landscapes. This region is known for its **migration in June** and occasional sightings of **wild dogs**, offering rare moments for photographers seeking distinctive shots. Lions, leopards, elephants,

and a variety of antelope species populate the area, providing a rich diversity of subjects. The changing light across the Grumeti landscape allows for both early morning and late afternoon photography, ideal for capturing textures, shadows, and dramatic wildlife interactions. Check in to **LABALABA GRUMETI Lodge**, both of which offer exceptional comfort and easy access to wildlife hotspots. Day 9 broadens your safari experience, letting you capture the Serengeti from a new perspective while enjoying the peace and exclusivity of this western corridor.

Meals Included
LUNCH, DINNER, BREAKFAST,

Duration
8 Hours

Day 10 : Western Serengeti – Grumeti to Arusha – Farewell to the Wild



Begin your final day with a sunrise game drive in the **Grumeti region**, capturing wildlife in the soft morning light and adding last-minute shots to your safari portfolio. Observe elephants, predators, and other animals in their natural habitats, taking advantage of the peaceful early-morning atmosphere. After the drive, enjoy breakfast at your lodge before checking out. Depending on your travel arrangements, transfer by road or take a light aircraft flight back to **Arusha** or

Kilimanjaro International Airport for your onward journey. Day 10 offers a final chance to photograph

the Serengeti's landscapes and wildlife while reflecting on the unforgettable experiences of your 10-day adventure.

Meals Included

LUNCH, BREAKFAST,

Duration

8 Hours