

9-Day Luxury Kenya Family Safari

📍 Masai Mara National Reserve, Narok, Kenya



Experience the magic of Kenya on this **9-day luxury family safari**, a journey that blends adventure, culture, and relaxation. Created with families in mind, the itinerary ensures both adults and children enjoy meaningful activities, from thrilling game drives to hands-on learning experiences.

Your journey starts with two nights in Nairobi at **Hemingways Nairobi**, a boutique hotel known for comfort and personalized service. Spend your days exploring the city's conservation landmarks. At the **David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust**, your family meets orphaned elephants and learns about their rescue stories. At the **Giraffe Centre**, children feed Rothschild giraffes while guides explain ongoing efforts to protect these gentle giants. These first encounters create a powerful introduction to Kenya's wildlife and conservation efforts.

Next, fly to the **Mara Triangle** and stay three nights at **&Beyond Kichwa Tembo Tented Camp**. Perched on the Olololo Escarpment, the camp offers sweeping views of the savannah. Morning and afternoon game drives reveal lions, elephants, cheetahs, and more. Families can also join guided walks or visit a nearby Maasai village for cultural immersion. The camp's family-friendly atmosphere makes it easy for children to learn and explore.

The safari ends with three nights at **Ilkeliani Camp** in the Greater Mara. Nestled by the Talek River, the camp combines eco-friendly living with modern comfort. Enjoy **full-day game drives**, spotting herds of wildebeest, graceful giraffes, and elusive leopards. Families can add a **hot-air balloon safari** or join junior ranger programs, where children learn wildlife tracking and bush skills. Evenings bring everyone together around the campfire for storytelling and stargazing.

This 9-day safari balances luxury with adventure, offering close wildlife encounters, cultural learning, and family bonding. By the end, you will carry home not just memories but a deeper connection with Kenya's landscapes, people, and wildlife.

Tour Facts

Group Size:
2-7

Duration:
9

Language:
English, France, Germany, Spain

Tour Type:
continuous

Tour Itinerary

Day 1 : Arrival in Nairobi – Welcome to Kenya



Your Kenyan adventure begins upon arrival at **Jomo Kenyatta International Airport, Nairobi**, where a private transfer will take your family to the luxurious **Hemingways Nairobi**. Nestled in a serene neighborhood, the hotel offers spacious rooms, personalized service, and a calm environment to unwind after your flight. After settling in, visit the **David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust**, where children and adults can witness the feeding and playful antics of orphaned baby elephants,

learning firsthand about vital conservation efforts. Continue to the **Giraffe Centre**, where your family can feed endangered Rothschild giraffes while guides share insights into their protection and behavior. Return to Hemingways Nairobi for a relaxing dinner, reflecting on the day's wildlife encounters and cultural experiences. Day 1 offers a gentle introduction to Kenya, combining comfort, education, and memorable first connections with the country's iconic animals.

Meals Included
DINNER,

Duration
7 Hours

Day 2 : Nairobi to Mara Triangle – First Safari Adventure



After an early breakfast at **Hemingways Nairobi**, take a scenic **domestic flight to the Mara Triangle**, a world-renowned wildlife haven. Upon arrival, your family will be transferred to the luxurious **&Beyond Kichwa Tembo Tented Camp**, perched on the Oloololo Escarpment with breathtaking views over the savannah. After settling into your spacious tents, enjoy your first **afternoon game drive**, where expert

guides will help spot elephants, zebras, giraffes, and perhaps lions or cheetahs. Children will delight in learning about the animals' behavior and the ecosystem in an interactive way. Return to camp for **sundowners on the deck**, followed by a family dinner under the African sky. Day 2 combines excitement, education, and luxury, offering your first real immersion into Kenya's iconic wildlife landscapes.

Meals Included
LUNCH, DINNER, BREAKFAST,

Duration
7 Hours

Day 3 : Full-Day Game Drives in Mara Triangle



Wake up early for a **sunrise game drive** from **&Beyond Kichwa Tembo Tented Camp**, when wildlife is most active. Explore the Mara Triangle with your professional guide, spotting the **Big Five**—lions, leopards, elephants, buffalo, and rhinos—alongside cheetahs, giraffes, and zebras. Your guide will share engaging stories about animal behavior, migration patterns, and conservation, making the experience educational for children and adults alike. Return to the camp for a relaxing **lunch and downtime**, enjoying your private deck overlooking the savannah. In the afternoon, head out on another **game drive**, exploring different parts of the Triangle to maximize wildlife sightings. End the day with **sundowners and a family dinner** at camp, reflecting on your adventures and sharing stories under the starlit African sky. Day 3 immerses your family fully in the wonders of the Mara, blending thrilling wildlife encounters with learning and luxury.

Meals Included
LUNCH, DINNER, BREAKFAST,

Duration
7 Hours

Day 4 : Cultural Encounters and Safari in Mara Triangle



Start the day with an early **morning game drive** from **&Beyond Kichwa Tembo Tented Camp**, spotting lions, elephants, giraffes, and other wildlife across the savannah. Afterward, visit a nearby **Maasai village**, where your family will engage in hands-on cultural experiences.

Children and adults can learn traditional beadwork, watch Maasai dances, and hear stories about daily life and customs. Return to camp for a **leisurely lunch** and some relaxation on your private deck or by the pool. In the afternoon, enjoy another **game drive**, discovering new areas of the Mara Triangle and spotting cheetahs, hippos, and large herds of zebras and wildebeest. End the day with **sundowners** while watching the African sunset, followed by a **family dinner under the stars** at the camp. Day 4 blends wildlife adventure with cultural immersion, creating memorable experiences that are both educational and fun for the whole family.

Meals Included
LUNCH, DINNER, BREAKFAST,

Duration
7 Hours

Day 5 : Full-Day Safari in Mara Triangle



Begin your day early with a **sunrise game drive**, when the Mara comes alive with predators and grazing wildlife. Accompanied by your professional guide, your family will explore diverse habitats in search of the **Big Five**—lions, leopards, elephants, buffalo, and rhinos—as well as cheetahs, giraffes, zebras, and hippos. Enjoy a **bush breakfast** amidst the savannah, giving children a chance to experience wildlife up close in a safe and memorable setting. After returning to camp for some **midday rest**, embark on an afternoon **game drive**, visiting different areas to maximize sightings and wildlife encounters. Children can participate in **junior ranger activities**, learning about tracking, conservation, and the ecosystem in a hands-on way. Conclude the day with **sundowners on the deck**, followed by a sumptuous **family dinner under the African sky**. Day 5 immerses your family fully in the

Mara's wildlife, offering both adventure and educational experiences in a luxurious, safe setting.

Meals Included
LUNCH, DINNER, BREAKFAST,

Duration
7 Hours

Day 6 : Mara Triangle to Greater Mara – Ilkeliani Camp



After breakfast at **&Beyond Kichwa Tembo**, enjoy a final **morning game drive** in the Mara Triangle, capturing last glimpses of elephants, lions, and other wildlife roaming the plains. Later, transfer to **Ilkeliani Camp** in the Greater Mara, a beautifully situated eco-friendly camp along the Talek River. After settling into your luxurious tents, embark on an **afternoon game drive** to explore new areas of the Mara, guided

by experts who provide insights into animal behavior and conservation efforts. Return to camp for **sundowners and a family dinner** under the stars, sharing stories about the day's wildlife encounters. Day 6 blends adventure with comfort, giving families a fresh perspective on Kenya's iconic landscapes as they settle into a new camp for the next stage of their safari.

Meals Included
LUNCH, DINNER, BREAKFAST,

Duration
7 Hours

Day 7 : Full-Day Safari in Greater Mara



Wake up early for a **sunrise game drive** across the Greater Mara, where wildlife thrives in its natural habitat. Accompanied by your expert guide, your family will have the chance to spot **lions, leopards, elephants, giraffes, zebras, and wildebeest**, as well as other fascinating species. Enjoy a **bush breakfast** amidst the savannah, providing a unique opportunity for children to connect with nature in a safe environment. After returning to camp for a short rest and lunch,

head out for an **afternoon game drive**, exploring new areas to maximize wildlife sightings. Families can also take part in **junior ranger activities** or wildlife tracking workshops, offering hands-on educational experiences. Conclude the day with **sundowners overlooking the Talek River** and a delicious **family dinner under the African sky**. Day 7 immerses your family fully in the wonders of the Greater Mara, blending thrilling wildlife encounters with interactive learning and luxurious comfort.

Meals Included
LUNCH, DINNER, BREAKFAST,

Duration
8 Hours

Day 8 : Adventure and Leisure in Greater Mara



Start the day with an early **morning game drive**, exploring the Greater Mara's diverse landscapes and spotting wildlife that may have eluded you on previous drives. After returning to **Ilkeliani Camp** for a hearty **breakfast**, spend the late morning enjoying **family-friendly leisure activities** at the camp. Children can participate in **junior ranger programs**, learning about wildlife tracking, bushcraft, and conservation, while adults relax on their private decks or take in the scenic surroundings. In the afternoon, venture out for another **game drive** or opt for a **hot-air balloon safari** over the Mara (additional cost), followed by a celebratory **bush breakfast** for a once-in-a-lifetime experience. Return to camp in the evening for **sundowners** and a

farewell family dinner under the stars. Day 8 balances adventure, education, and relaxation, giving families one last opportunity to connect with Kenya's extraordinary wildlife and landscapes.

Meals Included
LUNCH, DINNER, BREAKFAST,

Duration
8 Hours

Day 9 : Farewell to Kenya - Departure



After breakfast at **Ilkeliani Camp**, enjoy a final **morning game drive** in the Greater Mara, capturing last glimpses of elephants, lions, and other wildlife against the stunning African backdrop. Return to camp to pack and check out, then take a **scenic flight back to Nairobi**.

Depending on your flight schedule, you may have time for a brief visit to local markets or a final souvenir shopping trip. A private transfer will then take your family to **Jomo Kenyatta International Airport** for your departure flight. Day 9 concludes your unforgettable safari

adventure, leaving your family with **cherished memories of wildlife encounters, cultural experiences, and luxury accommodations**.

Duration
6 Hours