

GROUP ADVENTURES

Garden Route & Addo Adventure 5D/4N

Nature & Adventure 5 Days / 1 Country South Africa

Departure city: Cape Town, South Africa End city: Cape Town, South Africa



HIGHLIGHTS

- Soak up stunning sights driving down the Garden Route
- Try to spot wildlife at Addo Elephant National Park
- Enjoy a wine tasting along Route 62

Venture through some of the most picturesque areas of South Africa on this five-day tour. Go on a wildlife game drive, hike, and relax in the region's towns and coastal communities.

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What is included

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Group Adventures

Group Adventures are designed to forget about all the travel logistics and let our guides take you to the best places with a group of like minded travelers

Accommodation: 4

• 4 nights in hostels or 3-star guesthouses

Transport: 2

- Cape Town accommodation pick-up/dropoff (+/-10km radius from Cape Town CBD)
- Transfers to tour highlights (as per itinerary=
- - Van Cape town Sedgefield
- Van Sedgefield Jeffreys Bay
- Van Jeffreys bay Oudtshoorn
- Van Oudtshoorn Cape Town

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Meals: 4

• 4 Breakfast(s),



Guides:

• Local English-speaking guides

What is not included

- *Airport pick-up/drop-off
- *Lunch and dinner/other meals/drinks
- *Personal expenses
- *Visa fees
- *Tips

*Travel insurance

*Optional activities (and all fees associated with them), such as Bungee jumping, zip lining, and elephant bush walk

 * Prices for optional activities are subject to change at any time without prior notice. Please confirm these prices before departing on your trip.

Itinerary

Day 1: Cape Town - Sedgefield, South Africa

Cape Town - Sedgefield

Day 1 begins with an early morning pick-up from your accommodation in Cape Town Central Business District. Then you will begin your journey out toward the Southern Cape along mountain roads possibly lined with baboons and farmlands dotted with rows of grapevines. You'll make your first stop of the day in Riviersonderend, where you can indulge in delicious homemade pastries such as the milk tart, a remnant of the area's Dutch history. Your journey continues through Albertinia, where enormous succulents line the road and provide the perfect photo opportunity, and winds down with a leisurely canoe paddling trip before arriving in Sedgefield, "Africa's slowest town." Overnight in Sedgefield.

Day 2: Sedgefield - Jefferys Bay, South Africa

Sedgefield - Jeffreys Bay (B)

Thrills and gorgeous scenery will make up Day 2 of the trip, when you venture along the Garden Route from Sedgefield to Jeffreys Bay. Along the way, stop to marvel at the views from the Knysna Heads that jut into the ocean and from the Bloukrans Bridge, the world's highest commercial bridge famous for its bungee jump. You might try your hand at the bungee jump, dropping from 216 meters toward the Bloukrans River, or zip line over another river in the nearby Tsisikamma Forest. Those looking for a more relaxed experience can instead walk through the Tsisikamma Forest or journey to visit the famous Yellowwood tree in Knysna that is nine metres in circumference and nearly 1,000 years old. Your final destination will be Jeffreys Bay, the "surf city" of South Africa. Once there, you'll get settled in and have time to experience the town however you choose. Overnight in Jeffreys Bay.

Note: Bungee jumping and zip lining today are at your own expense.

Day 3: Jeffreys Bay, South Africa

Addo Elephant National Park Game Drive (B)

On Day 3, you will wake up before dawn and head to Addo Elephant National Park for a game drive. While spotting the most popular wild animals such as lions, rhinos, zebras, and more is not guaranteed, entering the park in the early morning hours will enrich your experience as you watch the bush awaken with activity. After your game drive, you will drive to Jeffreys Bay, where you'll have the afternoon free to explore South Africa's "surf city." Overnight in Jeffreys Bay.

Note: Today you will have the option to go on a 4x4 Game Drive, at your own expense.

Day 4: Jeffreys Bay - Oudtshoorn, South Africa

Jeffreys Bay - Oudtshoorn (B)

Today, travel through the Langkloof Mountains into the semidesert Karoo region, known as ostrich country. Soon you'll arrive in Oudtshoorn, the ostrich capital of the world, where you'll learn about the ostrich farming industry at The Cango Ostrich Show Farm and feast on ostrich steaks or kebabs, if you wish. Later, you will make your way to the Cango Caves, limestone caves known for their stunning drip formation stalactites and stalagmites, and Khoikhoi paintings. Experience the magic of the caves by choosing one of two tours for the day: the Heritage Tour, which provides insight on the cave formation and dripstone evolution, and the Adventure Tour, which allows you to explore the pathways by squeezing and wiggling your way through. After the caves, head back to Oudtshoorn. Overnight in Oudtshoorn.

Day 5: Oudtshoorn - Cape Town, South Africa

Oudtshoorn - Cape Town Accommodation Drop-Off (B)

Your South African tour will conclude with a scenic drive along the famous Route 62, the longest wine route in the world. Think: vineyards, orchards, sprawling plains, tall mountains, and winding roads. Enjoy a pit stop to taste some local wine at De Krans Winery before arriving in the late evening in Cape Town, where your trip ends. You can get dropped off at your accommodation there - if you've made arrangements - or continue travelling. Happy trails!

Note: This morning you will have the option to take a bush walk with elephants, at your own expense.