





# FAMILIARIZATION TRIP MAASAI MARA – Midrange

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#### MAASAI MARA

One of Kenya's undisputed natural highlights is the Masai Mara National Reserve, which sprawls across more than 1500 square kilometres of the country's southwest. The park protects a phenomenal array of game, including elephant, lion, leopard and buffalo, as well as crocodile and hippopotamus in the Mara River. The birdlife is no less impressive, with over 450 resident bird species. However, the true highlight here is the Great Migration, recognised as one of the Seven New Wonders of the World. To survive the dry months of July to September, some 1.7 million wildebeest, migrate from the parched plains of the Serengeti National Park in Tanzania. Along with much smaller numbers of antelope, buffalo and zebra, they move to the more forgiving grasslands of the Masai Mara. In their wake come predators such as lion, hyena and cheetah, for whom these giant herds are an easy source of prey.

## FAM TRIP ITINERARY

#### Day 1, Thursday, 16<sup>th</sup> November 2023

#### Welcome to MagicalKenya!

Upon arrival in Nairobi, you will be met and transferred to your respective hotels where you will spend the night.

Depending on the arrival time, the host may choose to add an optional excursion for this day. Overnight Hotel (TBC)

#### Day 2, Friday, 17 November 2023

- Depart from Nairobi on a domestic flight to the Maasai Mara, one of Africa's most renowned wildlife reserves.
- Upon arrival at the Mara Airstrip, you will be transferred to your chosen accommodation in Maasai Mara.
- Check-in and enjoy some leisure time to relax and immerse yourself in the wilderness.
- In the afternoon, embark on game drive combined with site inspection to explore several lodges or camps in Maasai Mara
- Visit different properties, taking note of their amenities, services, and suitability for your preferences.
- Return to your lodge for dinner and overnight.

#### Day 3, Saturday, 18 November 2023

- Early wake-up call for your morning game drive ending with a bush breakfast.
- After breakfast, visit a Maasai village to learn about the rich culture and traditions of the Maasai people. Interact with the locals, witness traditional dances, and explore their way of life.
- Return to your lodge for lunch or have lunch at one of the properties as you undertake site inspection of the property.
- Evening game drive and sundowner
- Return to your lodge for dinner and overnight

#### Day 4, Sunday, 19<sup>th</sup> November 2023

- Early breakfast and check out of the camp
- Bid farewell to the Maasai Mara as you head back to the Mara Airstrip for your return flight to Nairobi.
- Arrival at Wilson airport, pick up and transfer to hotel for check-in
- Overnight at Nairobi hotel and ready for the Expo the following day.



#### Package Inclusions

- ✓ Accommodation and Meals as indicated in the itinerary
- Transport in a 4 x 4 Chauffeur driven Safari Land cruisers
  Services of an English-speaking driver guide
  Game Drives

- ✓ Park Entrance Fees
- ✓ Local Internal Flights

#### Package Exclusions

- ✓ Visa Fees
- ✓ Travel Insurance
- ✓ All items of personal nature e.g. telephone call bills, fax/email bills etc.
- Tips and gratuities to hotel, lodges, camp staff and driver- guide(s).
  Laundry services.
- ✓ Any other item(s) not included in our itinerary.