Whole Of South Africa Senior Citizens



Destination Introduction

The Whole Of South Africa Air & Visa Inclusive Group Tour With Sunrays Holiday!

Here is your package for the Whole of South Africa – Group Tour, Encounter exotic wildlife up close and experience nature in all its untamed glory! Africa is an experience of life and nature in all their glory. It is a land that takes a human to its roots, holding the remains of human evolution and their ancestors. In every sense, Africa is an outdoor art gallery where you can see some of nature's greatest and biggest things. This 'Rainbow nation' known for its unity of multiple cultures never fails to deliver glimpses of its vibrant and rhythmic lifestyle. Africa is like a huge celebration of life.

11 Nights 12 Days Ex Mumbai

21st April – 2nd May 2025

Main Places:

– Sun City

– Johannesburg

– Mpumalanga

– Kruger National Park

– George

– Cape Town

Tour Highlights:

– Sun City

– Valley of Waves Pool

Johannesburg

– Up-Close Interaction With The Lions

– Cheetah & Wild Dog Viewing

– Giraffe Feeding

Kruger National Park

– Full Day Game Drive (Safari)

Mpumalanga

– Blyde River Canyon Three Rondavels

– Bourke’s Luck Potholes

– God’s Window

George

– Cango Caves Entrance

– Ostrich Farm Tour

– Cango Wild Life Ranch

– Tsitsikamma National Park with Suspension Bridge Walk

– Bloukran Bridge Visit

Cape Town

– Table Mountain Aerial Cableway

– Boulders Beach

– Seal Island Cruise

– Cape of Good Hope

– Flying Dutchman Funicular

– Helicopter Ride in Cape Town!

Detailed Itinerary

Day 01 - Arrival & Sun City -Valley of Waves

Upon your arrival at Or Tambo International Airport, be met by your guide and proceed to lunch before heading to Sun City, Arrive in Sun city, check in and , Explore The Resort With masses of Sun City sports on offer, there are such a lot of activities in Sun City. From own circle of relatives a laugh to adrenaline-fueled adventures; Sun City has something for absolutely each person to enjoy. (All sports are at very own expense). Wonderful choice of stores and boutiques stocking souvenirs and mementoes of your live at one of the best inns of them all! Enjoy the stability of the day at leisure, overnight in Sun City.

Meals: Lunch & Dinner

Day 02 - Sun city To Johannesburg En-route Lion & Safari Park

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel, meet your guide in the foyer and proceed to Johannesburg via Lion and Safari Park, Only With Sunrays Holiday you will get, once in a lifetime experience to view the lions from up-close, while all clients stay in the cage of the vehicle, which will give you an adrenaline rush. Also enjoy unique awe inspiring attractions: Cheetah & Wild-Dog Viewing & Feeding the Giraffes! After that enjoy lunch at your local Indian restaurant before checking in at your hotel in Johannesburg.

Meals: Breakfast Lunch and Dinner

Day 03 - Johannesburg To Hazy View

Collect your breakfast packs at reception, Proceed to Hazyview arrive at Hazyview leave bags at concierge and proceed for your afternoon Game drive.

Meals : Breakfast Lunch & Dinner

Day 04 - Full Day Game Drive with Packed breakfast, lunch enroute and dinner at your hotel.

Early morning depart for full day game drive in the National park to explore the Big Five. Kruger Park is the king of South Africa game parks and one of the best game viewing areas in all of Africa. It certainly fulfills most visitors' fantasies of seeing magnificent herds of game roaming across acacia studded stretched of savannah, and is the home to Big Five. Overnight at Kruger National Park.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Day 05 - Hazyview To Johannesburg

Early morning depart for one of the most memorable visit of the world's third largest canyon in the

world. The Blyde River Canyon is a site of Natural Phenomena. It is the largest Green Canyon in the world and it stretches over 26 Kilometres and is over 800 meters deep. The Blyde River Canyon is located in Mpumalanga on the northern parts of the Drakensberg Escarpment. Stop at the best viewing points: The Three Rondavels, Bourke's Luck Potholes& God's Window. Proceed toward Johannesburg that is typically referred to as Jo'burg or Jozi, is a unexpectedly converting metropolis and the colourful coronary heart of South Africa. Arrive at hotel and Overnight at Johannesburg.

Meals : Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Day 06- Johannesburg To George (By Flight – 2hrs Approx.) Flight Tickets Included

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel, check out and proceed to Or Tambo international Airport for your flight to George, arrive at George Airport proceed to lunch before checking in at your hotel, The Garden Route is a long stretch of the southeastern coast of South Africa which extends from Mossel Bay in the Western Cape to the Storms River in the Eastern Cape. The call comes from the verdant and ecologically various plants encountered right here and the severa lagoons and lakes dotted alongside the coast. It consists of cities including George, Knysna, Plettenberg Bay, and Mossel Bay. Overnight at George.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Day 07 - George Oudtshoorn Tour

Morning depart for a day trip to Oudtshoorn, visit the Ostrich Farm. Come face to face with the biggest bird in the world. Later visit the Cango Caves one of the world's great natural wonders, sculptured by nature through the ages fascinating limestone formations in a wide variety of colors, and at last visit the Cango wildlife ranch. Evening arrive George and overnight at George.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Day 08- Tsitsikamma National park Via Knysna

Proceed to Tsitsikamma National park, where you can enjoy a walk to the Suspension bridge (optional activities, Bungy Jumping, Ziplining, Skywalk for clients own account)

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Day 09- George to Cape Town Via Hermanus

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel, check out and proceed to Cape Town via Hermanus for an afternoon slot of Shark Cage diving(cost of Shark cage diving not included) Also a weather/ Sea permitting activity, after exploring Hermanus proceed to Cape Town and check in, lunch and dinner included.

Meals : Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Day 10- Cape Town Tour – Seal Island Tour

Private transfers for Full Day Cape Peninsula Tour including Seal island, Cape of Good Hope,

Funicular Ride, Boulders beach. After that, return to the hotel for an overnight stay.

Meals : Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Day 11 - Table Mount & V & A Helicopter Ride

After Breakfast, Private transfers for a Full day City Orientation tour included with Table Mountain, then proceed to the V&A waterfront for lunch and you 12 min hopper, helicopter flight then rest of the evening will be at leisure to explore V&A Waterfront before heading to dinner, Overnight stay at hotel.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Day 12 – Cape Town To Mumbai

After Breakfast, check out and proceed to Cape Town International Airport for your flight back homebound**.**

Meals: Breakfast

Package Inclusions

Please Check Package Inclusions Carefully,

- International Flights Mumbai To Johannesburg & Cape Town To Mumbai
- Internal airfare Included (Johannesburg to George)
- South Africa visa cost
- Helicopter Ride In Cape Town
- 1 Half Day Game Drive, & 1 Full Day Game Drive
- Meals as per the itinerary 11 Breakfast 11 Lunches And 11 Dinners
- Panorama tour including, Blydes River Canyon, Three Rondavels, God's W indow,Bourke's Luck Potholes
- Oudtshoorn Tour including – Cango Caves, Cango Wildlife Ranch and Safari Ostrich Farm - Tractor Tour
- Tsitsikamma National Park + Storms River Mouth
- Full Day City Orientation tour + Table Mountain & 12 min hopper flight
- Full Day Cape Peninsula Tour – Hout Bay, Chapman's peak, Seal island, Boulders beach, Funicular ride, Cape of good hope
- 2 X 500ml water x 12 Days
- Sunrays Holiday`s Indian Caring Tour Manager From Mumbai Airport
- English speaking guide wherever mentioned
- All Entry Tickets As Detailed Itinerary
- All Transfer & Sightseeing As Per Day To Day Itinerary

Package Exclusions

Please Read Package Exclusions List Carefully.

Govt. Tax of 5% over and above the Tour Cost mentioned4 USD Tip To Guide Tax collected at source (TCS) applicable at 5% on tour price if PAN & Aadhaar is provided else it will be 10% of tour priceAny increase in Airfare, Visa fees, Airport taxes, Govt. Taxes, Fuel Surcharges and any applicability of new taxes from Govt.Any up gradation in Airline class or hotel room categoryAny extra expense such as route change, Airline change, Date change, Accommodation facilities, etc. incurred due to the unforeseen, unavoidable forced majeure circumstances during the tourPorterage, laundry, telephone charges, shopping, wines & alcoholic beverages, items of personal nature and food or drink which is not part of a set group menuAny extra cost incurred on behalf of an individual due to illness, accident, hospitalization, or any personal emergencyCost of insuranceAny services or activity charges other than those included in the group tour itineraryCost of Air ticket deviation chargesAny Increase in the rate of exchange leading to an increase in all land arrangements which may come in to effect prior to departureAny services or activity charges other than those included in the group tour itinerary.

Additional Information / Notes

Mandatory Documents

- Original passport with minimum 6 months validity from the date of tour arrival along with sufficient blank pages for the stamping of visa
- A valid Tourist Visa for the duration of the tour
- For all Schengen countries passport validity should not exceed more than 10 years
- Handwritten passport is not acceptable

South Africa Visa Checklist

What is visa procedure?

General overview of the visa procedure for South Africa. Please note that visa regulations and requirements can change, so it's crucial to check with the South African Department of Home Affairs or the nearest South African embassy or consulate for the most up-to-date information before planning your trip. Visa requirements can vary depending on your nationality, the purpose of your visit, and the type of visa you need. Here are the basic steps for obtaining a South African visa:

Please note that visa requirements and procedures can change, so it's essential to check with the South African Embassy or Consulate in India or visit the official South African Department of Home Affairs website for the most up-to-date information.

Collect all the necessary documents to support your visa application. These documents typically include:

- Passport, (valid for at least 6 months after the intended stay/departure date From South Africa; at least Two unused/blank visa pages) (Along with Old Passport)
- PAN Card copy of each pax
- 3 recent photographs – fresh photographs3
- Photo size 35mm by 45mm without border, without spectacles, without showing teeth, fully visible ears. 70% (3 CM) Full-face image from chin to crown and 20% Body Coverage
- (Shoulders Should be visible) taken against white background and with colorful clothes. The photo finishing should be matt or semi matt
- 2 Business letterhead (for explaining purpose of travel)- to be signed as per passport and stamp with Designation
- 2 Business Cards
- Proof of funds (Last 06 month's bank statement signed and stamped by the bank With a balance of INR 1,50,000 per person (Required original Indian bank statement on bank letterhead with Stamp and signature and No passbook, No e-statements, No Net banking copies Will be accepted.)
- Bank Balance Certificate (Must)
- O.C. from the employer (if Govt. employee)
- If a married couple does not have each other's name in the passport under 'SPOUSE'

column, a TRUE COPY (notary) of their marriage certificate is required (English only)
- Student's ID card copy (TRUE COPY) or bonafide certificate (ORIGINAL) with Principal's Name
- Birth Certificate copy in English, True copy done by Gazetted Officer (For child below 18 years)
- Visa Form with sign – Same as per passport (Need both the Parents sign beside child's sign below 18 years)
- Vaccination certificate, (yellow fever) if applicant will travel through or stay in yellow fever belt.
- There is no Refund if visa will reject.
- Please note: it takes minimum 15-25 working days for South Africa Visa

Frequently Asked Questions

What is the best time to travel to South Africa?

The best time to visit South Africa depends on what you're looking for in your travel experience, as the country offers a range of climates and attractions. South Africa's climate varies from region to region, so it's important to consider your interests and preferences when planning your trip.

Autumn (March to May): This is considered one of the best times to visit. The weather is still pleasant, the crowds have decreased, and it's a good time for wildlife viewing, particularly in game reserves. The landscapes are often lush after the summer rains.

Winter (June to August): Winter is a good time for wildlife viewing, especially in Kruger National Park and other game reserves, as the drier vegetation makes animals easier to spot. It's also the low tourist season, which means fewer crowds and potentially better rates for accommodations. The weather can be cool, especially in the evenings, so pack accordingly.

Spring (September to November): Spring is a lovely time to visit, as the weather starts warming up, flowers bloom, and the landscapes become vibrant. It's a good time for whale watching in the coastal areas. However, keep in mind that September can still be chilly in some regions.

Wildflowers: One of the most iconic aspects of spring in Cape Town is the wildflower bloom.

Jacaranda Trees: Cape Town has many Jacaranda trees, and these trees burst into bloom during spring. The lavender-blue flowers add a touch of magic to the cityscape.

Cape Floral Kingdom: one of the world's six floral kingdoms and known for its incredible biodiversity.

Gardens and Parks: Cape Town is home to beautiful gardens and parks, such as Kirstenbosch National Botanical Garden and the Company's Garden.

Spring Bulbs: Various spring bulbs, including daffodils and tulips, can be found in gardens and flowerbeds throughout the city.

Beach Blooms: Cape Town's coastal areas also have their share of spring blooms, including beach vegetation and flowering succulents.

South Africa's diverse geography means that different regions have different climates. For example, Cape Town has a Mediterranean climate with its rainy season in the winter months, while the Kruger

National Park area has a subtropical climate with a dry winter.

When planning your trip, consider your interests, the activities you want to engage in, and the specific regions you want to visit. Keep in mind that popular attractions, accommodations, and flights might be more readily available and less expensive during the shoulder seasons or winter months.

Will South Africa Be Liked (Enjoyed) By Senior Citizen?

Yes, South Africa can be a wonderful destination for senior citizens who are looking for a diverse and enriching travel experience. The country offers a wide range of attractions and activities that can cater to the interests and comfort of senior travelers. Here are some reasons why South Africa can be an enjoyable destination for senior citizens:

- **Natural Beauty:** South Africa is known for its stunning natural landscapes, including national parks, wildlife reserves, and scenic coastlines. Seniors can enjoy leisurely drives through parks like Kruger National Park or take in the breathtaking views of Table Mountain in Cape Town.
- **Cultural Experiences:** South Africa's rich and diverse culture offers opportunities to learn about its history, traditions, and local communities. Visiting museums, historical sites, and attending cultural events can be both educational and enjoyable.
- **Wildlife Safaris:** Many game reserves in South Africa offer guided safaris that can be done from the comfort of a vehicle, making it accessible for seniors to observe wildlife in their natural habitats.
- **Culinary Delights:** South Africa is known for its diverse and flavorful cuisine. Seniors can savor traditional South African dishes or explore international flavors at various restaurants and cafes.
- **Wine Tours:** South Africa is a renowned wine-producing country, and wine tours in regions like Stellenbosch and Franschhoek offer a relaxed and enjoyable way to appreciate the local vineyards and sample wines.
- **Scenic Drives:** The country offers numerous scenic drives, such as the Garden Route and the Panorama Route, where seniors can take in beautiful vistas and stop at charming towns along the way.
- **Relaxing Beaches:** South Africa has a coastline that spans thousands of kilometers, offering numerous pristine beaches where seniors can relax, take leisurely walks, or swim in the ocean.
  Comfortable Accommodation: South Africa has a wide range of accommodation options, including comfortable lodges, boutique hotels, and serviced apartments, ensuring that seniors can find suitable places to stay.
- **Healthcare:** South Africa has a well-developed healthcare system, including private medical facilities that meet international standards. This can provide peace of mind to seniors in case of any medical needs.
- **Friendly Locals:** South Africans are known for their warm and friendly hospitality, which can make senior travelers feel welcome and comfortable.
  However, it's essential to consider some factors when planning a trip to South Africa as a senior citizen:
- **Health and mobility:** Ensure that you are in good health and can comfortably engage in the activities you plan to undertake. Consider your mobility and any special needs you may have.
- **Travel insurance**: It's advisable to have comprehensive travel insurance, including coverage for medical emergencies.
- **Consult your healthcare provider:** Before traveling, consult your doctor to ensure you are

physically fit for the journey and discuss any necessary vaccinations or medications.

Safety: South Africa, like any destination, has safety considerations. Research and follow local advice regarding safety and take precautions to protect yourself and your belongings.
With proper planning and consideration of individual needs and preferences, South Africa can be a memorable and enjoyable destination for senior citizens looking to explore its natural beauty, culture, and history

What is big 5?

The “Big Five” in South Africa refer to five iconic and highly sought-after species of large African mammals that are known for their impressive size, strength, and, historically, their difficulty to hunt on foot. These animals have become synonymous with wildlife safaris and are a major draw for tourists visiting South Africa and other African countries. The Big Five animals in South Africa are:

- **African Elephant (Loxodontaafricana):**
  The African elephant is the largest land mammal on Earth. It is known for its massive size, distinctive trunk, and large, flapping ears. African elephants are found in various national parks and reserves in South Africa, including Kruger National Park.
- **African Lion (Pantheraleo):**
  The African lion is often referred to as the “King of the Jungle.” Lions are known for their social behavior, with prides consisting of multiple individuals led by a dominant male. They are found in various game reserves and parks, such as Kruger National Park and Addo Elephant National Park.
- **African Leopard (Pantherapardus):**
  The African leopard is a highly elusive and solitary big cat known for its beautiful spotted coat. Leopards are known for their ability to adapt to a wide range of habitats and are often spotted in South African game reserves.
- **African Buffalo (Synceruscaffer):**
  African buffaloes are robust and powerful herbivores known for their massive horns and formidable reputation. They can be found in various wildlife areas, including Kruger National Park and Hluhluwe-Imfolozi Park.
- **Rhinoceros (Black Rhinoceros – Dicerosbicornis and White Rhinoceros – Ceratotheriumsimum):**
  South Africa is home to both black and white rhinoceros species. Rhinos are critically endangered due to poaching for their horns, which are highly valued in some traditional Asian medicines. Conservation efforts are in place to protect these magnificent animals in South African parks like Kruger National Park.
  Seeing the Big Five on a safari is a thrilling and memorable experience for wildlife enthusiasts and tourists. Many game reserves and national parks in South Africa offer guided safaris and wildlife viewing opportunities, making it possible for visitors to witness these remarkable creatures in their natural habitats.

Tour Pricing

Cost Per Head

INR: 2,88,888 + Taxes

Ex. Mumbai (BOM) 11 Nights 12 Days

Partial Payment

INR: 1,50,000

100 % Payment Required If Booked Within 45 Days Of Travel Date.