



South Africa

Small Group Tour

20 days from \$4999

Per person twin share including flights from Australia



Africa Safari staying in little lodges each night.
No single supplement.
Small Group Tour with expert guides.

Call Destination International on 1300 813391.

Departs every Sunday:

10 Oct to 30 Nov 2019. 01 Feb to 25 March 2020. 25 April to 10 June 2020. 25 July to 10 Sept 2020 and 10 Oct to 30 Nov 2020

Price:

From \$4999 per person twin share.

Single travellers share a room with a fellow passenger of the same sex and are not required to pay a single supplement.

Tour Package Includes:

- Return economy flights with a 4-star airline from Melbourne, Sydney, Brisbane, Adelaide or Perth to South Africa
- One-night stay in Johannesburg
- 18-nights in well-reviewed lodges
- Small group tour, maximum 17 travellers
- Guided tour with an English-speaking guide
- Custom 17-seater adventure truck
- Travel to eSwatini (formerly Swaziland), Zululand and more
- Game drives in the Kruger National Park

Excludes:

- Single supplement
- Travel insurance (required)
- Airport transfers
- Meals & sightseeing not specified in the itinerary
- Optional tours
- Personal items, such as drinks, snacks, WiFi, laundry etc
- Any items or services not listed in the inclusions or in the itinerary

*Subject to confirmation by the airlines, hotels & local operators.
Booking conditions & cancellation fees apply.*

VICTORIA FALLS EXTENSION AVAILABLE FROM \$1199

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South Africa is a haven of spectacular scenery, abundant wildlife, diverse cultures and first world norms, all topped with a healthy and invigorating climate. These qualities make it an adventure destination not to be missed.

A country virtually the size of Europe with over 3000 kilometers of unspoiled coastline, boasting climatic differences from searing hot desert to snow-capped peaks, and varied cultures from the original Bushman to the most Western of ways. We visit the highlights, but leave the beaten track to explore the great outdoors and visit a variety of African eco-systems.

Overnight stops are all at comfortable Lodges, in pristine reserves, high in the mountains, or on the beach, always in truly unique surroundings. The tour is enjoyed by those with a flexible attitude and adventurous mentality.



ITINERARY:

DAY 1: DEPART FROM AUSTRALIA

DAY 2: ARRIVE JOHANNESBURG SOUTH AFRICA.

Arrive in South Africa, clear immigration, and take a taxi to the GREENFIRE LODGE JOHANNESBURG for your overnight hotel accommodation. The remainder of the day is free to explore at leisure

DAY 3: JHB – BUSH LODGE

Departing from the GREENFIRE LODGE JOHANNESBURG at 06h30, we set off on the scenic road to Mpumalanga. We enjoy a brunch stop in the historic town of Dullstroom before we wind our way down the Drakensberg escarpment and into the untamed Lowveld. The road is filled with scenic beauty, from mountain passes to the Acacia trees scattered across the African bushveld.

We spend the next two nights at our well-appointed GREENFIRE BUSH LODGE, which is situated in a private reserve within the greater Kruger National Park; an area where animals roam naturally and unrestricted. Being on a privately owned reserve allows us the freedom to explore the wilderness in search of a variety of animals both on foot and in open game drive vehicles.

The tented lodge blends into the bush and offers comfortable beds, en-suite bathrooms, a refreshing splash pool, and stunning views over the surrounding wilderness. Dinner tonight is cooked in the traditional manner over an open fire.

Meals: D (Lunch own expense)

Included Highlights/Activity:

- Scenic Drive down to the Lowveld Region**
- Private Kruger National Park Accommodation**
- Private Concession**

DAY 4: Bush Lodge

As is custom in the bush, we start the day with a light breakfast of coffee and rusks before embarking on a guided game walk within this Big 5 area. Although we will walk for some three hours, the purpose is not to cover distance but rather to search for animals and to focus on the smaller things one misses while out driving around in the bush. A Drifters guide and/or tracker lead all walks. Before the heat of the day, we return to the lodge for a sumptuous brunch, after which it's time to relax around the lodge and enjoy the serenity of the surrounding wilderness.

In the afternoon, we conduct an open vehicle game drive which develops into an extensive night drive, all the time searching for animals. Being in the bush at night provides us with the opportunity of viewing nocturnal animals. This evening we enjoy a hearty bush "braai" cooked on an open fire. Fall asleep to the sounds of the wild.

Meals: Brunch Dinner

Included Highlights/Activity:

- Exclusive Private Bush Lodge**
- Morning guided walk in Big 5 area**
- Afternoon Game drive / Night drive**



DAY 5: Panorama Route – Hazyview

Rising with the African sun, we enjoy a hearty breakfast before setting off to explore the highlights of the Panorama Route. Our first stop will be to view the impressive Blyde River Canyon, then on to Bourke's Luck Potholes, Gods Window, and the cozy little town of Graskop where we enjoy an own expense lunch. The Panorama Route offers guests some of the best natural wonders in the area and we will spend as much time as possible at each of the highlights.

This afternoon we descend the Kowyns Pass and after a full day, we make our way to the GREENFIRE LODGE HAZYVIEW, a log cabin built spectacularly on stilts in the indigenous forest on the banks of the Sabie River. We will spend two nights here.

Meals: B D (Lunch own expense)

Included Highlights/Activity:

- Panorama Route**
- God's Window**
- Bourke's Luck Potholes**
- 3 Rondavels**
- Kowyns Pass**

DAY 6: Kruger National Park

An early start, we depart at sunrise and travel the short distance to enter a different area of the Kruger National Park for a full day of game viewing. Slowly traversing in search of the many animals that inhabit this area, we enjoy the high vantage point and comfort of our well-equipped vehicle. Our guide will take time to explain the behaviour of the animals we see in this fascinating environment. Although most of the day will be spent game viewing, we will stop at various designated sites to stretch our legs, to enjoy brunch, and to wander around one of the park's rest camps. Late this afternoon we exit the park and return to the comfort of our GREENFIRE LODGE HAZYVIEW.

Meals: Brunch Dinner

Included Highlights/Activity:

- **Southern section of Kruger National Park**
- **Full Day Game Drive**

DAY 7: SWAZILAND

We depart in the morning and enjoy a scenic drive south before we leave South Africa and cross the border into the Kingdom of the Swazi. A small landlocked country, Swaziland is rich in culture and natural beauty. Our journey today takes us into an area of spectacular scenery and past numerous traditional homesteads surrounded by vast fields of sugarcane. Our first destination is Sibebe rock, a granite mountain rising some 350m above the Mbuluzi valley. We spend some time here at the foot of the mountain while our guides explain more about the history and beliefs surrounding Sibebe.

In the late afternoon we drive the short distance via the Capital of Mbabane to our accommodation for the night. On arrival we check in and enjoy a catered meal.

Meals: B L D

Included Highlights/Activity:

- **Swaziland**
- **Scenic Drive**
- **Sibebe rock**

DAY 8: Zululand

Today we follow the winding roads through Swaziland and cross back into South Africa in the late morning. After completing the border formalities, we enter Zululand, an area once ruled by the infamous Shaka Zulu. The reserves in this area are lush and offer protection to a variety of indigenous animals including Black and White Rhino.

This afternoon we enjoy a game experience that will allow us to appreciate the fauna and flora of the Zulu Kingdom.

Meals: B L D

Included Highlights/Activity:

- **Scenic drive through Swaziland**

DAY 9 – 10: Drakensberg

Traveling inland today, we pass through a tranquil region of rolling hills, but don't be fooled, this region has hosted many historic wars fought over time by the Zulu's, the Boers (pioneer settlers), the British, and many others fighting for a stake in Africa. Our lunch stop will be at one of the famous battlefields in the area where we will have time to learn a bit more about this fascinating time in South Africa's history.

This afternoon we reach the majestic Drakensberg mountain range, "Barrier of Spears". On reaching the foothills, we transfer to a 4x4 vehicle, and then enjoy an exciting drive on mountain tracks high up to the GREENFIRE LODGE DRAKENSBERG. Guests are welcome to skip the drive and walk up the mountain to the lodge.

We spend two nights here in cozy log cabins and will have a day of hiking, exploring, and simply enjoying the wonders of this national heritage site. A walk to the San Rock Art gallery is well worth the effort. Pony trekking is also available.

Meals: B L D; B L D

Optional Activities: Horse riding, Fishing, walks

Included Highlights / Activity:

- Drakensberg World Heritage Site**
- Bushman Paintings**
- Drakensberg Hike**
- Vulture Colony**

DAY 11 – 12: DOLPHIN COAST

A relaxed start, after a transfer (or walk) back down to our vehicle, it is with new energy that we make our way toward the Indian Ocean. Our journey today will take us through the rolling hills and natural beauty of the Natal Midlands. We stop for an own expense lunch near Nottingham Road before continuing to the Mandela Capture site for a short visit, from where we continue and travel down to the coast where we spend the next two nights.

The GREENFIRE LODGE DOLPHIN COAST is located literally on the beach and the sound of the waves pounding is relentless. We will have a “free” day here to spend soaking up the sun and simply enjoying the beach and warm ocean, or to stroll through the village enjoying the cheerful hospitality. One night we enjoy a traditional fish braai on the lodge’s patio. Lunch and dinner are own expense. Guests can also choose to visit the city of Durban on their free day.

Meals: B D; B (Lunch on day 9, lunch and dinner on day 10 all own expense)

Optional Activities: Visit Durban

Included Highlights/Activity:

- Nelson Mandela Capture Site**
- Natal Midlands Scenic Drive**
- East Coast**
- Beach**

DAY 13 – 14: WILD COAST

Setting off early, we pass through the outskirts of Durban this morning and follow the coast south into an area that can only be described as one of the highlights of the tour – The Wild Coast. Having formerly been an independent homeland, there has been little development in this area resulting in endless unspoiled beaches, natural estuaries, rolling grassland, and a tapestry of traditional Xhosa villages. We will spend two nights at a remote GREENFIRE LODGE and will spend a full day exploring this rugged but stunningly beautiful area. Our guide will take us on an extended hike along this stretch of coastline that offers some of the best hiking routes in the country. Guests will also have the option to relax on the secluded beach in front of the lodge or to go and swim in a nearby waterfall.

Meals: B L D; B L D

Optional Activities: Walks, Private Beach

Included Highlights/Activity:

- Scenic Drive to the Wild Coast**
- Private Beach**
- Waterfall Walk**
- Hike along the coast**

DAY 15: FRONTIER COUNTRY

Leaving the lush coastal forests behind, our journey will take us into what is known as the “Frontier Country”, a region that was settled in the 1820’s by European immigrants and that was host to many frontier wars. The road is defined by scattered hills and deep valleys with distant glimpses of the ocean.

We cover some distance today and spend the night in comfortable accommodation overlooking the city of Grahamstown.

Meals: B L D

Included Highlights/Activity:

– Scenic Drive in Frontier Country

DAY 16 – 17: GARDEN ROUTE

Entering the renowned Garden Route today, our first stop will be at the Tsitsikamma Coastal National Park. Located in a marine reserve, the hike offers spectacular views and we enjoy a walk along the rugged coast and over the suspension bridge spanning the Storms River.

We spend the night in the Storms River area. The area offers a variety of optional activities for guests. Optional excursions include kayak trips, mountain bike rides in the forest, a tour of the local township, and many more (own expense).

The next day guests will depart from Storms River and make their way to Knysna where they will spend the night and have time for some more activities. One lunch and one dinner will be own expense.

Meals: B L D; B (lunch and dinner own expense)

Optional Activities:

– Boat Cruise

– Bridge Bungee jump

– Shark Cage diving, etc.

Included Highlights/Activity:

– Tsitsikamma National Park

– Hike in Tsitsikamma

– Suspension Bridge Walk

– Swim at the Waterfall (if weather permits)

DAY 18 – 20: CAPE TOWN

We leave Knysna to travel through the Garden Route's Lake District and then to follow the "Whale Route" through Hermanus and around the Hottentots Holland Mountains. Arriving in the "Mother City", Cape Town, in the late afternoon, we check into the GREENFIRE LODGE CAPE TOWN, which is conveniently situated in Seapoint.

Cape Town is undoubtedly one of the most beautiful cities in the world and we will spend two full days here – visiting Cape Point, Hout Bay, The Waterfront, secluded beaches, a wine farm, and many other attractions. We will also hike up Table Mountain. Lunches and dinners in Cape Town are own expense.



Meals: B; B; B (Lunches and dinners on Day 16 & 17 as well as lunch on day 18 own expense)

Optional Activities:

- Shark Cage Dive**
- Parasailing**
- Boat Cruises**
- Scuba Dive, etc.**

Included Highlights/Activity:

- Cape Point National Park**
- Cape of Good Hope**

- Wine tasting
- Table Mountain hike
- Coastal Roads

This tour ends at 16h00 on Day 20. Clients may however extend their stay by booking post-tour nights at the GREENFIRE LODGE CAPE TOWN.

If arranging an onward flight on this day, please allow time for an airport transfer and for check-in procedures (up to three hours).

Those wishing to visit Robben Island should advise their guide early in the tour as prior bookings are essential.

The day by day descriptions published are intended as a rough guideline only. Adventure travel by nature is unpredictable, weather patterns, game migrations, road conditions and a multitude of other factors may necessitate itinerary changes that ultimately are for the client's benefit. It is essential that clients are flexible and open minded in this regard.

VICTORIA FALLS ZIMABAWE EXTENSION
4 day / 3 nights fly-stay experience
\$1199 per person

DAY 20, Fly to Victoria Falls* & Sundowner Cruise

Transfer to the airport for your flight to picturesque and thundering Victoria Falls, named a UNESCO World Heritage Site. The Falls are a little over a mile wide and 351 feet high, making them one-and-a half times as wide and twice as high as the Niagara Falls. Here, you can still encounter herds of buffalo and elephant on their way to the Zambezi River. Transfer to your hotel in Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe.

Overnight: Victoria Falls - Pamusha Lodge for 3 nights.

Meals: Breakfast

DAY 21, Guided Tour of Victoria Falls

This morning, enjoy a guided tour of the Victoria Falls, one of the

"Seven Natural Wonders of the World". The walking safari takes you through the magnificent rain forest to view the Cataracts, Livingston's statue and a wide variety of birds and plants. The rest of the day is yours to discover this beautiful area independently

Overnight: Victoria Falls

Meals: Breakfast

DAY 22, Free day Victoria Falls

Today is a free day for your to explore Victoria Falls at leisure.

Overnight: Victoria Falls

Meals: Breakfast

DAY 23,- Depart South Africa

This morning transfer to the airport* in Zimbabwe. Fly to Johannesburg and connect to your international departure flight this evening

Meals: Breakfast



WEATHER CONDITIONS

Please note that Southern African weather conditions vary tremendously from season to season. During summer months temperatures of up to 40°C can be experienced. During the winter months of June, July and August the nights are very cold,

temperatures may drop well below 0°C, although the day temperatures will be pleasant at around 20°C.

For more accurate information, please visit AccuWeather and choose your destination.

<http://www.accuweather.com/en/browse-locations>

CLOTHING & PERSONAL EFFECTS

Herewith a recommended guide of what to bring along:

For walking, hiking and Safaris

Sport Shoes / Sneakers

Sandals

Hat

Sun Cream

Water Bottle

Smaller day pack

Camera, Binoculars

Books (Birds, Mammals, personal reading books, Optional)

For general travelling (to keep yourself entertained on the longer drives)

Personal iPod

Personal Reading Books

A deck of cards or something similar

Battery chargers for your personal devices (Ipods, Ipads, E-Readers, Handy's etc)

Our vehicles are well equipped with charging facilities while driving. A Two-pin charger is perfect.

Clothing and Toiletries

Long Trousers / Tracksuit

Hat or cap

Shorts

Swimming Costume & Towel

Waterproof Windbreaker

Personal toiletries

Jersey / Jumper

Insect Repellent

Socks & Underwear
T-Shirts / Shirts

General Accessories

Mosquito Net (Optional)

Malaria Prophylaxis (please enquire from your general Doctor at home)

Money (Sundry expenses, gratuities)

Torch / Flashlight / Batteries

Refreshments

Pen

Passport/Visa

Luggage and Packing space on our vehicles

** Luggage should be limited to a maximum of 15kg's

Each Drifters Traveler have their own locker on our trucks which is accessible even while driving. Backpacks, Barrel bags or Soft Suitcases are strongly advisable as your standard Hard Suitcases sometimes don't fit into the lockers. Each locker could be locked with your personal lock (which you can also purchase from the Greenfire Johannesburg Lodge upon arrival.

MEALS AND REFRESHMENTS

Meals are provided as indicated in the brochure/website. Soft drinks, bottled water and alcohol are for your own expense; there is ample opportunity during the tour to buy refreshments. The guide will advise when you need to stock up for a couple of days.

PERSONAL EXPENSES

A reasonable amount of personal spending money must be brought on our tours. This is to cover own expense meals as indicated in our Drifters Brochure, bottled water, soft drinks, alcohol, sundry goods purchased- such as suntan cream etc., curios, optional extra excursions, airport tax, transfers and tips.

In Africa things work a little different to the rest of the World. Tipping or gratuity, unless otherwise specified, is not included in the price you pay for services delivered. This accounts for restaurant meals, casual

help and the services of the guide or guides that you will meet on your tour.

In Southern and East Africa it is classified as a common courtesy to TIP “casual help (guides)”.

This TIP is not something that is forced upon you by any means, but in many industries of tourism it is customary. It works as follows: if you believe your guide has lived up to your expectations and has performed his/her job in a way that you respect and are happy with the services rendered, an amount of R 50 per day or equivalent amount of R50 per day in any major currency per person per day would constitute a fantastic tip. Remember that this is just a guideline and is not by any means compulsory, but seen as common courtesy in Southern and East Africa.

Hotel List for South Africa tour.

Day	Spend the night at	Facilities
1	Greenfire Bush Lodge	Twin en suite rooms
2	Greenfire Bush Lodge	Twin en suite rooms
3	Greenfire Hazyview Lodge	Twin Rooms - Sharing Facilities
4	Greenfire Hazyview Lodge	Twin Rooms - Sharing Facilities
5	Foresters Arms	Twin en suite rooms
6	White Elephant Bush camp	Twin en suite rooms
7	Greenfire Drakensberg Lodge	Twin Rooms - Sharing Facilities
8	Greenfire Drakensberg Lodge	Twin Rooms - Sharing Facilities

9	Greenfire Dolphin Coast Lodge	Twin en suite rooms
10	Greenfire Dolphin Coast Lodge	Twin en suite rooms
11	Greenfire Wild Coast Lodge	Twin en suite rooms
12	Greenfire Wild Coast Lodge	Twin en suite rooms
13	Mountain View Manor	Twin en suite rooms
14	Storms River Village Lodge	Twin en suite rooms
15	Wayside Inn	Twin en suite rooms
16	Greenfire Cape Town Lodge	Twin / Triple en suite rooms
17	Greenfire Cape Town Lodge	Twin / Triple en suite rooms
18	N/A	



OPTIONAL TOURS:

JOHANNESBURG and SURROUNDS (PRE and POST Tour) SOWETO TOUR

South of Johannesburg is Soweto, the world's most famous township and important monument to Apartheid. A sprawling, self-sufficient home to millions, Soweto grapples with democratic change, but its spirit resonates in a plethora of shebeens. The focus on this tour is more on community projects & sustainable tourism. The Soweto Fair Tour includes: Nelson Mandela & Hector Pietersen Museums, a visit to Handiworx or the Soweto Green plus a view of Baragwaneth Hospital and an informal settlement. Also included is a cycle tour from Phomolong & visit a day care centre (also available without cycling).

From R590 per person for 3 hours

You can also do a cycle tour of Soweto – pricing depends on the time you cycle for.

JOBURG CITY TOUR

The tour includes a panoramic view of the city, a drive within the business district, visit to traditional African shops, the bohemian Hillbrow and Museum Africa in Newton, the cultural district of Johannesburg. Extend to 8 hours & include Constitution Hill, SAB World of Beer & more.

From R590 per person for 3 hours

SOWETO & JOHANNESBURG COMBO

Combining the Soweto & Johannesburg City tours will give you a great overview of the area.

From R850 for 5 hours

APARTHEID MUSEUM

The path through the museum leads you on a journey beginning with segregation, the cornerstone of apartheid. It takes you back through the history of the myriad cultures converging during the pre-apartheid era. Through the years of race classification, the 150 acts of apartheid, detentions and the oppression of the nationalist regime. Examine the rise of black consciousness, the

armed struggle & finally witness the release of Nelson Mandela after 27 years of imprisonment which finally led to the final negotiations for peace. The Apartheid Museum experience is one of upliftment and liberation both personally & socially and leaves each visitor with a feeling of hope for the future, unburdened by the ills of the past.

Duration: 3 hours R550

CRADLE OF HUMANKIND

The tour visits both the Sterkfontein caves, where the oldest hominid fossils (dating back to over 3 million years) in the world were found & Maropeng where you can experience the fascinating, interactive representations of the origin of Earth & all that lives on our unique planet. Interesting to both adults & children alike, this is a must visit on anyone passing through Gauteng's itinerary!

Duration: 4 hours R990

PRETORIA CITY TOUR

Pretoria generates a multicultural energy from a harmonious blend of traditions, culture and architecture. Pretoria has historic value extending to that of the British Empire and Apartheid. The tour includes the either the Voortrekker Monument or Freedom Square, the Union Buildings, Kruger House, Church Square, Mirramen Hindu Temple and thousands of Jacaranda trees. Extend to 8 hours and include both the Voortrekker Monument & Freedom Square as well as the Transvaal Museum. Lunch in Pretoria

Duration: 4 ½ hours R850

Duration: 8 hours for the extended tour, incl. lunch R1500

CAPE TOWN and SURROUNDS

You are in close proximity to shops, pubs and restaurants. The V&A Waterfront is a major attraction in Cape Town (shuttle service to the Waterfront runs regularly from alongside the Lodge).

Half day Township tour: District 6 and museum; Langa; Community school; Shebeen; Kayalitscha;

3 ½ hours R 515

**Robben Island: 3 ½ hours; boat ride to the Island; drive over the island; visit of the prison; boat ride back;
R 320 excludes taxi to ferry**

Hop on – Hop off bus: Red route through the V&A Waterfront; City; District 6; cable way; Camps Bay; Sea Point; 2 hours non stop; R 200 for the whole day

Hop on – Hop off bus: Blue Route to V&A Waterfront; Kirstenbosch; Hout Bay; World of birds; Camps Bay; Sea Point; R200 for the whole day

**Full day Peninsula tour: Clifton, Camps Bay, Twelve Apostles, Hout Bay, Chapmans Peak, Noordhoek, Ostrich Viewing, Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve, Cape Point, Penguin Colony, Simons Town, Muizenberg, Constantia, Kirstenbosch Botanical Gardens: R 850, Half day without Kirstenbosch
R 585**

**Full day Wine route: Stellenbosch, Paarl and Franschoek:
R 850, Half day R 585**

**Full day whale watching trip to Hermanus
R 810 (seasonal) Excludes transport to Hermanus**

**Abseiling off Table Mtn:
R 700, excluding cable car tickets**

**White shark diving:
R 1350 includes drive to Gansbaai; boat trip; snorkel or dive in cage; picnic lunch**

Tandem Paraglide from Lions Head: R 1100

**Helicopter flips:
Various options from R 2000 to R 3000**

**Horse riding in Hout Bay:
2 hour ride R 350**

**Historic walking tour through the city:
Every day from the tourist information in Burg street. R230**

Please Note:

Optional Activities can be booked on arrival. No bookings are made in advance.

Rates are subject to change without notice

Activities are subject to availability

Activities are weather dependent

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Please read this information prior to making your reservation

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GOODS AND SERVICES TAX (GST)

The Australian GST does not apply to international travel. Any service fees, courier, cancellation and amendment fees are subject to GST. You will be charged GST where applicable.

DEPOSIT

A deposit is required to confirm your booking (varies depending on package booked). Receipt of deposit will be taken as an understanding by Destination International Holidays that the customer has checked their confirmed travel arrangements and has read and agreed to the terms and conditions.

FINAL PAYMENT

Payment in full must be made no less than 120 days before travel, unless required earlier by any supplier.

PRICES

All prices for our tours are advised in Australian Dollars (\$AUD). They are based on airfares, schedules and tariffs at the time of printing. Destination International Holidays reserves the right to vary the cost of the tour, taxes and airline prices if necessary by reason of currency fluctuation, cost increase, or airfare increase. All prices are subject to confirmation from local tour operators. Once full payment has been received by Destination International no surcharges in respect to currency fluctuations will be applied.

ITINERARY CHANGES

Destination International Holidays reserves the right to amend the itinerary for reasons such as service requirements, road or weather conditions or unforeseen circumstances. Where a change is of a significant nature, it will be advised to our customers in writing. Destination International Holidays reserves the right to substitute hotels, lodges, inns and camps with properties of similar standard

AMENDMENT FEES

Any deviation to packages advertised or quotes will incur a fee of \$150 per person.

Should you need to alter your confirmed reservations, there will be an automatic fee charged of \$150 per amendment or transaction, plus any new arrangements made. Additionally, there may be cancellation fees levied by the tour operator or fees may be applicable where arrangements have been pre-purchased.

In addition, we charge

- \$50 per person for all airline seat reservations and baggage charges plus any airline fees.
- \$100 per person for all Tourist visa processing plus the cost for the visa fee.
- \$75 per person to reissue any travel documents lost in the mail.
- \$100 per person to process insurance claims when travel insurance has not been purchased from this office.

CANCELLATIONS

Cancellation fees will be levied relative to the amount of notice given as follows:

Days' Notice	90 or more	75-90	65-75	65-1
	Loss of Deposit and 50% loss of fare	75%	85%	100%

The above are Destination International Holidays cancellation fees. Airlines and Tour Operators may have additional fees. Transfer of a confirmed booking to another tour or departure date is deemed a cancellation of the original booking. There will be no refund for cancellation of unused services on or after commencement date. Please note that employees of any overseas suppliers are not authorised by Destination International Holidays to make any undertakings to our clients in respect of refunds or other matters.

ACCOMMODATION

There will be variations in the size, standard and presentation of rooms and facilities within the one hotel. This is beyond the control of Destination International Holidays.

CLAIMS

If you encounter any problems on your holiday, you should to try and solve it directly with the supplier whilst overseas. If it is not possible to do so please do so in writing within 30 days of completing your Destination International Holidays arrangements.

TRAVEL INSURANCE

You must be insured for the duration of your trip. You need comprehensive travel insurance to cover cancellation, health requirements, luggage and additional expenses. Insurance policies rarely cover for loss of cash.

PASSPORT, VISA & VACCINATIONS

You must familiarise yourself with any visa and health requirements that may be applicable in the countries you are visiting. You are responsible for all entry/exit health and any other documents required by laws, regulations, orders, demands or requirements of countries visited or transited. Please note that passport and visa requirements are not the responsibility of Destination International Holidays. We will not be held liable for any loss or expense due to the failure to comply with the above. We recommend that you be in possession of a passport valid for at least 6 months beyond your intended stay overseas.

CONSULAR ADVICE

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