



EL QUESTRO, WA
Luxury Wilderness Experience
3 nights from \$3099
Per person twin share



Spectacular Kimberley getaway at El Questro Homestead

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El Questro Homestead

Nestled within the Kimberley's vast and ancient landscape and hidden amongst burnt-orange cliffs and lush, green lawns sits El Questro Homestead, a pocket of luxurious exclusivity where you're encouraged to make yourself at home.

This nine-suite hideaway is surrounded by avenues of frangipani trees and, once inside, offers chic yet cosy and comfortable interiors where bedrooms are cantilevered over the still and tranquil Chamberlain River.

Each day at the Homestead is likely to start with birdsong and end with a locally sourced three-course dinner, and matched wines, under a blanket of stars. During a stay at the Homestead guests are offered complimentary excursions, allowing for a fully immersive Kimberley experience.

With almost 700,000 acres to explore, the Homestead's surrounding landscape is dramatic and expansive with something to offer everyone from adventurous explorers down to novice hikers and first-time four-wheel drivers.

Departs Daily:

2021 - 25 April to 10 June, 25 July to 10 Sept, 10 Oct to 30 Nov

Subject to seasonal availability.

Package Includes:

- 3 nights luxury accommodation at El Questro Homestead in a Homestead Room
- Gourmet meals daily
- A fine selection of wine, beer, basic spirits and sparkling wine
- Selected tours within El Questro including:
 - The Chamberlain Cruise
 - Access to your own self-drive private boat
 - The Bush Culture, History & Nature Tour
 - Bird Watching Tour
 - Exclusive and complimentary use of Zebedee Thermal Springs each afternoon
 - Sunset at Buddy's Point
 - Guided Walks to the most spectacular gorges the Kimberley region has to offer

Features:

- Secluded luxury clifftop getaway in the heart of the spectacular Kimberley
 - Set on 700,000 acres with hot springs, waterfalls, caves & bird watching
 - Nine king size suites with verandahs & stunning wilderness views
 - Meals included, served on your verandah or the common dining area
 - Complimentary guided experiences including walks, 4WD & boating
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- Scenic helicopter flights & customised tours available by arrangement at additional cost

Excludes:

- Single supplement – please contact us for rates
- Travel insurance (essential)
- Meals & sightseeing not specified in the inclusions
- Optional tours & scenic flight
- Personal items, such as drinks, snacks, WiFi, laundry etc
- Any items or services not listed in the inclusions

*Subject to confirmation by the hotel & local operators.
Booking conditions & cancellation fees apply.*

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About the Kimberley:

Situated in the far north of Western Australia, the Kimberley has two seasons – wet and dry. Being so close to the equator, the climate is tropical.

The extremes of these two seasons make for very different travel experiences, depending on the time of year you visit. There's no defined start and end to the seasons as Mother Nature is unpredictable! But read on for a general guide to the average weather conditions in the Kimberley.

The Dry season runs from April to October and is the best (and busiest) time to visit. The temperature is pleasantly warm, there is little chance of rain and all of the roads should be open.

During the Wet season from November to March, the temperatures soar to over 40C and it is extremely humid. It doesn't necessarily rain everyday, but when it does it's an incredible spectacle. Thick black clouds drop massive amounts of rain, accompanied by loud thunder and spectacular lightning displays.

The biggest drawback to travel in the Kimberley during the wet season is that the Gibb River Road is closed. The heavy rains flood the creeks, making them impassable, and sections of the road look more like a river!

The Best Time to Visit the Kimberley

The dry season months between May and September is the most popular time to visit the Kimberley.

April

April usually marks the end of the wet season in the Kimberley and the start of the dry. The temperatures are starting to cool down and the rain is easing up.

There is still a lot of water around and it will take several months for the land and rivers to begin drying up. The highways and some tracks should be open, but this depends on what the weather has been like. Sometimes it can still be raining heavily in April, making it difficult or impossible to explore the Kimberley's attractions.

Visiting in April can be a bit of a gamble!

May

By May there might still be the odd isolated shower but the land is drying out. Temperatures are warm to hot and the waterfalls are flowing spectacularly.

Tourist numbers will be increasing during May. Depending on how much recent rain there has been, some sections of the the Gibb River Road and other tracks will still have deep water crossings.

June and July

June and July are the busiest tourist season months in the Kimberley. The weather is usually fantastic and most days will have lovely warm temperatures and clear blue skies.

The roads are still in good condition having been graded in May and the waterfalls are swimming pools are full of clean fresh water. There is less water later in the year, so if you want to see the waterfalls in all their glory, June is a better month to visit than July.

The nights can be cool in some areas, like the Bungle Bungles.

August

By August things are starting to warm up. Temperatures are getting a little bit hotter and there is usually less water around.

The waterfalls will be slowing to a trickle or be totally dry in some areas. There is still enough water in the pools for a refreshing swim but the water levels are starting to get low.

September and October

Things are definitely getting hotter now, and the Kimberley climate is starting to build-up to the wet season. There are less tourists and travelers around, and as you explore you will find that you have many attractions to yourself.

Storms will build-up during the day during September but often don't bring any rain. By October there will often be afternoon showers which bring a refreshing cool change.

The drier conditions mean the landscape changes from green to brown, and everything is very dry.

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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.

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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 travel insurance claims and provide a statement for your insurance company.
- \$50 per person travel document printing fee

CANCELLATIONS

This office will charge a 15% cancellation fee on all refundable portions of a cancelled tour. All tour cancellations must be received in writing.

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%

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TRAVEL INSURANCE

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