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# 6 REASONS TO VISIT BASECAMP MASAI MARA



## 01. PRIME GAME VIEWING

The Masai Mara is famous for its unique concentration of wildlife, birds, rich vegetation and open savannah. From July to October or November each year, the massed herds of the Great Wildebeest Migration pass through the Mara, with over two million animals making their way north towards the Mara River crossings, in search of water and grazing.

## 02. EXCEPTIONAL LANDSCAPES

Explore the Africa of your dreams, with endless oceans of golden grass, iconic lone acacia trees, rocky kopjes crowned with fig trees and silvery ribbons of water hidden by deep gullies. The Mara is quintessential Africa, and its terrain that would be equally familiar to our ancient ancestors. Welcome home.

## 03. A MORE MEANINGFUL SAFARI

Our community initiatives are changing lives for the better – and could have the same impact on you. Visit the Enjoolata Centre to learn about Maasai culture and Mara wildlife, or meet the ladies from Basecamp Maasai Brand (BMB), a community-based handicraft workshop, and discover their beautiful artisanal craft products. Explore our tree nursery and organic vegetable garden, and learn how our water project is supplying clean drinking water to nearly 2 000 local families.

## 04. IMMERSIVE CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

Engage with the local culture, spend time with our Maasai guides and discover their history, their knowledge of the wildlife and their former nomadic way of life. Enjoy insightful game drives with local guides, share stories around the campfire, and be inspired by the dreams of young Maasai for their future.

## 05. 100% KENYAN TEAM

Wherever possible, we recruit from the local community (including offering intern opportunities), and many of our team grew up not far from the camp. Today, they are creating better lives for themselves, their families, and their community. Many of the team at the camp have been there for over a decade.

## 06. TANGIBLE RETURNS

Our projects are designed to ensure tangible returns to the local community, the custodians of this beautiful land. We are committed to community-based ecotourism and building a sustainable future for the next generation. By staying at Basecamp Masai Mara, you're contributing to a brighter future for local people.