



WELCOME TO NAMIBIA

VISA'S & PASSPORTS

Namibia has different categories for visa requirements. Please contact us so that we may advise you on admissions requirements. Your passport must be valid for six months following your departure date. When travelling with minors to Namibia, a complete birth certificate is required.

TRAVEL INSURANCE

We strongly recommend that you have your own personal travel insurance. This will cover any possible events, such as a cancellation of a tour, flight delays, medical costs, or damage/theft of personal belongings.

VACCINATIONS

If you have been in a country with a high risk of yellow fever, you will also have to present a yellow fever vaccination card. The south and central parts of Namibia are considered low risk areas for malaria. Etosha National Park is also classified as a low-risk area. It's best to consult your GP about malaria prophylactics before your trip.

CURRENCY

The Namibian currency is NAD or N\$ (Namibian Dollar). The South African Rand is also accepted in Namibia. All of Namibia accepts credit/debit cards and you can take out local currency at ATM's countrywide available. We recommend exchanging any foreign currency upon arrival at the airport.

TIPS & GRATUITIES

In general, waiters and bar staff work on 10%. If your tour includes meals, please don't feel obligated to leave a tip. Most lodges have a "tip box" at reception and you are more than welcome to leave a tip, which will be distributed between all the staff members. Your guides do work early, and long hours and they always do appreciate a small gratuity (N\$100 – N\$200)

ELECTRICITY AND ADAPTERS

Namibia uses 220V electricity and type D and M adapters.

WHAT TO WEAR

There is no formal attire required at the lodges. We want you to be comfortable.

Summer

Temperatures can already reach 25°C as early as 08:00 and 40°C around midday.

Bring as many shorts, t-shirts and dresses as you want when travelling in summer. Always have a jacket on hand for the early and late excursions as well as a hat.

Winter

We recommend warm pants and a jacket or two. We also recommend dressing in at least two layers when going on early morning game drives. Most safari vehicles are open and will require some warm clothes. Even in winter, temperatures do rise towards midday and layers can be removed. Also be ready for any unexpected cold fronts moving in from the south. This normally affects the temperatures in the Fish River and Sossusvlei areas. In extreme cases such as cold fronts, temperatures can fall to as little as 5°C in the southern parts and central parts. Average temperatures in winter : 10°C mornings and 22°C midday.

DRIVING IN NAMIBIA

In Namibia you drive on the left side. Your headlights should always be on when driving between cities or lodges. Always stay and on the road and never participate in off-road driving as this can harm and damage the nature. You could get fined for off-road driving. When driving in national parks, it's illegal to leave your car, unless at designated parking areas. On tar roads the speed limit is 120km/hr and on gravel roads 80km/hr.

PHOTOGRAPHY

Please keep tribes such as the Himba, Herero and San in mind. Always ask for permission before taking photos of them. Flying of drones is illegal in Namibia unless a drone permit is applied for. We can assist in applying for these permits.