



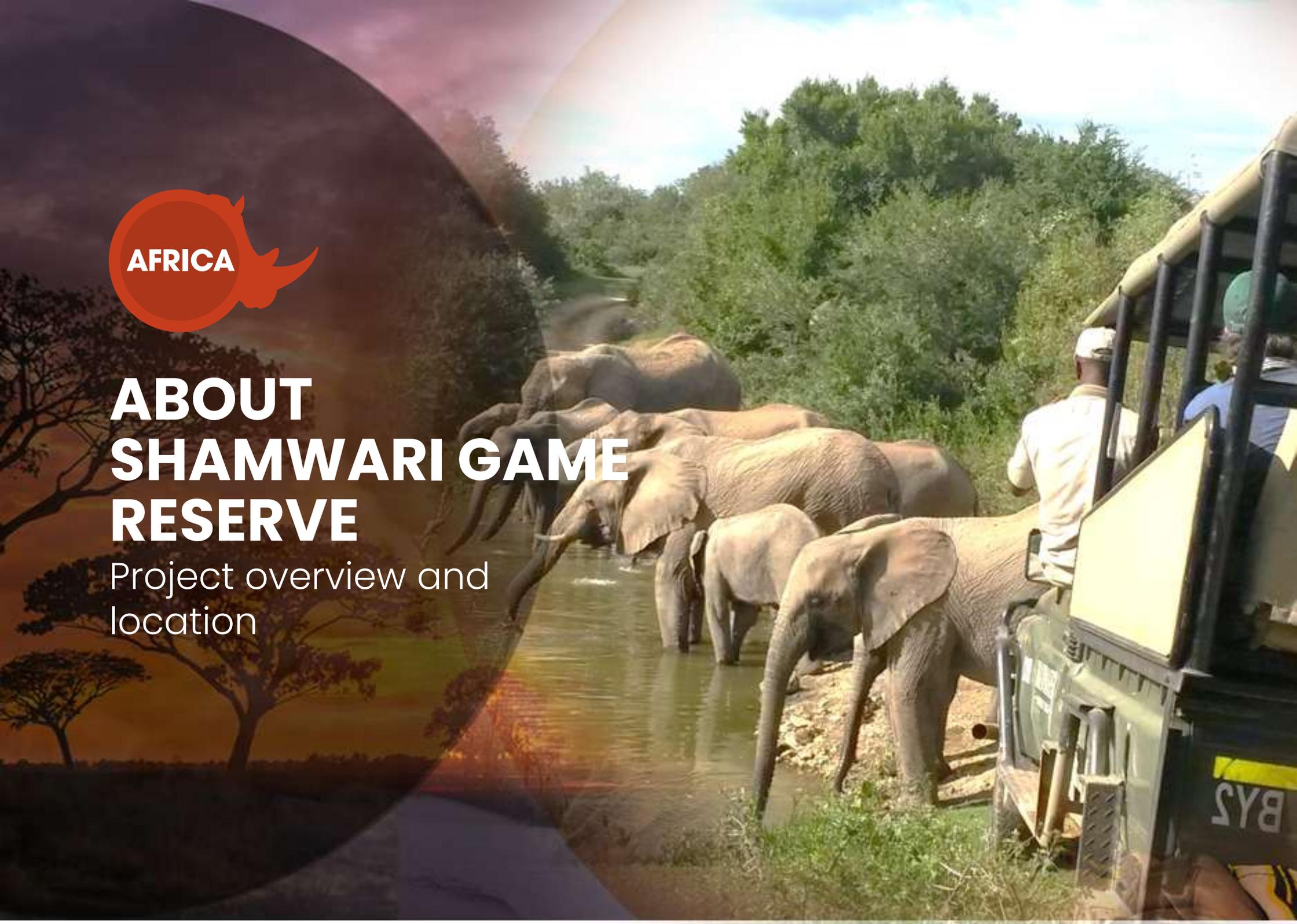
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Shamwari Group Expedition

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ABOUT SHAMWARI GAME RESERVE

Project overview and
location

Your Conservation Field Trip Explained

- A unique conservation experience based in South Africa
- Live on a Wild African Game Reserve
- The opportunity to experience hands on wildlife conservation
- Working behind the scenes on a Game Reserve in Africa
- Tailor made projects to suit your needs and interests
- Project Activities include:
 - Pioneering Conservation Research
 - Conservation Activities
 - Adventure and Excitement
- 12 Night experience
- The most incredible wildlife experience you will ever have

What is a Game Reserve?

- A game reserve is a large area of protected land where wild animals can live safely.
- Wildlife is free roaming throughout the reserve allowing them to thrive in their natural habitat.
- Reserves are either Government Owned (National Parks) or Privately Owned/Managed.
- Most reserves will have physical boundaries i.e. electrified fence line.
- Due to physical boundaries, wildlife must be managed due to restraints on population growth, migration and resources.
- Wildlife is protected but also utilised as a tourist attraction (Eco Tourism) which creates funding for conservation efforts and research.



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Shamwari Game Reserve

- 24,000 Hectare Privately Owned Game Reserve
- A pioneer in conservation in Southern Africa
- Award-winning team including:
 - Wildlife Vets
 - Conservationists
 - Ecologists
 - Anti Poaching
- Home to Born Free Foundation
- Vulpro, Vulture Conservation Project
- Lodge dedicated to our groups



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Shamwari Game Reserve - Location



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Home to the BIG 5



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Home to over 60 Species of Mammal



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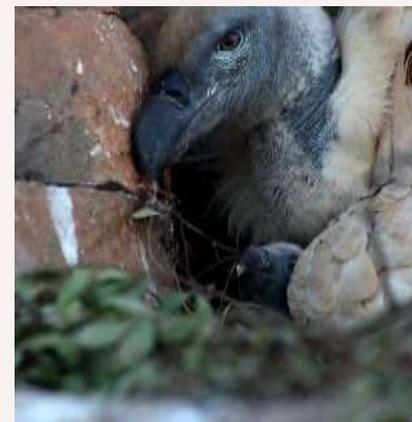
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Reptiles and Birds



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Our conservation work
in more detail

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Bush Skills – Monitoring Drives



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Bush Skills – Bush Walks, Tracking Wildlife



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Reserve Maintenance



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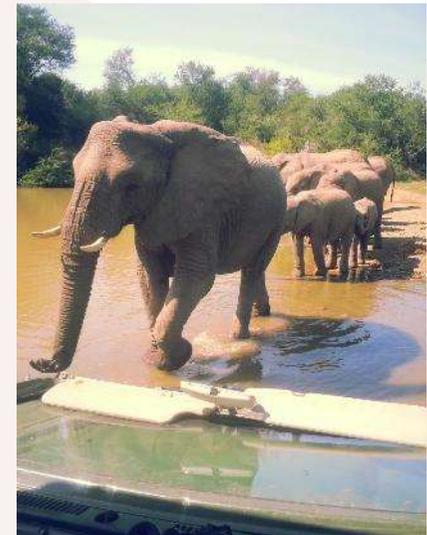
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Research – Elephant Monitoring



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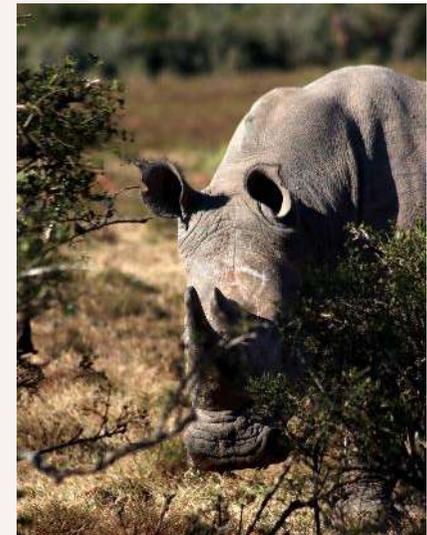
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Research – Rhino Tracking



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Rhino Awareness and Anti-Poaching Talks



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Research – Population Growth: Predators



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Research – Habitat and Prey Selection



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Camera Trap – Research and Study



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Night Game Drives



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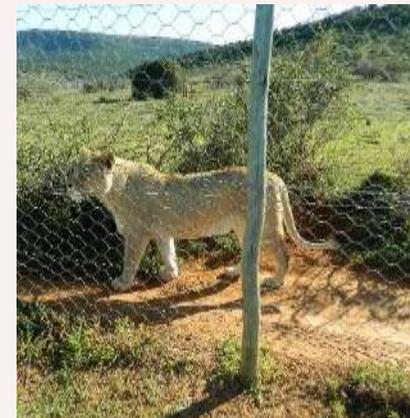
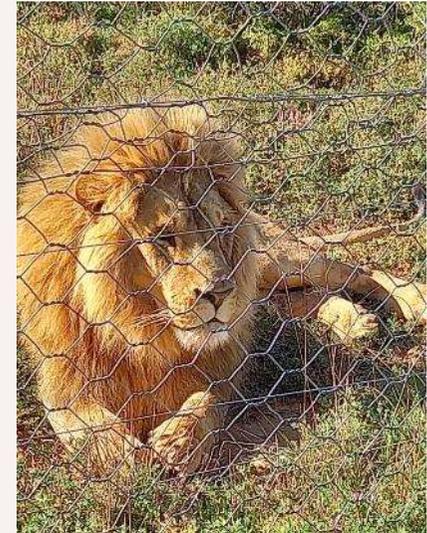
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Visit the Born Free Foundation



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Visit to the Vulpro Centre



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Community Development



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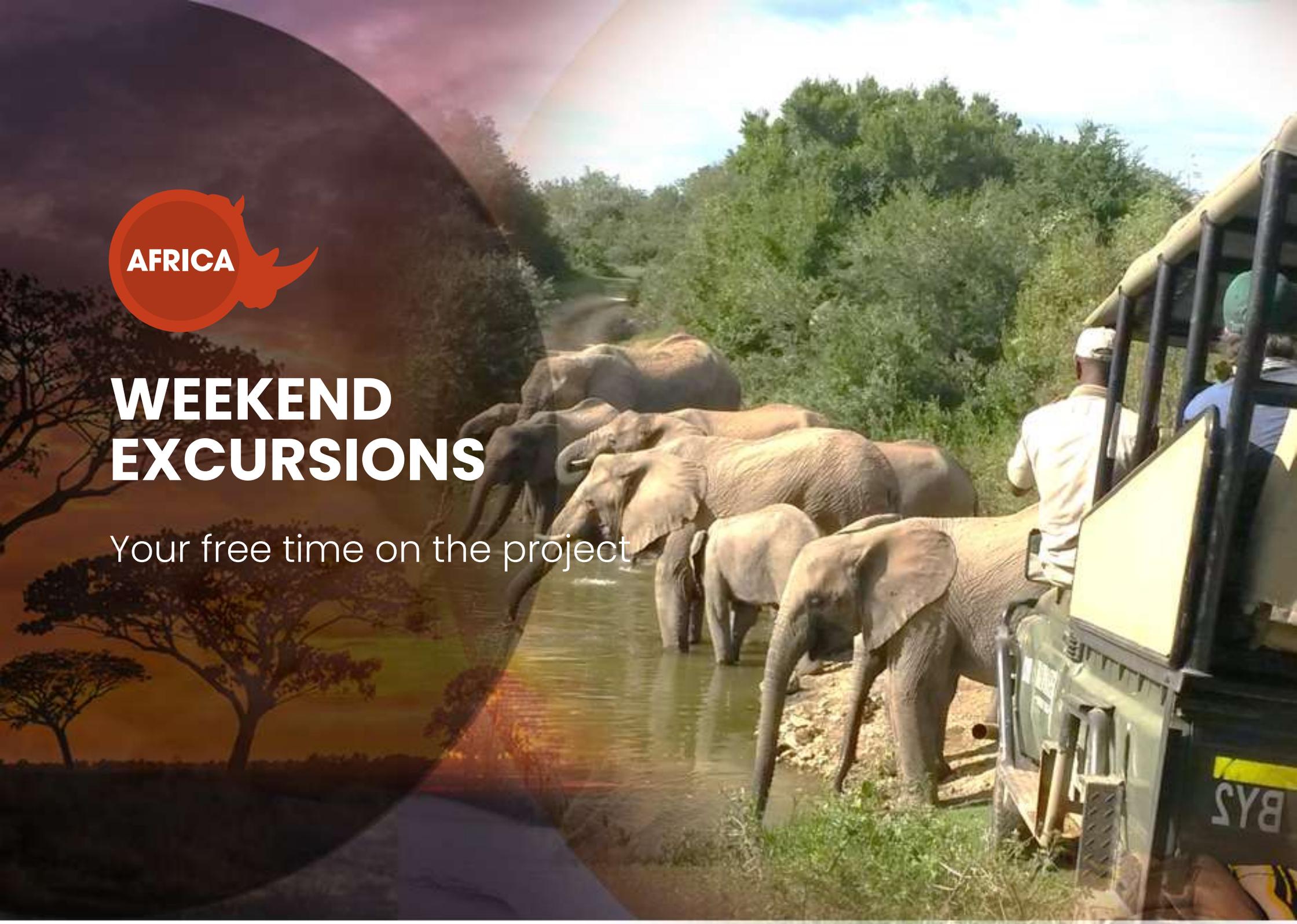
Community – GAP Donation Bags



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WEEKEND EXCURSIONS

Your free time on the project

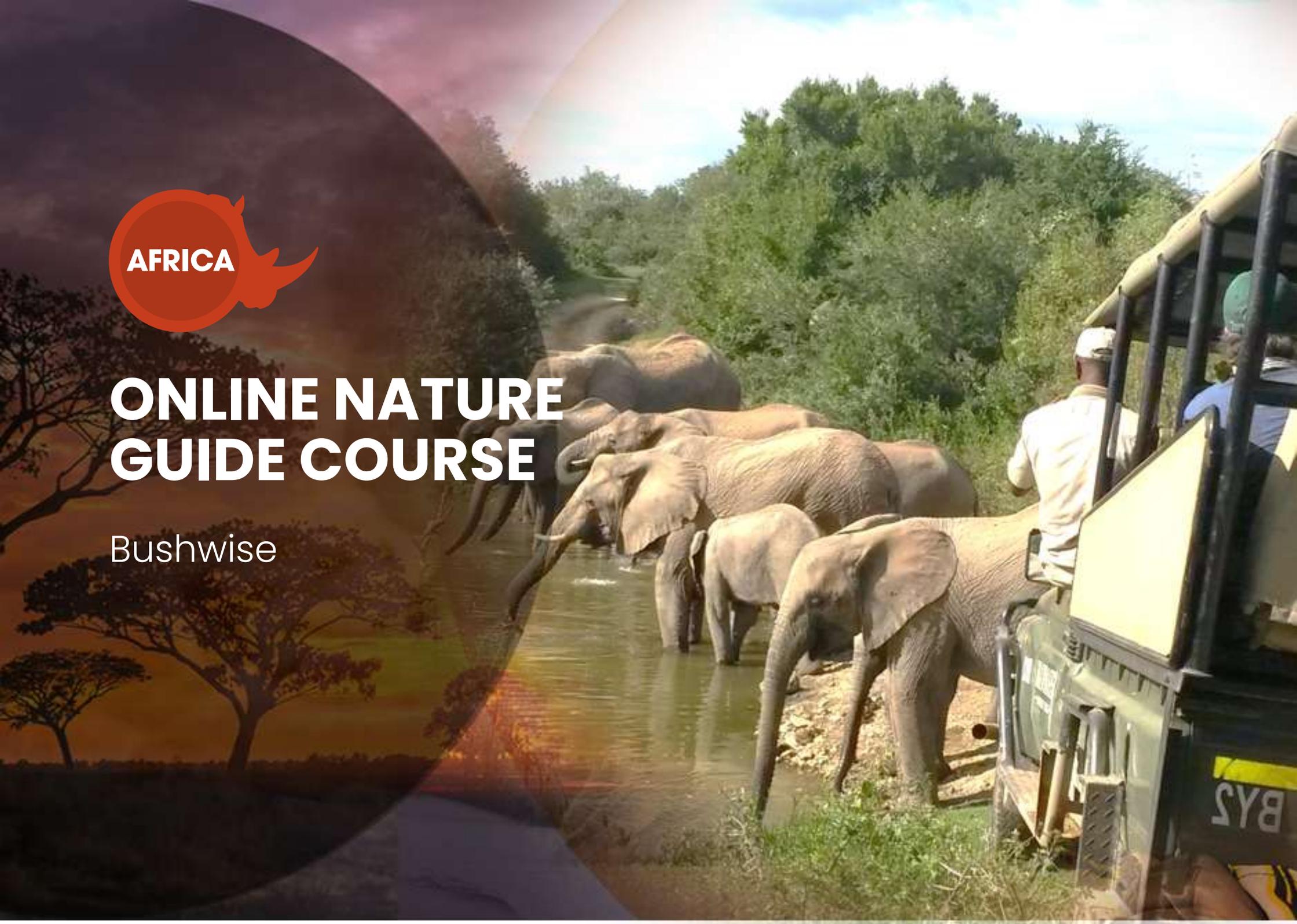
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**Weekend Trips
can be booked
and paid for in
advance or
locally at project**





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Exclusive Bushwise Nature Guide Course

Bushwise is a leading nature guide training provider, and we've partnered with them to offer an exclusive 6-week 'Explore Nature' online course – giving you a real-life insight into the training of a South African Nature Guide.

Connect with the South African bush before you even travel!



Modules include Introduction, Geology, Weather & climate, Astronomy, Ecology, Biomes, Taxonomy, Plants, Arthropods, Fish, Amphibians, Reptiles, Birds, Mammals, Ethology, Conservation management, Historical human habitation.

Your wildlife journey starts here! Build a strong foundation in field guiding, wildlife, and ecology, so that you're fully prepared for the hands-on experience in South Africa.

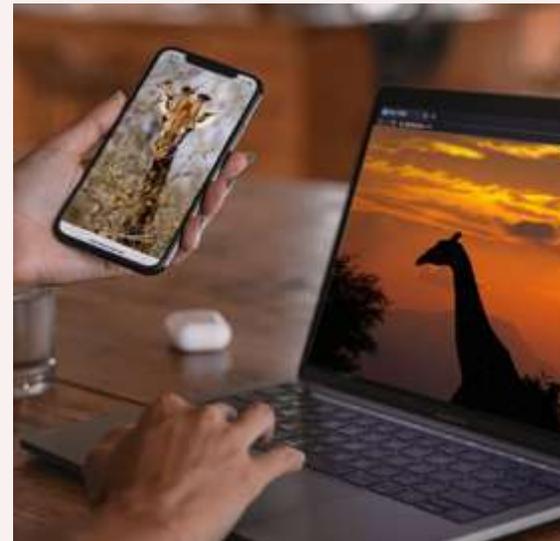
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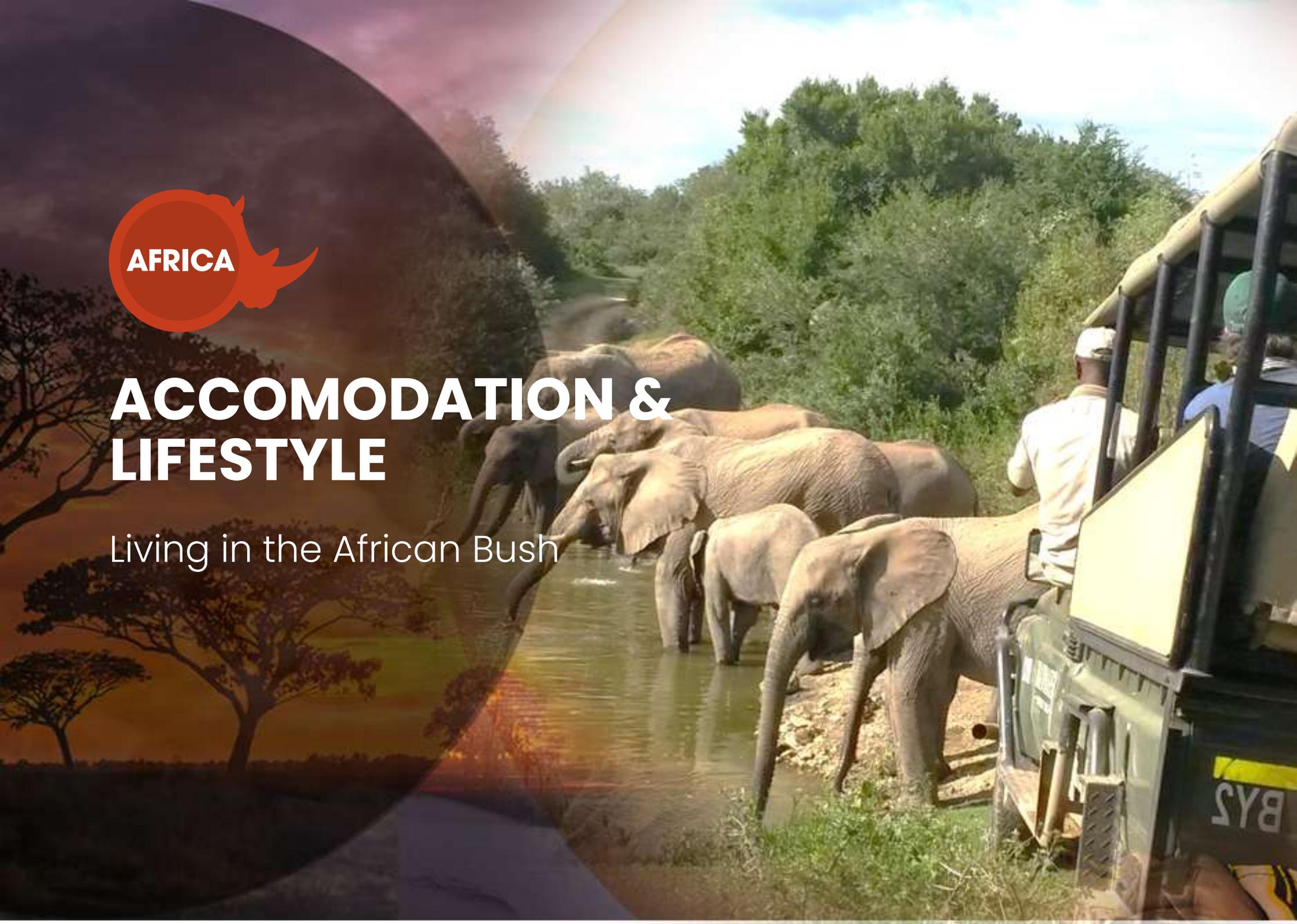
5 January 2026

30 March 2026

22 June 2026

14 September 2026





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Living in the African Bush

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Life on Reserve – Life long memories



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A true life experience



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WHY SHOULD I TRAVEL?

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What do previous travellers say about the Shamwari Conservation Expedition?



"It was the most **amazing** experience I've ever had."



"I learnt so many new things that have **educated** me **beyond** classroom curriculum."



"There wasn't a single experience that didn't **amaze** me and make me feel **enriched**."

Reference: GAP Africa Projects Post Project Trip Questionnaire 23/24

WHY SHOULD I TRAVEL?

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What do previous travellers say about the Shamwari Conservation Expedition?



“Being at Shamwari really developed my knowledge of animal behaviours.”

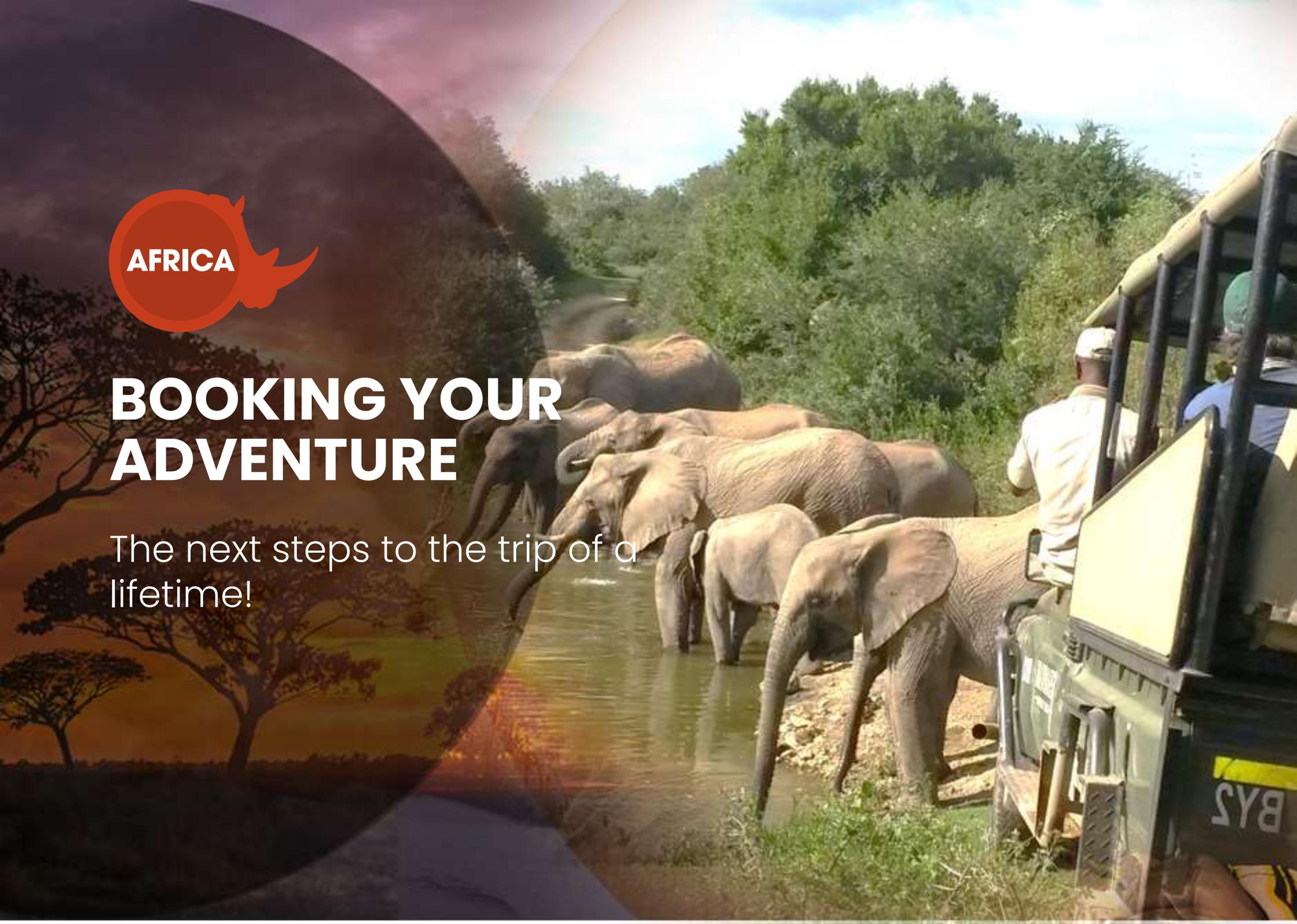


“Everything exceeded my expectations, and the trip was life-changing.”



“Our guide was amazing, we got the opportunity to take part in talks and demonstrations by APU.”

Reference: GAP Africa Projects Post Project Trip Questionnaire 23/24



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BOOKING YOUR ADVENTURE

The next steps to the trip of a
lifetime!

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Project dates & key deadlines

Confirmed travel dates:

Depart UK: 21 June 2026 | Arrive SA: 22 June 2026

Depart SA: 4 July 2026 | Arrive UK: 5 July 2026

Trip cost:

£2,795.00* Based on a group of 27 (confirmed once flights have been held)

Key deadlines are:

- Return online booking form by 26/09/2025
- Deposit payment, £300.00 by 31/10/2025
- 50% instalment payment of £1247.50 to be paid by 02/03/2026
- Balance payment of £1247.50 to be paid by 27/04/2026
- 08/06/2026 e-Tickets & final documents will be issued

WHAT'S INCLUDED

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What is included?

- Flights
- Transfers to/from project
- Accommodation
- Three meals per day
- All activities as part of the project
- Airport meet/greet
- 24/7 In country support



NOT Included

- Personal Travel Insurance *
- Meals on travel days – before arriving & after departing from project
- Any activities not specified as part of the project
- Weekend activities
- Visas/travel documents
- Tips

* We recommend that you take out personal travel insurance as soon as your booking is confirmed.

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Booking Form

- Please submit by 26/09/2025
- No deposit required at this stage of booking
- Passport fields not mandatory

Key deadlines are:

- Deposit of £300 to confirm placement
- Instalment payment of 50% due 16 weeks before departure
- Balance payment due 8 weeks before departure

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(NB: Your name should be given as displayed on your passport)

Title *

Name *

Date of birth *

Address *

Telephone *

Mobile *

Email 1 *

Email 2 *

(NB: Please note that all booking correspondence will be sent via Email)

Passport no.

Passport Issue Date

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Confirmation Documents

Confirmation documents will be issued and sent directly to you via email.

Please communicate with us with any questions relating to the field trip.



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10 Oct 2022
Ref: Z3-REA-LAL7-051

Dear Chloe,

Thank you for agreeing to book with Gap Africa Projects as part of the 6x hotel Chicago trip to Zulu and Conservation Research. Please take the time to look through this document and check that everything is correct.

We have received your deposit payment and your payment is now confirmed upon the details below. The final balance and due date is detailed on your invoice.

Please remember that you can contact me to discuss anything in this document as well as any other aspect of your reservation and I am on hand as your personal travel advisor for the entirety of your placement.

Warm regards,
The GAP Africa Team

Passengers Travelling
Miss Chloe
Placement(s)
Zulu Land Conservation Research (04/03/23 - 18/03/23)

Inclusions
Flights, shared road transfers to and from Project, accommodation for duration, all meals and all project activities.

Exclusions
Insurance: any activities undertaken that are not included as part of the project.

Your Flight(s)

Flight	Class	Time	From	To
04/12/2022	D	15:00	Manchester (MAN)	
04/12/2022	A	10:00	London Heathrow (LHR)	
05/03/2023	D	18:20	London Heathrow (LHR)	
04/03	A	07:25 + 1 D	Amsterdam (AMS)	
18/03/2023	D	08:15	Amsterdam (AMS)	
04/03	A	10:50 + 1 D	London Heathrow (LHR)	
18/03/2023	D	09:05	London Heathrow (LHR)	
04/12/2022	A	19:40	Manchester (MAN)	

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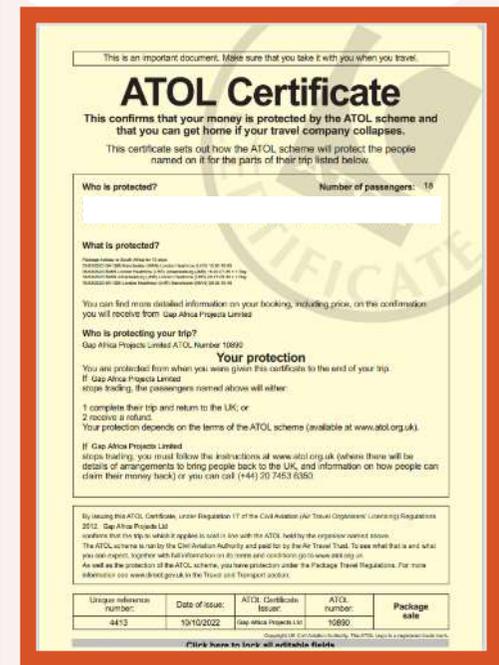
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18/03/2023	D	09:05	London Heathrow (LHR)		
04/12/2022	A	19:40	Manchester (MAN)		

Total cost of the arrangement as quoted above: £2,239.00

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This is an important document. Make sure that you take it with you when you travel.

ATOL Certificate

This confirms that your money is protected by the ATOL scheme and that you can get home if your travel company collapses.

This certificate sets out how the ATOL scheme will protect the people named on it for the parts of their trip listed below.

Who is protected? Number of passengers: 10

What is protected?

You can find more detailed information on your booking, including prices, on the confirmation you will receive from Gap Africa Projects Limited.

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You are protected from when you were given this certificate to the end of your trip.
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Unique reference number	Date of issue	ATOL Certificate issuer	ATOL number	Package sale
4413	19/10/2022	Gap Africa Projects Ltd	106890	

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Group Web Page

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Booking Form

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BOOKING FORM

Your Global Adventure Starts here!

Please use the form below to submit your provisional booking to your selected project. You have the option to pay your initial deposit with the submission of your booking form, or we will contact you for payment once your project placement has been secured.

If you'd like to contact us to ask any initial questions or find out more about what project you'd like to go on and when, you can get also get in touch using our short enquiry form, or by calling +44 (0) 207 193 7819.

(NB: Your name should be given as displayed on your passport)

Title *

Name *

Date of birth *

Address *

Sustainability & Social, Economic Responsibility

Local employment from rural communities – our project partners employ a high percentage of staff from local communities. They advocate training to advance careers in hospitality, wildlife and conservation.

Low environmental impact camps – our project bush camps are built with minimal impact on the environment. Resources from the surrounding area are utilised for buildings, water is (where possible) pumped from local river sources and green energy supplies, such as solar are championed.

Community donations and support – we encourage all our international study groups to be proactive in donation collections and arrange for excess baggage for said donations to be taken out to South Africa in support of the local communities.

Move Africa, supporting young females – 3 in 10 girls in South Africa miss a week of school every month because they cannot afford basic sanitary products. Our project partners work with Move Africa alongside their partner NGOs, to distribute menstrual cups to the local communities and provide education workshops.

Rhino Art – Project rhino realises the enormous responsibility the youth have to ensure our wildlife is protected for many generations to come. They ensure they can reach and educate as many kids as possible through Rhino Art, using art workshops to teach about conservation. This initiative is supported by our local project partners.

Food/crop education – our project partners encourage food and crop education to rural communities, where cost of living to low income families and distance travelled to obtain basic resources can prove problematic. Projects include community allotments and providing education on best practice for crop rotations, harvest seasons and nutrition.

Recycling workshops – Litter, and in particular plastics, is a major issue and threat to the ecosystem in Southern Africa. Rural communities have limited waste removal available and it is therefore a problem escalating at an alarming rate. Recycling workshops are provided through local schools to help educate children on the importance of correctly disposing of litter and recycling plastics.



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