



MIKUMI SELOUS RUAHA SAFARI

6 Days 5 Nights Mikumi Selous, Ruaha Safari

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DURATION	TRIP STYLE	KEY DESTINATIONS	BEST FOR
6 Days 5 Nights	/ Private southern Tanzania safes combining Mikumi, Selous / Nyerere and Ruaha.	Mikumi National Park, Selous Game Reserve, Nyerere National Park, Ruaha National Park, Dar es Salaam	Wildlife lovers, photographers, couples, small groups A varied southern safari route.

Overview

The 6 Days Mikumi Selous Ruaha Safari offers a thrilling southern Tanzania, starting and ending in Dar es Salaam. It covers the diverse landscapes of Mikumi National Park, the Selous Game Reserve, and Ruaha National Park. Each destination features unique wildlife and a chance to encounter elephants, lions, and many bird species. Whether you're seeking a varied experience, but it is essential to note that for those desiring a more relaxed pace, we recommend adding more days for greater comfort. Join us on this unforgettable journey to the heart of Tanzania.

Highlights

- 6 days and 5 nights safari in Ruaha National Park wilderness Selous / Nyerere and Ruaha scenery and predator country
- Private safari vehicle with a professional guide and elephants, lions, English-speaking guide buffalo, zebras, antelopes, hippos and many bird species
- Mikumi National Park open plains and accessible wildlife viewing is a strong route for travellers who want to explore southern Tanzania
- Selous / Nyerere river landscapes and boat safari where available
- Starts and ends in Dar es Salaam

Inclusions & Exclusions

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• Private safari transport from Dar es Salaam and back • Professional English-speaking safari guide • Accommodation for 5 nights based on selected category • Meals as listed in the itinerary • Park entry fees for Mikumi, Selous / Nyerere and Ruaha • Game drives as listed in the itinerary • Boat safari where included and available • Bottled drinking water during safari activities • Government taxes related to the safari package	• Domestic flights unless added • Travel insurance • Tips for guide, driver, range staff • Alcoholic drinks and soft drinks • Personal expenses such as laundry and phone calls • Extra activities not listed • Accommodation in Dar es Salaam after the safari

Itinerary

	Dar es Salaam to Mikumi National Park
Day 1	Meals: Lunch, Dinner Accommodation: Lodge or National Park

Experience a morning pickup from your Dar es Salaam hotel scenic drive to Mikumi, enjoy a lunch stop en route. Depe afternoon game drive on the beautiful Mkata plains. Overn Mikumi.

ACCOMMODATION	ACCOMMODATION
Lodge or tented camp near Mikumi National Park	

Day 2

Full Day Game Drive in Mikumi National Park

Meals: Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Lodge or National Park

Today is dedicated to a full-day game drive in Mikumi National Park seeking wildlife, including elephants, giraffes, buffalo, variety of birds. Overnight at a lodge or tented camp near Mikumi National Park.

ACCOMMODATION	ACCOMMODATION
Lodge or tented camp near Mikumi National Park	

Day 3

Mikumi to Selous Game Reserve / Nyerere National Park

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Selous / Nyerere

After breakfast, journey from Mikumi to the Selous Game Reserve. Upon arrival, check in at a lodge or tented camp near the reserve. In the afternoon, enjoy a boat safari or a relaxed evening. Overnight in Nyerere.

ACCOMMODATION	ACCOMMODATION
Lodge or tented camp near Selous / Nyerere	

Day 4

Selous / Nyerere Safari Activity

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Selous / Nyerere

Engage in a full day of safari activities in Selous / Nyerere National Park. Enjoy a boat safari where available. Explore river scenery, wetlands, elephants, buffalo, giraffes, hippos, crocodiles, antelope. Overnight at a tented camp near Selous / Nyerere.

ACCOMMODATION

Lodge or tented camp near Selous / Nyerere

ACCOMMODATION

Selous / Nyerere to Ruaha National

Day 5

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation
Ruaha National Park

After breakfast, depart from Selous / Nyerere and travel for a longer transfer across southern Tanzania. Arrive near evening at your accommodation. Overnight at a lodge or tented camp near Ruaha National Park.

ACCOMMODATION

Lodge or tented camp near Ruaha National Park

ACCOMMODATION

Ruaha Safari Activity and Return to Dar es Salaam

Day 6

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Start with an early game drive in Ruaha, if timing allows and seek out elephants, giraffes, buffalo, antelopes, lion activity, return to Dar es Salaam for drop-off at your hotel. Overnight in Ruaha is recommended for a slower pace.

FAQs

Is this safari private?

Yes, this safari is a private experience designed for your group.

Which parks are included?

The safari includes Mikumi National Park, Selous Game Reserve / Ngorongoro Conservation Area, and Serengeti National Park.

Is this route suitable for a short southern Tanzania safari?

Yes, this route is ideal for those looking for a condensed adventure.

Can I add extra nights or flights?

Absolutely! We can customize your itinerary with extra nights and flights.

What animals can I see?

You may encounter elephants, lions, giraffes, buffalo, zebras, and numerous bird species.
