

Southern Africa Explorer: Cape to Falls



trip highlights

Discover Augrabies Falls National Park

Encounter wildlife on game drives in the Kgalagadi Transfrontier Park

Journey to the spectacular Fish River Canyon

Walk among the giant dunes of Sossusvlei in the Namib Desert

Experience the Okavango Delta by traditional canoe (mokoro)

Sunset game viewing cruise on the Chobe River

Camp along the lush Okavango River

Marvel at the spectacular Victoria Falls

Game drives in Etosha National Park and Chobe National Park

Explore Cape Town and the Cape of Good Hope



Trip Duration	20 days	Trip Code: SCA
Grade	Adventure touring	
Activities	Wildlife Safari	
Summary	15 nights camping, 4 nights hotel	

welcome to World Expeditions

For over 50 years, we've been creating high-quality, expedition-style adventures for active travellers with a curious spirit. From our very first trek in the mountains of Nepal to pioneering remote routes across all seven continents, our journeys are built for those who want to truly explore – not just visit.

At the heart of what we do is a simple philosophy: take the paths less travelled.

This means travelling with care, supporting local communities, minimising our impact, and unlocking experiences that most travellers will never have.

If you're ready to go further and dig deeper, we invite you to join us on the Southern Africa Explorer: Cape to Falls, a journey that captures the essence of a unique adventure.

why travel with World Expeditions?

When planning travel to remote and challenging destinations, many factors need to be considered. Our extra attention to detail and seamless operations on the ground ensure that you will have a memorable experience in Africa. We and our local partners take every precaution to ensure smooth logistics. Most importantly, our adventures have always sought to benefit the local peoples we interact with, safeguard the ecosystems we explore and contribute to the sustainability of travel in the regions we experience. You will be accompanied by a guide whose knowledge and passion for wilderness and wildlife will add a unique dimension to your trip. Their experience and enthusiasm ensures that we maintain the leading edge in adventure travel and therefore providing excellent value for money. Itineraries are well planned and include numerous visits to national parks. Most meals and excursions are included in the tour price. This itinerary offers the best value-for-money in southern Africa. Given our local knowledge, experience and excellent leadership, we are quite sure that this tour will be a trip of a lifetime and a fantastic adventure.



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World Expeditions will endeavour to arrange for single travellers to share accommodation with another participant of the same gender, however if we cannot match you up a single supplement will be applicable. If you prefer not to share, a single supplement is payable to guarantee your own room. Please refer to our website for the additional cost.

the trip

The countries that lie at the southern end of the African continent evoke a strong spirit of the wild. From the seemingly empty and endless dunes of the Namibian desert, to the teeming animal life of the Okavango River, this itinerary traverses the greatest parks, reserves and landscapes that Africa's south has to offer. From Cape Town we head north towards the arid wilderness of Namibia. We marvel at the enormity of the Fish River Canyon, explore the boundless Namib Desert and search for desert elephants in Etosha National Park. In Botswana we enjoy some of Africa's greatest wildlife experiences along the Okavango and Chobe Rivers. The magnificent Victoria Falls provides a backdrop to a multitude of adventurous options and is the end point of this fabulous journey through southern Africa.

at a glance

DAY 1	CAPE TOWN
DAY 2	CAPE TOWN PENINSULA TOUR
DAY 3	NAMAQUALAND (APPROX 360 KMS/5 HRS DRIVE)
DAY 4	AUGRABIES FALLS NATIONAL PARK (APPROX 600 KMS/8 HRS DRIVE)
DAYS 5-6	KGALAGADI TRANSFRONTIER PARK (APPROX 360 KMS/5 HRS DRIVE)
DAY 7	FISH RIVER CANYON (APPROX 470 KMS/6 HRS DRIVE)
DAYS 8-9	SESRIEM AND SOSSUSVLEI (APPROX 520 KMS/8 HRS DRIVE)
DAY 10	TO SWAKOPMUND (APPROX 380 KMS/6 HRS DRIVE)
DAY 11	SPITZKOPPE (APPROX 150 KMS - 125 KMS TARMAC & 25 KMS GRAVEL/2 HRS DRIVE)
DAYS 12-13	ETOSHA NATIONAL PARK (APPROX 530 KMS/9 HRS DRIVE)
DAY 14	KAVANGO RIVER - RUNDU (APPROX 420 KMS/6 HRS DRIVE)
DAYS 15-16	OKAVANGO DELTA (APPROX 300 KMS/5 HRS DRIVE)
DAYS 17-18	CHOBE RIVER (APPROX 300 KMS/5 HRS DRIVE)
DAY 19	VICTORIA FALLS (APPROX 90 KMS/3 HRS DRIVE)
DAY 20	VICTORIA FALLS, TRIP CONCLUDES

additional deposits required

In addition to the normal World Expeditions per person deposit, this trip requires the prepayment of a 20% deposit of the value of the tour being booked. This deposit is non-refundable and is a campsite deposit. We recommend you take out travel insurance at the time of booking. Please note high season and shoulder season supplements apply to this trip.

what's included

- 19 breakfasts, 1 lunch, 15 dinners
- English speaking local guide and 2 camp assistants/cooks
- All camping gear (including sleeping bag & pillow) spacious 2 person safari tents, camp bed and comfortable safari folding chair
- Group camping equipment, reference library and first aid box
- Game drives and boat cruise per itinerary
- Private vehicle transport in custom built vehicles designed for African conditions, with fridge, forward-facing high back seats and ample storage
- Arrival and departure transfers are included in Cape Town and Victoria Falls on Days 1 & 20. (NB - Victoria Falls Airport Zimbabwe (VFA) only; and NOT Livingstone Airport Zambia).

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trip dates

2026 29 Aug - 17 Sep **H,LP**
10 Oct - 29 Oct **H,LP**
14 Dec - 02 Jan **H,LP**

2027 13 Feb - 04 Mar
03 Apr - 22 Apr
15 May - 03 Jun
03 Jul - 22 Jul **H**
18 Sep - 07 Oct **H**
06 Nov - 25 Nov **H**

important notes

H - High Season

LP - Local payment of ZAR4200 is payable in addition to trip cost for all dates.

Note: - There is also a reverse itinerary starting in Victoria Falls

Note: - For a shorter version of this trip refer to Namibia to Victoria Falls Explorer

fast facts

Countries Visited:

South Africa, Botswana, Namibia, Zimbabwe

Visas:
Yes*

Vaccinations:

Please consult a travel vaccination specialist for up to date information

Private Groups:

Private group options are available for this trip*

Singles:

Single travellers who are unable to be matched with another single traveller of the same gender, must pay a single supplement on this trip.

Leader:

Expert local leader

Advice for people with limited mobility

This trip is not suitable for people with limited mobility.

*Ask our staff for more information

Local cash payments are becoming increasingly popular with many operators in the adventure travel industry. World Expeditions goes to great lengths to avoid such payments where possible and as such only a handful of our trips are affected by this practice in Africa. When it is not possible to avoid such payments, be assured that we have thoroughly investigated the reasons for the payments to ensure we continue to uphold our responsible travel practices. We also ensure that where these payments arise, that their amount is kept to a minimum and any cash is handed over at the commencement of the trip to reduce any risk to our travellers associated with carrying cash. If you have any questions or concerns, please do contact us.

what's not included

- International flights and airport taxes
- Optional activities where indicated in the itinerary
- Lunch and dinner where not indicated on the itinerary
- Entrance into Victoria Falls National Park
- Bottled water, aerated and alcoholic drinks
- Items of a personal nature such as laundry, phone calls, souvenirs etc
- Visas
- Tips
- Travel Insurance
- Local payment of 4200 South African Rand payable to tour leader on day 1

detailed itinerary

DAY 1 Cape Town

The tour starts on Day 1 with a pre departure meeting at 18:00 in the lobby of the hotel. Set against the majestic Table Mountain, recently selected as one of the New 7 Natural Wonders of the world, Cape Town offers scenic, historic and cultural attractions. Dinner can be enjoyed at the bustling Waterfront at your own expense. Overnight Breakwater Lodge (or similar accommodation).

meals: NIL

DAY 2 Cape Town peninsula tour

This morning we leave our hotel at 08h00, for a full day peninsula tour. Driving along the Atlantic seaboard via Hout Bay and Chapman's Peak, we visit the Table Mountain National Park – Cape Point, returning along the Indian Ocean coastline back to our well-situated Waterfront hotel. A morning or afternoon cable car ascent up Table Mountain is option as well (at your own expense). Dinner can be enjoyed at the bustling Waterfront at your own expense. Overnight Breakwater Lodge (or similar accommodation).

meals: B

DAY 3 Namaqualand (approx 360 kms/5 hrs drive)

After breakfast we depart Cape Town travelling north and pass through the picturesque Namaqualand region. We overnight at the foot of the Van Ryns Pass. During the months of August – October the landscape is transformed into an explosion of colour due to the numerous wild flowers of the region.

meals: B,D

DAY 4 Augrabies Falls National Park (approx 600 kms/8 hrs drive)

Leaving the Little Karoo we head north to the Augrabies Falls National Park. We pass through a lush oasis area with an abundance of wine farms. Here the mighty Orange

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thoughtful travel

Our World Expeditions adventures are grounded in a deep commitment to regenerative travel, going beyond minimising harm to actively restoring and enriching the places we visit. We partner closely with local communities, ensuring that our trips support cultural preservation, fair livelihoods, and community-led initiatives. Each expedition is designed to protect and regenerate natural ecosystems through low-impact practices, climate action, and education that fosters respect for biodiversity. We prioritise meaningful connections between travellers and place, encouraging a sense of stewardship that lasts well beyond the journey. By embedding sustainability into every layer of our operations, we aim not only to explore the world responsibly but also to leave it healthier, more resilient, and more vibrant for future generations.

trip grading Adventure touring

Although there is no commitment to extended walking on this journey we nonetheless want to keep the 'accent on the active'. We therefore advise that any physical training you complete before undertaking the trip will be to good effect. Although our day walks are optional there is no shortage of advantages of packing as much into your time in Southern Africa as possible. Whether this includes climbing the sandunes in Namibia or taking part in the adventure activities at Victoria Falls, the fitter you are the more this will enhance your experience. Active participation in camp set up and some chores are encouraged for this trip.

River plummets 56m into the gorge below. The local name for these majestic falls is 'Aukoerebis' or 'place of great noise'. We spend the afternoon enjoying the falls from its many viewpoints.

meals: B,D

DAYS 5-6 Kgalagadi Transfrontier Park (approx 360 kms/5 hrs drive)

We head north into the Kalahari and the magnificent Kgalagadi Transfrontier Park. Covering over 3.6 million hectares this is one of the largest reserves in Africa. Due to sparse vegetation in the area excellent predator sightings are common including that of the famous black mane Lion. Afternoon of arrival we partake in a 2 hour walk where you are accompanied by a qualified field guide and possibly our family of meerkats. You will learn about the geology of the area as well as the animals and plants of the Kalahari dunes. The tour begins approximately 2-3 hours before sunset. An introduction to the dune life from the insects to the large mammals, including the tracks of many that are rarely seen because they are not active during the daytime. The guide will interpret the tracks of those that have been active during the night. This popular tour will open the visitor's eyes to the amazing variety of creatures that call the seemingly "barren" dunes their home.

On Day 6 we enter the park for a full day game drive in our truck vehicle.

meals: B,D

DAY 7 Fish River Canyon (approx 470 kms/6 hrs drive)

Leaving the Kalahari region we head west and enter Namibia. After setting up camp enjoy a walk along the rim of the canyon and watch the changing colours of sunset over the canyon. Second only to the Grand Canyon in size, Fish River Canyon is a truly awe-inspiring work of nature.

meals: B,D

DAYS 8-9 Sesriem and Sossusvlei (approx 520 kms/8 hrs drive)

Our journey takes us north through ever changing scenery to our camp located on the edge of the Namib Desert. The following morning is an early departure for Sossusvlei, stopping in the dune belt to witness the changing colours of the world's highest sand dunes. We undertake a 5km walk to Sossusvlei and Deadvlei - starkly beautiful in a harsh environment. In the afternoon we enjoy a short hike through the Sesriem Canyon.

SOSSUS OASIS CAMPSITE

Address: NAMIB NAUKLUFT NATIONAL PARK, SOSSUSVLEI, NAMIBIA.

Phone: 021 930 4564

meals: B,D

DAY 10 To Swakopmund (approx 380 kms/6 hrs drive)

Heading north we reach the coast at Walvis Bay and enjoy lunch while viewing the many flamingos feeding. We arrive in Swakopmund and spend the afternoon and following morning exploring this German colonial town or booking one of the numerous optional excursions (at own risk and own expense). Accommodation in a Guesthouse.

DUNEDIN STAR GUEST HOUSE

Address: 54 DANIEL Tjongarero Street, Swakopmund, Namibia

Phone: (264) 64 407 105

meals: B

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adventure travel

By its very nature adventure travel involves an element of the unexpected. In remote and developing countries do not expect standards you are used to at home. Remote areas are sometimes unpredictable and itineraries may be altered. To get the most out of your adventure it is important that you are flexible, positive and eager to take on all the challenges that arise. If you are uncertain about your suitability for this trip we recommend that you speak with your consultant or travel agent.

important note

These trip notes represent the most current information for this itinerary, and may supersede any information on our website, including but not limited to the itinerary and price. The itinerary should be seen as a guide only. This itinerary may change at any time due to inclement weather, forces of nature and other circumstances beyond our control.

DAY 11 Spitzkoppe (approx 150 kms - 125 kms tarmac & 25 kms gravel/2 hrs drive)

Leaving Swakopmund after lunch we set up camp among the boulders of the Spitzkoppe Mountains. The afternoon is free to explore the stunning surrounding area on foot. The spectacular setting of our remote bushcamp is sure to leave a lasting impression.

SPITZKOPPE BUSH CAMP

Address: SPITZKOPPE RIVER VALLEY, DAMARALAND, NAMIBIA.

Phone: (264) 81 143 5048

meals: B,D

DAYS 12-13 Etosha National Park (approx 530 kms/9 hrs drive)

We enter Etosha and travel through the park to Okakeujo Restcamp. Etosha National Park is one of the most important reserves and game sanctuaries in Africa with thousands of wild animals such as blue wildebeest, springbok, zebra, kudu, giraffe, cheetah, leopard, lion and elephant making this area their home. Floodlit waterholes at Okakeujo and Namutoni campsite attracts an abundance of animals throughout the evening, providing us with many amazing wildlife sightings. We enjoy early morning and late afternoon game drives, relaxing in the middle of the day when wildlife is least active (approx 150 kms drive/12 hrs including lunch). Overnight: Trading Post Campsite and Namutoni Restcamp inside Etosha.

ETOSHA TRADING POST CAMPSITE

Address: C38, 6.5KM BEFORE OKAUKEJO GATE, ETOSHA, ON THE C38 NAMIBIA.

Phone: (264) 67 312 552

NAMUTONI CAMP

Address: NAMIBIA WILDLIFE RESORT, ETOSHA, NAMIBIA.

Phone: (264) 81 1800016

meals: B,D

DAY 14 Kavango River - Rundu (approx 420 kms/6 hrs drive)

After a morning game drive we exit Etosha and travel to Rundu on the banks of the Kavango River. Our camp is set amongst the lush vegetation overlooking the Kavango River.

NKWAZI RIVER LODGE

Address: KAVANGO REGION, RUNDU BEACH ROAD, NAMIBIA.

Phone: (264) 81 849 9617

meals: B,D

DAYS 15-16 Okavango Delta (approx 300 kms/5 hrs drive)

Continuing into the Caprivi we cross into Botswana and travel by road to our campsite on the edge of the Okavango Delta. The following day we do mokoro and boat excursions in the back channels of the Nxamasire area of the Delta. Game walks are also done on the smaller islands in the area subject to water levels of the delta.

meals: B,D

DAYS 17-18 Chobe River (approx 300 kms/5 hrs drive)

Continuing through the Caprivi we cross into Botswana and travel through the Chobe National Park, and set up camp on the banks of the Chobe River. Chobe National Park is famous for its beautiful scenery, magnificent sunsets, abundance of wildlife and myriad of birdlife. The following day start the day with a morning game drive and

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in the evening we relax on a game viewing cruise on the Chobe River where we have opportunity to get close to riverine creatures such as crocodiles and hippos. A morning game drive in Chobe National Park is optional (own expense).

meals: B,D

DAY 19 Victoria Falls (approx 90 kms/3 hrs drive)

Today we travel across the border into Zimbabwe to view Victoria Falls or “Mosi-oa-Tunya” (Smoke that Thunders), one of the most enthralling sights in Africa. The afternoon and following morning is at leisure to explore the Falls or take part in some of the many optional activities on offer in the adrenalin capital of Africa. Free to browse the local markets, simply relax, visit the Falls another time or to experience some of the many optional activities including white water rafting, bungi jumping, microlighting/ airplane or helicopter flights over the Falls (all at own expense). Overnight Sprayview Lodge (or similar).

meals: B

DAY 20 Victoria Falls, trip concludes

Our tour ends today after breakfast.

meals: B

This itinerary is subject to change with any change in Community regulations as well as Governmental changes and natural circumstances beyond our control.

country information

South Africa

South Africa is a huge and diverse nation covering the entire Southern Tip of the African continent. The Rainbow Nation is home to an incredible diversity of peoples who are working on forging a new future a decade after the fall of the Apartheid regime. The land is as diverse as the people, from the postcard perfection of Cape Town and the Table Mountain to the rugged splendour of the Orange River and the teeming metropolis of Johannesburg.

Namibia

On the South West Africa Coast, sandwiched between the Kalahari Desert and the wild South Atlantic, Namibia has deserts, and dunes as well as coasts and canyons. Formerly a colony of Germany an later a colony of South Africa, the now independent Namibia is rich in natural resources and enjoys modern infrastructure and diverse traditional cultures.

Botswana

Botswana in the centre of Southern Africa, is almost 582,000 sq. kms in area and is largely arid and semi arid, plains, pans and deserts. The Okavango Delta, is a rich and diverse habitat where the Okavango River drains into the sands of the Kalahari Desert. Formerly known as Bechuanaland, the former British protectorate gained independence in 1966. Shortly after independence, the discovery of 3 of the worlds richest diamond deposits helped in economic development of this stable and democratic African nation. Botswana is considered an African success story, with strong democratic institutions, little corruption, freedom of speech and sustained economic growth. With a population of more than 1.5 million, including many different tribal groups, the majority of people are Tswana, while other groups include the Herero, Mbukushu, Yei, San, Kalanga and Kgalagadi.

Zimbabwe

Zimbabwe is in south-central Africa, between the Limpopo and the mighty Zambezi Rivers (home of the famous Victoria Falls). It is a landlocked country that boasts varied landscapes; from granite hills, green and fertile plains, high moorlands and craggy, forest-topped mountains to rolling savannah. Zimbabwe has three languages: Shona, Ndebele and English and approx. 70% of the

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population speaks Shona as their first language. Sport is an important part of Zimbabwe culture; football (soccer) is by far the most popular sport.

climate

Southern Africa experiences a generally dry climate. There is a summer rainy season from November to March. The dry season from April to October includes the winter, when rain is rare and the nights can be very cold. Days are usually clear, warm and sunny and nights can get frosty in June and July.

a typical day

This trip involves some long driving days which will require early starts. Roads can be dusty and bumpy however we travel in custom built expedition vehicles which make our journeys as comfortable as possible.

dietary requirements

Provided we are advised in advance of your departure we are able to cater for vegetarian diets and can assist with medically recommended diets (allergies and intolerances). Please ensure you discuss your requirements with us well in advance (at least 1 month prior to your trip) to determine whether we can cater to such dietary requirements on your chosen adventure. Please note that options are likely to be limited in very remote locations or alternatives may be more expensive or unavailable. There may be times when those with special requirements may need to provide their own food. We are unable to guarantee a peanut-free or allergen-free trip, and therefore, we strongly encourage that travellers with life-threatening or severe allergies take all necessary medical precautions to prepare for the possibility of exposure. Passengers must travel with all necessary medications for food allergies and be capable of self-administering these medications.

accommodation on the trip



We enjoy fully serviced camping on this trip, which means all camping gear (including sleeping bag & pillow), spacious 2 person safari tents, camp bed, mattress and comfortable safari folding chairs are all provided. We also enjoy the attention of two camp assistants/cooks who set everything up for us, in addition to our English-speaking guide.

Note that a single supplement is compulsory for this trip if you are travelling alone. If you prefer to share, please advise us at time of booking and we will try to match you with another person of the same gender and also willing to share. This is rarely possible but if a match does happen we will be able to refund the single supplement approx 4 weeks prior to departure.

what you carry

In your daypack you will need to carry extra warm clothing (it can be very cold on early morning activities), a rainjacket, water bottle, camera gear, valuables and personal items such as sunscreen, lip balm etc.

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equipment required

Specialist gear required include walking boots or shoes and a day pack (a comprehensive gear list is provided in the pre-departure information provided on booking).

special visa requirements

Namibia Border Crossing Information. During this itinerary you will cross via:

Entry: Klein Menasse Border Post | Day 7

Exit: Moheumbo Border Post | Day 15

Second Border Crossing:

Entry: Moheumbo Border Post | Day 17

Exit: Ngoma Bridge Border | Day 17

Address for Accommodation for Day 7: Gondwana Canon Roadhouse. Address: Farm 107, Karas, Namibia. Phone: (264) 81 129 2424

This information may be required when completing visa applications.

non exclusive trips

Please note that this trip is not exclusive to World Expeditions clients and is operated by our partners in Southern Africa. Groups are pleasantly informal, usually comprising a wide range of nationalities and are aimed at healthy, active participants looking for an adventurous holiday. Participants are not required to assist the crew with any camp chores. Three crew accompany every tour with the guide and assistants/ cooks taking care of all meals. The groups of maximum 16 (minimum 4) travel in custom built expedition vehicles.

wildlife

The wilderness areas of Africa are populated by large numbers of wild and potentially dangerous animals. The trip aims to view these animals in their natural habitat, uncontrolled by fences. Your experienced guides will make every effort to ensure the safety of the group at all times. Please be aware that all safari travel, including vehicle safaris in the proximity of wild animals is never entirely without risk. By travelling into wild areas in search of wild animals, all participants accept that they are choosing an adventure that includes an element of risk and this is an inherent aspect of the enjoyment of this style of travel.

chobe national park

Chobe National Park, in Botswana's northwest, was the country's first official national park. Its original inhabitants were the San bushmen, a nomadic people who moved constantly in search of food. Original San paintings can still be found inside rocky hills of the park. The park is best known for its number of Kalahari elephants, over 50,000, which is Africa's largest concentration. Lion, hyena, antelope, wildebeest, warthog, hippopotamus and zebras are also commonly visible. The area's bird life is also prolific with more than 450 species recorded in the park.

okavango delta

The Okavango Delta is the world's largest inland Delta. Today, the Okavango River has no outlet to the sea but instead empties onto the sands of the Kalahari Desert. The Okavango is home to an abundance of wildlife and attracts thousands of visitors each year. Elephants, buffalo, hippopotamus, wildebeest, giraffe, lion, cheetah, and leopard can all be found here. The park is also home to hyena, kudu, antelope, and both black and white rhinoceroses. The delta also includes over 400 species of birds, including the African Fish Eagle, the Crested Crane, the Lilac-breasted Roller, and the Sacred Ibis.

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vehicles & safety

During the course of your trip, we will use a variety of vehicles, all of which are fit for purpose and the conditions encountered. It should be noted that laws governing transportation safety may differ from those in your home country and whilst wherever possible, vehicles with seatbelts are provided, on occasion some vehicles may not have seat belts fitted.

visas

South Africa

Visas for South Africa are exempt for a stay of less than 90 days for passport holders from the following countries:-

Australia, Canada, United States, United Kingdom, New Zealand

*All other nationalities should check with your nearest embassy or consulate.

New Requirement SARS Online Traveller Declaration: The South African Revenue Service (SARS) has introduced a mandatory Online Traveller Declaration for international travellers entering and leaving South Africa. Travellers must complete the online declaration within 24 hours before departure to South Africa. For those travelling on connecting flights, the declaration should be completed within 24 hours before the final flight to South Africa.

After submission: Travellers will receive an electronic confirmation by email, which should be kept on their mobile device or printed and available on arrival if requested by Customs officials.

The Online Traveller Declaration can be completed here: <https://www.sars.gov.za/travellerdeclaration/>

Namibia

A visa is now required for most nationalities. Please ensure you get this beforehand as it is not possible to get at most border posts. You will need to apply for a Visa On Arrival (VOA) Online Application - NOT a Holiday visa. This automatically gives you a multiple entry visa, and valid for 90 days from the date of issue. Fees apply. Below is the link for the online VOA applications: <https://eservices.mhaiss.gov.na/visaonarrival>

The VOA Online Application must be completed electronically before arrival into Namibia. The visa costs NAD 1,600 (approximately USD90) for citizens from non-African countries (fees are subject to an annual review).

To apply for the visa you will require the below documentation:

For Visa on Arrival (VOA) Online applications: A valid passport with 6 months validity and 3 blank pages. Accurately completed Online Visa Application Form. Approved and printed E-visa Permit.

Travellers arriving in Namibia with Visa on Arrival online approval must ensure that they are prepared to present CONFIRMATION of any visa requirements as per online application completed, upon entry if requested by Immigration.

Regulations are in place for people travelling with children to/from Namibia. Anyone who is a minor (less than 18 years) must produce a certified copy of their unabridged (original) birth certificate in addition to a valid passport.

If the child is not travelling with both parents named on their birth certificate a statutory declaration or affidavit must be given by the parent/s or legal guardian/s who are not accompanying the child, declaring that they give consent for the accompanying adult/s or legal guardian/s to travel with the child. This should be done and signed before a Justice of Peace. Other additional documents may also be required; for example – death certificate (if one parent is deceased); copies of their parents'/legal guardians' passports or identity documents; contact details of the minor's parents/legal guardians. If the new requirements are not met, then boarding can be denied by any airline flying to/from Namibia, or travellers may be turned back at the border. If this applies to you, please make enquiries with your respective Namibia consulate/

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mission to confirm, as the conditions frequently change. We can assist with contact details of the relevant authorities if required.

In-person Visa on Arrival applications require: A valid passport with 6 months validity and 3 blank pages. Completed Visa on Arrival Application Form. Invitation letter (if required, note not needed for tourism purposes). Confirmation of accommodation and travel bookings/plans. Confirmation of Medical/Travel Insurance. Full birth certificate and parental consent letter if travelling with children.

Follow these steps to apply online for your visa:

1: Open the MHAISS website: <https://eservices.mhaiss.gov.na>

2: Choose Visa on Arrival, register and select country of origin

3: Complete ALL the required details

4: If accepted proceed and Submit Payment

5: Print your E-Visa Permit for presentation in Namibia

6: Complete the New Namibia Arrival Form (to be signed at the Immigration counter in presence of official).

Botswana

Visas for Botswana are exempt for passport holders from the following countries:-

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New Zealand

Canada

United States

United Kingdom

All other nationalities should check with your nearest embassy or consulate.

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Zimbabwe

You will need to complete an Online Declaration before arrival into Zimbabwe: <https://evisa.gov.zw/app/index.html#/home>

Visas are required for Zimbabwe for all the following nationalities and can be obtained at the border/ on arrival. These visa fees are payable (in cash only) on arrival at port of entry and are subject to change without notice:

United States of America US\$ 30 single entry; US\$ 45 double entry

United Kingdom US\$ 55 single entry; US\$ 70 double entry

Canada US\$ 75 single entry only; double entry not available

Australia US\$ 30 single entry; US\$ 45 double entry

New Zealand US\$ 30 single entry; US\$ 45 double entry

A common tourist visa was recently introduced for Zambia and Zimbabwe known as the (KAZA) UNIVISA. The US\$50 Univisa (recommend to pay in cash) is valid for 30 days and allows the bearer to enter both Zambia and Zimbabwe. So if you think you will cross into Zambia even for a short

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period from Zimbabwe (eg. to look at Victoria Falls from that side), then it is better to purchase the Univisa. Full details including ports of entry issuing the Univisa, the eligible countries and more are available here: <https://www.zambiaimmigration.gov.zm/kaza-univisa/>

Keep in mind that if you are visiting Botswana for longer than a day trip, you will need to get a single entry visa (for Zambia or Zimbabwe depending on where you land) or a Univisa (if you plan to visit both Zambia and Zimbabwe), then visit Botswana and on return, will need to purchase another single entry visa or Univisa. In other words – if you have a Univisa but leave the joint Zambia/Zimbabwe area, you will have to buy a new visa on re-arrival.

All other nationalities should check with your nearest embassy or consulate.

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