

Namibia Self Drive 12 days



With the adventure capital Swakopmund, the wildlife of Etosha National Park, ancient Bushmen engravings at Twyfelfontein and the picturesque Waterberg Plateau - this is the best of Namibia. Combine the tremendous wildlife and natural wonders with some real tribal culture from the Himba tribe and the San Bushmen!

TOUR DETAILS:

- Starts in: Windhoek / Ends in: Windhoek
- Departs: Any day of the year
- No local payment required
- Breakfast: 11, Lunch: 0, Dinner: 2
- Hotel Rating: Standard, Superior or Deluxe (dependent upon your chosen itinerary)
- Tour Guide: No

ONLINE RESOURCES:

- For a detailed GO GUIDE - [click here](#)
- To book this trip - [click here](#)
- To enquire about this trip - [click here](#)

TOUR MAP:



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Day 1: Windhoek

Upon arrival at Windhoek Hosea Kutako Airport collect your rental vehicle and drive to your hotel in Windhoek.

Windhoek is the bustling capital of Namibia, located in a picturesque valley bordered by the Eros Mountains and the Auas mountains. The influence of the German colonial rule is still evident in the city, which has a unique blend of colonial and modern architecture. The city centre can be easily navigated on foot and places of interest include the Namibia's National Museum, the Ink Palace and historic Christ Church. Overnight - [Windhoek](#)

Days 2 - 3:

Windhoek - Sossusvlei. After breakfast continue to Sossusvlei. This is a dune wonderland, towering up to 300m high, surrounding a huge, dried up pan. The warm tints of the sand, ranging from pale apricot to brick orange and deep red, contrast vividly with the dazzling white surfaces of the large deflationary clay pans at some of their bases. Start early on day 3 to enter Namib Naukluft Park at sunrise and make your way to Sossusvlei. You have the day to independently explore. On the way back you can also visit Sesriem Canyon excursion and see the famous Dune 45. If you're feeling energetic climb to the top and admire the incredible view of the world's highest sand dunes! Overnight - Sossusvlei

Days 4 - 5: Swakopmund

Sossusvlei - Swakopmund. Drive to Swakopmund via the Gaub and Kuseb passes and Walvis Bay. Spend time at leisure in this charming little German coastal town. The following morning enjoy a Sea and Dolphin Cruise - a fun filled excursion on an open ski boat in the Walvis Bay harbour area.

Swakopmund, on Namibia's rugged Skeleton Coast is a popular coastal town with a distinct German feel, its beautiful colonial architecture, stands in stark contrast to the surrounding Namib Desert. As well as a pristine beach, Swakopmund has excellent restaurants, bars and shops, and has fast become the adventure capital of Namibia - quad biking, sky diving, deep sea fishing and dune boarding are just a few of the activities on offer. Overnight - [Swakopmund](#)



Days 6 - 8:

On day 6 travel to Rustig farm near Kamajab in the north west of Namibia. The following morning visit the Himba, Namibia's indigenous people at Gelbingen Guest Farm before driving to Etosha National Park where you can enjoy game drives in your own vehicle on days 7 and 8.

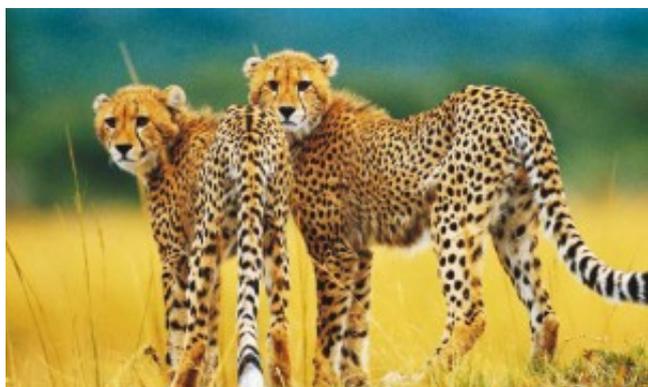
Established in 1907, Etosha was Namibia's first conservation area and it's one of the world's finest game parks, home to many rare and endangered species. The Etosha Pan dominates the park which is usually dry, but fills with water briefly in the summer months, attracting pelicans and flamingos in particular. Periannual springs attract a variety of game and birds throughout the year, including the endangered black rhino and the endemic black face impala. Etosha is renowned for its wonderful floodlit waterholes, which are great for game viewing at night. Overnight - [Etosha N.P.](#)



Days 9 - 10: Bushman Land

Drive to a lodge just north of Grootfontein, where a guided half day Bushman excursion provides a wonderful insight into this ancient civilisation, their lifestyle, history and culture. At the lodge you can also enjoy game drives on the private game farm. Overnight - [Grootfontein](#)

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Day 11:

Etosha NP - Waterberg. Drive to Waterberg National Park, at the foot of the Waterberg Plateau. The national park is a bird watchers paradise, boasting 200 different species of bird, in addition to hosting 33 species of birds of prey, including black eagles, the highest density of peregrine falcons. Animals roaming the park include giraffe, impala, leopards, cheetahs and warthog. Spend the day at leisure, enjoying the beautiful setting. Spend the day at leisure. Hike to the top of the plateau for spectacular views or book a game drive. Overnight - Waterberg



Day 12: Windhoek

Waterberg - Windhoek. Head back to Windhoek, in time for your outbound flight.

WHAT YOU SEE AND WHAT YOU GET:

Below is a list of key highlights and what is included on this tour. Further, where appropriate, we have listed the items that are not included in the tour price.

Trip Highlights

- Sossusvlei - stunning sand dunes including Dune 45.

- Swakopmund - quaint German colonial town on the coast of Namibia
- Twyfelfontein - famous for Bushman rock art
- Etosha National Park - home to 4 of the 'Big Five'
- Waterberg Plateau
- Windhoek - Namibia's vibrant capital

What's Included

- 11 nights accommodation (standard, superior or deluxe)
- 11 breakfasts 2 dinners
- 12 days car hire - Group K vehicle (Nissan Xtrial 2x4 or similar) with standard insurance cover - upgrades available. 24 hour back up service.
- Swakopmund - Dolphin and seal cruise

What's Not Included

- International flights and visas
- Tipping - an entirely personal gesture
- Drinks and items of a personal nature

PRICES AND DATES: from USD \$4,999

Prices shown are 'per person', based on a travelling party of at least 2 adults. The single supplement price needs to be added to the twin/double price if single rooms are required. If travelling solo, an additional '1-person' supplement will apply. Prices are indicative and based on low season in standard accommodation (superior and deluxe available upon request). They will therefore vary depending on your chosen hotels, room availability as well as time of travel.

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Supplementary Prices

	Price/Person	Single Supp.
Namibian Self Drive - Superior Accommodation	USD \$6049	USD \$729
Namibian Self Drive - Deluxe Accommodation	USD \$6229	USD \$1149