



Responsible Travel Guidelines

For Gosheni Safaris Africa Guests

At Gosheni Safaris Africa, we are committed to responsible tourism that protects the environment, respects local cultures, and supports local communities. We kindly ask all our guests to follow these guidelines during their trip.

Respect Nature & Wildlife

- Keep a safe distance from animals and follow your guide's instructions at all times
- Do not feed or disturb wildlife
- Stay on designated tracks and avoid damaging vegetation
- Never litter — take all waste with you or dispose of it responsibly
- Reduce plastic use where possible (e.g. reusable water bottles)

Protect the Environment

- Use water and energy responsibly (short showers, switch off lights when not needed)
- Avoid single-use plastics and unnecessary packaging
- Respect protected areas and national park rules

Respect Local Communities & Culture

- Dress modestly, especially in villages and towns (cover shoulders and knees where appropriate)
- Always ask for permission before taking photos of people
- Be polite and respectful in all interactions
- Learn a few local words (e.g. “Jambo”, “Asante”) — it goes a long way

Avoid Harmful Practices

- Do not give money, sweets, or gifts directly to children
- Avoid supporting activities that exploit people, wildlife, or the environment
- Do not purchase products made from endangered species or illegal materials

Support the Local Economy

- Buy souvenirs from local artisans and small businesses
- Choose locally owned accommodations, restaurants, and services when possible
- Support community-based tourism initiatives

Be a Responsible Traveler

- Be mindful of your impact on the environment and local communities
- Follow your guide's advice — they are there to ensure both your safety and a positive impact
- Travel with curiosity, respect, and openness



Our Commitment

Gosheni Safaris Africa is dedicated to promoting sustainable tourism and continuously improving our practices. By traveling responsibly, you help preserve Tanzania's natural beauty and cultural heritage for future generations.