



PACKING LIST FOR A SAFARI IN TANZANIA

1) CLOTHING

ITEM	FUNCTION / COMMENT	QUANTITY	IN OUR LUGGAGE?	CHECK
Sports socks (thin)	Breathable, prevention of blistered feet (low cut)	4-5 pairs	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Underwear	Classic, depending on the duration of the safari	As required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Short-sleeved T-shirts	Generally relevant; avoid cotton as it dries less easily	3	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Long-sleeved T-shirts	Occasionally relevant for protection against sunlight and mosquitoes; avoid cotton as it dries less easily	1-2	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fleece jacket / -vest	Very much recommended to stay warm in the early morning or late evening hours	1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Down jacket (thin) / Softshell	Comparable to fleece jacket / -vest, but offers more protection against moisture	1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trekking / Hiking pants (thin)	If possible, quick-drying and with zipper for detaching the legs	1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Shorts	Due to the temperatures most of the time relevant	2	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sweatpants (thin)	In the evenings in the camps or lodges and to sleep if necessary	1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rain cape or thin water-repellent clothing	Mainly relevant during the rainy season	1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hat / Cap	Thin, with sun protection	1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tennis or casual shoes	Two pairs can make sense if you expect wet feet from rain or heavy sweating	1-2 pairs	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Flipflops or sandals	Advisable to walk around in the camps or lodges	1 pair	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>

Swimwear	Particularly relevant for lodges that are usually equipped with a pool	1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
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2) SAFARI GEAR

ITEM	FUNCTION / COMMENT		IN OUR LUGGAGE?	CHECK
Travel bag, rucksack or suitcase	Your choice, although we would recommend travel bags or backpacks due to their easier handling		Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Daypack	Size of your choice to transport smaller items when you are outside the jeep, camp or lodge		Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rain cover	For the daypack to protect against rain and dust, was part of our backpack (but not a "must")		Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Linen sleeping bag	Thin sleeping bag suitable for higher temperatures. We have used it as the "inner part" of the provided sleeping bag (not a "must"; it is best to check with your operator if it is included by default).		Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pillow (camping safaris only)	Highly recommended, as not all operators provide pillows and pillows made of clothes are only of limited use.		Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Headlamp (camping safaris only)	For the time after sunset in the camps		Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
(Small) Flashlight / Torch	For the time after sunset in the camps and possibly also relevant in the lodges for observing animals at night		Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sunglasses	Should be of good quality		Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Alarm clock	For the daily routine, respectively also component of a smartphone		Yes (as part of our smartphones)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Binoculars			No	<input type="checkbox"/>
Camera	Incl. enough memory for photos and videos		Yes (as part of our smartphones)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Batteries	As required for camera, headlamp etc.		No (no need)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Plastic bags / Garbage bags	For worn clothes and litter		Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>

Resealable bags / Sachets	For toiletries and other small items	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Padlock	To secure bags / backpacks	No (depending on personal assessment)	<input type="checkbox"/>

3) FIRST-AID KIT

ITEM	FUNCTION / COMMENT	QUANTITY	IN OUR LUGGAGE?	CHECK
Insect repellent spray	Against mosquitos or other insects; against insect bites you can use e.g. Soventol	1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Painkillers	Should be once with and once without antipyretic effect (e.g. paracetamol)	1 pack	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Antibiotics	Broadband if possible	1 pack	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Antiallergic	In any case advisable, if you, for instance, react allergic to food (e.g. Cetirizine)	1 pack	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gastrointestinal tract	One product against stomach cramps (e.g. Buscopan) and one product against diarrhea (e.g. charcoal tablets)	1 pack each	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Malaria pills	As standby medication to be taken orally if required (e.g. Malarone)	1 pack	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Band-aids for blisters		1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>

4) COSMETICS & TOILETRIES

ITEM	FUNCTION / COMMENT	QUANTITY	IN OUR LUGGAGE?	CHECK
Toothbrush		1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Toothpaste		1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>

Facial moisturizer		1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hand lotion		1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Deodorant		1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Razor	As required	1	No (not needed)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Shampoo Shower Gel		1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wet wipes	Especially for camping safaris	min. 10 wipes	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Disinfectant tissues	Especially for camping safaris; As required, can complement wet wipes and disinfectant gel	min. 10 tissues	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Disinfectant gel for the hands		1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Handkerchiefs		1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Earplugs	Especially for camping safaris	1 pair	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sleeping mask	Especially for camping safaris	1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cotton buds	For example Q-Tips	As required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Small and large towel	For drying the face, hands etc.; should be fast drying (large towel only for camping safaris)	1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sunscreen	With a high protection factor	1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lip balm with sun protection	If possible, with a high protection factor	1	No (we covered the lips with sunscreen also)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Toiletries bag	Ideally with a noose to hang up	1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>

5) DOCUMENTS

ITEM	FUNCTION / COMMENT	QUANTITY	IN OUR LUGGAGE?	CHECK
Vaccination certificate	To present in case of asked for when entering Tanzania (we did not need it)	1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Passport	Absolutely!	1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Passport photos	You can take some to be on the safe side, but they are not required	1-2	No	<input type="checkbox"/>
Insurance certificate	Health insurance or other	As required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tickets	For flights, bookings etc.	As required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Credit card		As required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cash	At the beginning, we only had USD with us, and later withdrew Tanzanian Shillings at the ATMs; take sufficient cash for tips	As required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Envelope	E.g. for safekeeping and distribution of tips	min. 1	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Visa	To be carried along in case you have organized it before departure; otherwise the process of a visa application on-site is uncomplicated (visa on arrival)	As required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Telephone numbers / Addresses	Also emergency numbers / contacts	As required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>