

Best of Uganda

5 Nights 6 Days

Day 1: Arrival in Uganda – Entebbe

Upon arrival at Entebbe International Airport, you will be warmly welcomed by your tour guide, who will assist you with your transfer to the hotel. The drive takes approximately 20-40 minutes, depending on traffic conditions.

Take the rest of the day to relax and recover from your journey.
Overnight in Karibu

Day 2: Entebbe – Fort Portal – Kibale National Park

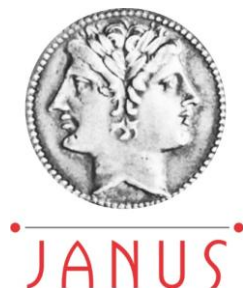
After breakfast, depart for Fort Portal, a scenic town nestled at the foothills of the majestic Rwenzori Mountains. Along the way, enjoy the lush countryside, with an *optional visit to the Rwenzori Mountain Sculpture Foundation*.

Later, continue to Kibale Forest National Park, one of Uganda's most biologically diverse rainforests. The park is home to over 13 species of primates, including chimpanzees, red colobus monkeys, rare L'Hoest monkeys, blue monkeys, grey mangabeys, black-faced vervet monkeys, baboons, pottos, and bushbabies. The forest also shelters numerous colourful bird species.

Overnight in Kibale

Day 3: Chimpanzee Tracking & Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary – Kibale

After an early breakfast, report to the Kibale National Park Ranger Headquarters at 8:00 AM for a briefing before setting off on an unforgettable chimpanzee tracking experience. Observing these intelligent primates as they swing through the trees, interact, and play in their natural habitat is truly captivating.



An experienced ranger will help identify individual chimpanzees and introduce you to the rich plant and animal life of the forest. You'll also learn how local communities use forest plants for medicinal and everyday purposes. With a bit of luck, you may even encounter forest elephants, buffalo, giant forest hogs, or various antelope species.

In the afternoon, visit the nearby Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary, a community-run conservation area. Raised boardwalks lead you through towering papyrus reeds, offering excellent wildlife viewing. The sanctuary is home to over 130 bird species, colourful butterflies, eight primate species, and the rare semi-aquatic sitatunga antelope, making it a shining example of sustainable tourism.

Overnight in Kibale

Day 4: Kibale – Bwindi Impenetrable Forest

Today, travel south-west to the legendary Bwindi Impenetrable National Park, a UNESCO Natural World Heritage Site and one of the most biologically rich forests on Earth. Covering 331 sq. km at the edge of the western Rift Valley, Bwindi is famed for sheltering approximately 400 endangered mountain gorillas, nearly half of the world's remaining population.

Arrive in Buhoma in the afternoon. If time permits, enjoy a leisurely walk around the area, visit local villages, or browse through nearby craft and art shops.

Overnight in Bwindi

Day 5: Gorilla Tracking & Batwa Community Visit – Bwindi

Rise early and enjoy a hearty breakfast in preparation for one of the most extraordinary wildlife experiences on the planet; mountain gorilla tracking. After registration and a briefing at the Uganda Wildlife Authority Ranger Station, set off into the forest with expert guides.

Once the gorilla family is located, you'll carefully approach these gentle giants with only your camera.



For one magical hour, observe them as they feed, groom, play, and interact—females with their young, juveniles, and the powerful silverback. It is an intimate, humbling, and unforgettable encounter.

In the afternoon, visit the Batwa community, the indigenous forest people, to learn about their traditional lifestyle, culture, and history.

Overnight in Bwindi

Day 6: Bwindi – Kampala – Entebbe (Equator Stop)

After breakfast, begin your return journey to Entebbe, with a stop en route at the Equator for a picnic lunch and memorable photo opportunity.

A dayroom in Entebbe will be arranged for you to freshen up before a farewell dinner. Later, your guide will transfer you to Entebbe International Airport for your outbound flight.

Please note: International flight check-in is recommended at least two hours before departure. The departures area offers a small restaurant, duty-free shopping, and seating facilities.