








ITINERARY FOR THE BEST OF PHINDA AND SABI SAND 2025
DELUXE OPTION
South Africa



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Journey overview

This vacation offers the best of a South African Safari! Combining &Beyond Phinda Private Game Reserve with the world-renowned Sabi Sand Game Reserve. With its magnificent position between the African wilderness and the balmy depths of the Indian Ocean, &Beyond Phinda Private Game Reserve offers a range of thrilling land and water adventures. In addition to morning and afternoon game drives, as well as game walks, guests to the reserve can also enjoy a plethora of other adventures. Endlessly captivating, &Beyond Phinda is a place of extraordinary adventure, where myriad possibilities create breathtaking thrills around every bend. Beach and bush, wildlife and culture, the marvels of the wilderness and the wonders of the ocean depths - &Beyond Phinda has it all!

The next of your journey will take you to &Beyond Tengile River Lodge where you will embark on twice-daily game drives and interpretive nature walks. Track the Big Five in the Sabi Sand Game Reserve, which share unfenced borders with the famous Kruger National Park, allowing them to benefit from the high wildlife numbers in this renowned park.

Highlights of the itinerary:

- Exceptional Big Five game viewing, including exceptional chances of cheetah at &Beyond Phinda Private Game Reserve and leopard encounters, in the Sabi Sand Game Reserve
- Nature meets luxury
- Reawaken your soul

Make the most of your adventure:

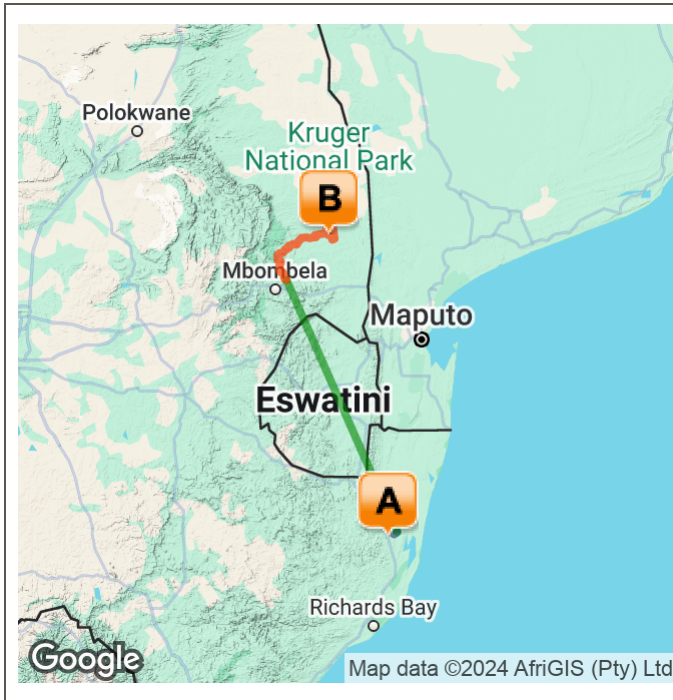
- Enjoy any of the additional adventures offered by &Beyond Phinda Private Game Reserve
- Spend your downtime indulging in a soothing massage or, for the actively inclined, head to the well-equipped gym.

Specially created for:

- Wildlife enthusiasts
- Luxury travellers
- Anyone starved for relaxation



At a glance



6 nights / 7 Days

2 Guests

| DAY | PROGRAMME |
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| Day 1 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meet and Greet at OR Tambo International Airport Scheduled flight from OR Tambo International Airport to Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport Scheduled charter flight from Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport to Phinda Airstrip Included activities Game Drives , Interpretive Nature Walks Overnight at andBeyond Phinda Rock Lodge Alternative at andBeyond Phinda Vlei Lodge |
| Day 2 - 3 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Included activities: Game Drives, Interpretative nature walks Recommended activities (at additional cost) Maputaland Beach Adventure, Zulu Village Tour, E-bike adventure at Phinda Forest, A Night Under the Stars, Photographic Safari, Zulu Village Tour Overnight at andBeyond Phinda Rock Lodge Alternative at andBeyond Phinda Vlei Lodge |
| Day 4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scheduled charter flight from Phinda Airstrip to Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport Private transfer from Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport to andBeyond Tengile River Lodge Included activities Game Drives , Interpretive Nature Walks Overnight at andBeyond Tengile River Lodge |
| Day 5 - 6 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Included activities Interpretive Nature Walks, Recommended activities (at additional cost) Private Vehicle, Massage: Quiet Mind Journey ,Massage: Healing Earth African Shea Butter Ritual Overnight at andBeyond Tengile River Lodge |

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| Saturday | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Scheduled transfer from andBeyond Tengile River Lodge to Skukuza Airport• Scheduled flight from Skukuza Airport to OR Tambo International Airport• Departure |
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Expect the extraordinary

andBeyond Phinda Rock Lodge

andBeyond Phinda Private Game Reserve, South Africa

Day 1:

Upon arrival at OR Tambo International Airport, you will be met by a Menzies Aviation representative and assisted through customs and immigration. You will then be assisted with check in procedures for your onward flight to Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport , to connect to your flight to &Beyond Phinda Private Game Reserve. On arrival at the airstrip you will be met by an &Beyond team member and transferred to the lodge.

Be spoilt during your 3 night stay at andBeyond Phinda Rock Lodge in a suite with ensuite bathroom. Your stay includes three meals daily, soft drinks, house wines, local brand spirits and beers, teas and coffees, refreshments on game drives, laundry, safari activities, 1-hour nature walks accompanied by experienced armed trackers (subject to availability), emergency medical evacuation cover, VAT, transfers to and from the lodge airstrip, Guides' Journal with illustrated wildlife and vegetation checklist and an area map with illustrated Star Birds checklist. SWAROVSKI OPTIK binoculars (one pair per room to use throughout stay).

Included activities:

- Game Drives
- Interpretive Nature Walks

Day 2 - 3:

Apart from the usual morning and late afternoon game drive, you can choose to enjoy any of the additional adventures offered by the reserve, available at an additional cost.

Get up close and personal with some of South Africa's beautiful marine life or simply enjoy a day out on the beach. During the months of November to January, you can also choose to enjoy a turtle nesting adventure on the beaches after dark. This unforgettable adventure allows you to view these enormous reptilian sea creatures emerging from the Indian Ocean at Sodwana Bay to lay their precious eggs in the sand. Excitement builds as you drive along the deserted coastline under the moonlight in search of fresh turtle tracks.

The female turtles emerge from the water at night and make the strenuous journey up the beach in search of a suitable nesting site. They will then dig a nest and lay their clutch of



approximately 100 soft-shelled eggs. Besides witnessing the rare and beautiful nesting rituals of these huge reptiles, you can also enjoy the spectacular beauty of the surrounding marine ecosystem, with its majestic sand dunes that tower over the beach.

If you are looking for an authentic taste of rural Africa life, opt for a cultural trip into the local village. Led by professional &Beyond guides who are themselves members of the local community, these tours encourage interaction with the local people.

You will be invited into a traditional Zulu homestead, where you will be introduced into the rituals of daily life, including water collection and gardening for vegetables.

Speaking through the guide, your host will explain how Zulu houses are constructed, as well as why cattle are so highly revered as a sign of wealth. The influence of modern society on factors such as children, schooling and traditional gender roles will also be discussed.

You will also enjoy the opportunity to spend time with a highly respected local sangoma, or traditional healer, and will visit the training school where she imparts her knowledge and skills to her students. This will provide a fascinating overview of the spiritual realm and the importance attached by the Zulus to the guidance of their ancestors in the modern world.

Stopping at the Mbhedula Craft Market, you will be invited to interact with traditional Zulu craftspeople and to purchase the authentic handiwork created by them in the local community.

As an additional convenience, you are able to have purchases made at the craft market added onto the bill at your lodge, thus eliminating the need to carry cash.

Included activities:

- Game Drives
- Interpretive Nature Walks

Recommended activities (at additional cost):

- Maputaland Beach Adventure
- Rhino Tracking On Foot
- Zulu Village Tour
- E-bike adventure at Phinda Forest
- A Night Under the Stars
- Photographic Safari



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andBeyond Phinda Rock Lodge

andBeyond Phinda Private Game Reserve, South Africa

Dramatically set into a cliff-face overlooking spectacular Leopard Rock, the unique Rock Lodge at andBeyond Phinda Private Game Reserve is an architectural fascination. Its six suites are seemingly suspended over the deep valley below, providing breathtaking views. Each romantic suite, constructed from contoured stone and adobe, boasts solid wooden shutters and doors, opening onto a private plunge pool and viewing deck. Complete with spacious ensuite bathrooms, three of these suites also feature outdoor showers, providing some of the most scenic al fresco bathing on the African continent. The Lodge's comfortable sitting areas are the perfect vantage point for viewing the abundant wildlife roaming the bushveld below. This is an intimate lodge, where guests are treated like treasured family members and time is shared with fellow safari adventurers who soon become friends. Striking sunsets are witnessed from the game viewing deck suspended over Africa's bushveld, and delicious Pan African meals are served in the dining area under hand-wrought chandeliers.

WHAT WE LOVE ABOUT PHINDA ROCK LODGE

- Ask your ranger to take you to the top of Leopard Rock to watch the sunrise.
- Be sure to ask the chef for one of Phinda's famous white chocolate brownies, which are smothered in an oh-so decadent chocolate sauce.
- Enjoy a specialist walking safari with an expert ranger who will guide you through Phinda's seven unique habitats.



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andBeyond Phinda Vlei Lodge

andBeyond Phinda Private Game Reserve, South Africa

Fringing the reserve's wildlife-rich wetland system, along the edge of a rare sand forest, the vibrant and intimate &Beyond Phinda Vlei Lodge offers a tranquil oasis in the middle of flourishing wilderness. This charming lodge, which has recently undergone an extensive refurbishment, features just six thatched suites to ensure exclusivity. Phinda Vlei's fresh new look is inspired by the elegant, turn of the century, plantation-style homesteads of KwaZulu-Natal's sugarcane and pineapple barons.

Each air conditioned suite features a spacious room, luxurious ensuite bathroom, and dressing room. The ensuite bathroom provides a sense of old world luxury, while the suite's interiors showcase a mix of curated antiques and collectibles. Guests can also take advantage of a private lap pool and game viewing deck that overlooks a grassy meadow, where they can observe antelope grazing nearby, as well as a variety of birdlife.

Unwind in the beautiful surrounds of the main guest area, which also includes a handsome library, and a convivial fire pit setting - perfect for pre-dinner drinks! Mealtimes are a delightful affair, with a variety of settings to indulge in the lodge's delectable menus; one of which is a spacious, all-weather deck that allows for al fresco dining with spectacular views of the surrounding wetland.

WHAT WE LOVE ABOUT PHINDA VLEI LODGE

- Dine under a million stars in the vlei area that gives the lodge its name.
- Enjoy a soothing massage on your private veranda and watch the nyala as they amble past your room.
- Don't be alarmed if you find your lap pool visited by elephants that often come to quench their thirst!



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andBeyond Tengile River Lodge

Sabi Sand Nature Reserve, South Africa

Day 4:

After breakfast you will be transferred to the airstrip for your flight to Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport, where you will be met by an andBeyond representative and transferred by road to andBeyond Tengile River Lodge.

Delight in a 3 night stay at andBeyond Tengile River Lodge, in a beautiful stilted suite with an ensuite bathroom that features a bath and shower. Your stay includes accommodation, three meals daily, soft drinks, house wines, local brand spirits and beers, tea and coffee, refreshments on game drives, laundry, scheduled safari activities, a 1-hour nature walk, emergency medical evacuation insurance as well as transfers to and from the airstrip.

Included activities:

- Game Drives
- Interpretive Nature Walks

Day 5 -6:

Included activities:

- Game Drive
- Interpretive Nature Walks (Included)

Recommended activities (at additional cost):

- Private Vehicle
- Massage: Quiet Mind Journey
- Massage: Healing Earth African Shea Butter Ritual



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andBeyond Tengile River Lodge

Sabi Sand Nature Reserve, South Africa

Meaning “tranquil” in the local Tsonga language, andBeyond Tengile River Lodge is situated in a serene setting, on a bend of the Sand River. Here, elegant interiors are complimented by exquisite modern finishes, and inviting, intimate spaces encourage a sense of solitude whilst pockets of open space are designed for group gatherings. Built with an extremely light footprint, Tengile features nine suites that are raised above ground level to give the impression that they are floating over the riverbed, providing exceptional views from the dappled shade of a cool riverine forest. The spacious suites offers sunken lounges, elegant bedrooms and ensuite bathrooms (with indoor and al fresco showers) that open out into the forest, creating private spaces in the open air.

Following the curve of the river bank, each area of the lodge offers magnificent river views. A beautiful massage and gym area offer a haven of tranquillity where guests can spend the entire day relaxing in between game drives. Sustainability lies at the heart of the new lodge’s form and function. Environmentally friendly construction materials have been selected with durability in mind. Automation is being put into place to reduce the use of electricity and the use of solar power has been combined with various procedures designed to increase efficiency both during the build phase and after. Activities include early morning and late afternoon/evening game drives, interpretive bush walks led by expert guides, and excellent birdwatching opportunities.

WHAT WE LOVE ABOUT TENGILE RIVER LODGE

- Tengile River Lodge has exclusive traversing rights on 10 500 hectares (26 000 acre) of wilderness land, which means our guests can explore the reserve on foot, free from the constraints of roads and vehicles.
- Private decks and al fresco sitting areas are the ideal places to view wildlife using your Swarovski Optik binoculars as herds of elephants congregate in the riverbed and game roam across the landscape.
- In addition to incredible leopard viewing, the famous Big Five, rhino and cheetah, discover a vast variety of plant and animal species that share the land with the Kruger National Park.
- Spend your downtime indulging in a soothing massage or, for the actively inclined, head to the well-equipped gym.



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Departure

Sabi Sand Nature Reserve, South Africa

Day 7:

After breakfast you will be transferred to Skukuza Airport for your flight to OR Tambo International Airport in Johannesburg.



Journey overview

Rates - using &Beyond Fly me to Phinda & Long-Stay rates

| VALIDITY | |
|--|--------------------------------|
| ANDBEYOND PHINDA ROCK LODGE/ ANDBEYOND PHINDA VLEI LODGE | |
| 1 Jan - 10 Jan '25 | ZAR 198 670 per person sharing |
| 11 Jan - 31 Dec '25 | ZAR 207 030 per person sharing |
| OUR TREAT | |
| Fly Me to Phinda: Discount on flights from and to &Beyond Phinda Private Game Reserve. Long-Stay rates at andBeyond Tengile River Lodge | |

Flights

| DETAILS |
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| OR Tambo International Airport to Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport |
| Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport to Phinda Airstrip |
| Phinda Airstrip to Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport |
| Skukuza Airport to OR Tambo International Airport |

Transfers

| DETAILS |
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| andBeyond Tengile River Lodge Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport to andBeyond Tengile River Lodge |
| andBeyond Tengile River Lodge andBeyond Tengile River Lodge to Skukuza Airport |

Accommodation

| DESTINATION | ACCOMMODATION | DETAILS |
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| andBeyond Phinda Private Game Reserve | andBeyond Phinda Rock Lodge/ andBeyond Phinda Vlei Lodge | 1 x Suite FI (Double) All meals and local brands of drinks |
| Sabi Sand Private Game Reserve | andBeyond Tengile River Lodge | 1 x Suite FI (Double) All meals and local brands of drinks |

Journey overview

What's included:

- Welcome and assistance service at OR Tambo International Airport in Johannesburg
- All scheduled flights:
 - OR Tambo International Airport to &Beyond Phinda Private Game Reserve
 - &Beyond Phinda Private Game Reserve to Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport
 - Skukuza Airport to OR Tambo International Airport
- All road transfers:
 - Phinda airstrip to lodge
 - Lodge to Phinda airstrip
 - Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport to lodge
 - Lodge to Skukuza Airport
- Twin / single accommodation
- Meals as specified above
- Soft drinks, house wine, local brand spirits, local beer, teas and coffees (premium brands to own account)
- Laundry
- Game viewing activities as offered by the lodges
- Conservations fees:
 - Munyawana Conservation fee
 - Sabi Sand Conservation fee
 - Sabi Sand Conservation Contribution fee
 - SanParks Levy
- Airport taxes and fuel surcharge
- Emergency medical evacuation insurance
- Administration fee
- Global Concierge Service

Notes:

- Rates are quoted on a per person sharing basis.
- Single Supplement:
 - Tengile River Lodge, Phinda Rock Lodge and Phinda Vlei Lodge
 - 1 Jan '25 - 31 Dec '25: A single supplement of 50% applies to all single rooms per booking.
- A single supplement will be charged when an adult is sharing with an infant.
- Fly Me to Phinda Offer: Stay for 3 nights at Phinda Rock or Vlei and we'll offer a discount to fly you there & back on Airlink flights
 - Does not apply to groups of 12 or more guests
 - Minimum of 2 guests
 - Excludes the Cottages, Family Cottages and Family Suite

- Only valid for full-paying adult guests and may not be combined with other offers. However, additional nights may be added by using our applicable long-stay rates.
- The operator may reroute the itinerary or accommodate in similar lodges in case of non-availability.
- Single traveller supplement and child rates will be quoted on request.
- Flight rates are subject to change.
- Validity periods are as specified above; should a booking fall over two rate periods the rate will change and we reserve the right to re-quote.
- The rates quoted are subject to change without warning if there are any increases in bed levies, park fees, fuel, sales tax or VAT, third-party services, the rand / dollar exchange rate or any other circumstances beyond our control in South Africa or Mozambique.
- Beyond trading terms apply.