

#TravelWise in Mzansi

Welcome to South Africa

There's so much to see, and so many uniquely South African experiences to explore.

Whether you are traveling in a group or alone, we want to ensure you have an unforgettable stay as you explore our beautiful country responsibly.

Information on our top tourism attractions and activities is available at our Visitor Information Centre (VIC) in all our airports, and on www.southafrica.net

Our tourism offerings are best explored with the aid of certified tourist guides. We have more than 10 000 certified tourist guides across the country that can easily be identified with their unique badge and identification cards. Visit www.tourism.gov.za to access information on guides near your destination.



#ResponsibleTraveller Tips



LOCATION:

- » Update the GPS App on your mobile device to accurately navigate through our country.



CLIMATE: South Africa's climate can get extremely hot and dry.

- » Wear sunscreen and a hat
- » Wear the appropriate clothing and foot wear for outdoor activities
- » Carry enough water to stay hydrated
- » Avoid drinking water from rivers and streams



BE WATER WISE: Most of our beaches carry a Blue Flag Status

- » Only swim in designated areas

- » Read and follow the signs to ensure an enjoyable experience at the Beach
- » Take care when swimming as rip currents can pull you out to sea
- » Lifeguards are on call to ensure your safety



PERSONAL SAFETY: We care about your safety

- » Ensure your personal possessions are with you at all times
- » Keep passports and important documents in a safe at your hotel, and carry a copy whilst out and about
- » Do not share your banking details or pin code with anyone.
- » Alert your hotel before going for a walk alone or an excursion

Useful contacts: Should you require support or find yourself in distress, contact the authorities for assistance:

Police (SAPS): (T) 10111 | **Ambulance/Fire:** (T) 10177 | **Covid 19 emergency no:** 0800 029 99

Tourism Complaints: (T) 012 444 6000 or 0860686747, E-mail: complaints@tourism.gov.za



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