

Safari Lodges

Minimum Stay

- 2-night minimum stay for all safari lodges
- Recommended length of stay is at least 3 nights. 1-Night stays on request only

Inclusions

- Accommodation, all meals, two safari activities per day, beverages (excluding premium brands and cellar wines)
- Return shared transfers from Hoedspruit Eastgate Airport (HDS) at set departure times. Reservations will advise of these times on confirmation of booking. Please note special conditions for Simbavati Trails Camp transfers below

Exclusions

- All other drinks, spa treatments, curio purchases, babysitting, private transfers, gratuities, laundry service, other items of a personal nature
- Conservation levies, gate entrance fees, additional reserve fees if applicable

Child Policy

Simbavati River Lodge and Simbavati Waterside:

- Children of all ages are welcome
- Between 0 – 3 years: no charge and includes all meals
- Between 4 – 11 years: 50% of per person sharing rate when sharing with parents in Family Chalets or Two-Bedroom Luxury Suites
- 12 Years & older sharing with parents in Family Chalets at Simbavati River Lodge: 3rd/4th person rate applicable
- 12 Years & older sharing with parents in Two-Bedroom Luxury Suites at Simbavati Waterside: per person sharing rate applicable
- Children 6 years & over are permitted on game drives

Simbavati Camp George and Simbavati Amani: No children under 8 years

Simbavati Hilltop Lodge: No children under 12 years

Simbavati Trails Camp: No children under 16 years

Simbavati Mvubu Cottage: Children of all ages are welcome. Meals must be had at the cottage if children are under 12 years

Simbavati River Sands: No children under 6 years

For all safari lodges accepting children, any child sharing with one adult will be charged the adult per person sharing rate

Conservation Levies and Additional Reserve Fees (subject to change)

Conservation levies will be added to invoices for prepayment, or collected at the lodge directly.

Timbavati Private Nature Reserve:

01 Jan 2025 to 31 Dec 2025: R620 per adult per night and R310 per child under 12 years per night. Vehicle entrance of R320 per vehicle.

01 Jan 2026 to 31 Dec 2026: R660 per adult per night and R330 per child under 12 years per night. Vehicle entrance fee not yet available.

01 Jan 2027 to 31 Dec 2027: R700 per adult per night and R350 per child under 12 years per night. Vehicle entrance fee not yet available.

Klaserie Private Nature Reserve:

01 Jan 2025 to 31 Dec 2025: R480 per person per night for any person 12 years and older. Vehicle entrance of R320 per vehicle.

01 Jan 2026 to 31 Dec 2026: R520 per person per night for any person 12 years and older. Vehicle entrance fee not yet available.

01 Jan 2027 to 31 Dec 2027: Conservation levies and vehicle entrance fee not available at the time of publication of these rates.

All conservation levies and other reserve fees are subject to change without prior notice. Fees not available at the time of publication of these rates will be advised by the reservations team when making a booking for that period. The above published conservation levies may change without prior notice if there are changes made by the reserve.

Simbavati Trails Camp Transfers

- Scheduled transfers are compulsory (private vehicles are not permitted to drive to the camp)
- The transfer time from Hoedspruit Eastgate Airport is approximately 1½ hours. Collection time from Simbavati Hilltop Lodge at 13:45
- Self-drive guests are able to park their vehicle at Simbavati Hilltop Lodge at no extra charge
- Kindly note that there is only one daily return transfer. An additional charge will be levied for any late arrivals as a second vehicle will need to be used subject to availability. This would result in guests missing the afternoon bush walk
- Departure time from Simbavati Trails Camp at 10:00
- For rental vehicle drop-offs at Hoedspruit Eastgate Airport (HDS), your arrival time to be at the Airport for the scheduled transfer to the lodge, will be communicated to you by Reservations. Please ensure that you arrive well before the above-mentioned scheduled transfer departure time as we cannot wait for late arrivals

Simbavati Offers

Terms Applicable to All Offers

- Simbavati Offers are not combinable
- All offers are not valid over the Festive Season (21 Dec 2025 to 04 Jan 2026 and 21 Dec 2026 to 03 Jan 2027) and Easter Weekend (03 Apr 2026 to 06 Apr 2026)
- All offers exclude Simbavati Fynbos on Sea Cottage

Combo Offer

- 8% discount: Combine 2 Simbavati lodges for a total of 4 nights
- 10% discount: Combine 2 Simbavati lodges for a total of 5 nights
- 12% discount: Combine 2-3 Simbavati lodges for a total of 6-7 nights
- 15% discount: Combine any Simbavati lodges for a total of more than 8 nights
- Minimum 2 nights at any one lodge

Stay 4, Pay 3

- Stay 4 nights at any one Simbavati lodge and pay for only 3
- Simbavati Cederberg Ridge and Simbavati Fynbos on Sea - Not valid during the Festive Season and Easter Weekend
- Simbavati Safari Lodges - Valid from 01 Nov 2025 to 20 Dec 2025, 05 Jan 2026 to 31 Mar 2026 and 01 Nov 2026 to 20 Dec 2026

Stay 7, Pay 5

- Stay 7 nights at one lodge and pay for only 5
- Valid at Simbavati Cederberg Ridge and Simbavati Fynbos on Sea

50% Off your 3rd Night

- Stay 3 nights and get 50% discount on the 3rd night
- Valid at Simbavati Cederberg Ridge from 01 May 2025 to 20 Dec 2025 and 01 May 2026 to 31 July 2026
- Valid at Simbavati Fynbos on Sea year round excluding Festive Season and Easter Weekend

Honeymoon

- Stay 3 or more nights at one lodge and one partner pays only 60%. Bottle of wine on arrival/in room
- Marriage certificate valid within 6 months from date of wedding and must be presented at check-in

Add Trails Camp Walking Safari

- Stay 2 nights at any Simbavati lodge and receive a 30% discount at Simbavati Trails Camp, our walking safari camp
- Minimum 2 nights at any one lodge
- Note: Simbavati Cederberg Ridge must be booked on a Full Board and Activities basis for the special to apply

Please refer to the offers page on the Simbavati website for other seasonal offers (www.simbavati.com/rates-and-offers).

Booking Conditions

Rates are subject to change without prior notice.

Payment Policy

- All Direct reservations require a 10% deposit upon booking confirmation, to be paid within 7 days
- Easter Weekend and Festive Season: 25% non-refundable deposit
- Final payment is due 30 days prior to your arrival
- All requests, confirmations and cancellations are only valid if in writing. Please ensure that you receive acknowledgment of your cancellation from our Reservations Department. The cancellation fee is a percentage of the full accommodation account

Cancellation Policy

- All cancellations must be made in writing to res@simbavati.com
- FIT bookings (three rooms or less)
 - Up to 61 days prior to arrival: 10% cancellation fee
 - 31 to 60 days prior to arrival: 25% cancellation fee
 - 15 to 30 days prior to arrival: 75% cancellation fee
 - 14 days prior to arrival: 90% cancellation fee
- Group bookings (four or more rooms)
 - Up to 91 days prior to arrival: 10% cancellation fee
 - 61 to 90 days prior to arrival: 25% cancellation fee
 - 45 to 60 days prior to arrival: 50% cancellation fee
 - 44 to 15 days prior to arrival: 75% cancellation fee
 - 14 days prior to arrival: 90% cancellation fee
- All cancellation fees are calculated on the total booking value
- Please note that 100% cancellation fees will be charged if guests decide to depart early while staying with us

Notes and Other Rates

- Festive Season: 21 Dec 2025 to 04 Jan 2026 and 21 Dec 2026 to 03 Jan 2027
- Easter Weekend: 03 Apr 2026 to 06 Apr 2026
- Provisional bookings will only be held for 7 days; or 48 hours within 7 days of arrival or if Reservations specifies due to high demand. Thereafter the booking will automatically be released
- For reservations within 15 days of arrival, full payment is required upon confirmation
- We reserve the right to cancel the booking if deposit or final payment is not received at the appropriate time
- Pilot/Driver's Room: R1,300 nett (excluding beverages, activities subject to availability). Only available at Simbavati River Lodge and Simbavati Hilltop Lodge and subject to availability at the time of booking confirmation
- Tour Leader/Guide: R1,620 nett (only with a minimum of 12 paying guests)