

Nature and Adventure 2023 Program Details

- **Introduction Talk** – We will give a detailed introductory talk on the company, the upcoming programme and what it takes to be a guide in South Africa.
- **Bush Walk** – Experience the African bush on foot. We will focus on various aspects, such as tracking, bush lore and navigation. The bush walks will take place on both the Hoedspruit Wildlife Estate and Maru Djembe.
- **Game Drive** – This will be an interactive learning experience, that encompasses all the in's and out's of conducting a game drive within a Big 5 game reserve, including navigation, guiding ethics, radio protocol and being exposed to the various fauna and flora we get to see on a daily basis.
- **Nature Talks** – Throughout their stay, the students will be given various topics to prepare for and present on either the bush walks and/or game drives.
- **ID Challenges** – The students will be tested with a variety of fun ID challenges, each focusing on knowledge they have gained during their stay.
- **Moholoholo Rehab Centre** – The students will visit the Moholoholo Rehab Centre, where they will do a 2-hour tour, getting to view and learn about a variety of animals that call Moholoholo home.
- **Feedback** – We will dedicate some time to both provide and receive weekly feedback from the students.
- **Nature Video** – The students will be required to make an educational video based on different topics provided by the supervisor, for others to learn more about the wonderful African bush.
- **Braai** – Students will assist one of the supervisors with a traditional braai (barbeque), which is prepared for all the volunteers/students.
- **Rest Day** – A Day where students can relax around the pool, catch up on personal work, have a much deserved break or go on a local excursion.
- **Blyde Canyon Hike** – The students will get to go on an incredible hike in the Blyde Canyon (the third largest canyon in the world and the largest green canyon)
- **Interactive Reptile Park Day** – We will drop the students off at the local reptile centre, where they will assist with day-to-day activities and learn valuable lessons from qualified guides.
- **Nature Skit** – The students will have to plan and present a skit, focusing on a variety of scenarios that they might face guiding in our environment.
- **Amazing Race** – The students will be put to the test by combining all that they have learnt with a fun, team-building challenge in the bush, which will include navigation, first aid, survival, bush lore and knowledge.
- **Assessment Sheets** – Time is allocated to go through the student's assessment sheets and provide final feedback.
- **Farewell Dinner** – We will end with a wonderful farewell dinner with new friends made.

**This will be a fun, practical and interactive learning experience.
Bring an open mind, passionate heart and loads of enthusiasm.**