



TARTARUGA SAFARIS

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Marangu Route Kilimanjaro Forest Day Hike

COMPLETE ITINERARY

YOUR JOURNEY, AT YOUR OWN PACE

Day-by-day programme | Inclusions | Travel information

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Explore our Marangu forest day hike itinerary. Travel with Tartaruga Safaris on a carefully arranged day experience. Our guide will help you understand the places you visit and organise the practical details around your interests.

Your day-hike itinerary

Continue planning this journey

- Marangu route guide
- Packing and equipment
- Kilimanjaro questions and answers

Marangu day hike prices

Prices in USD per person.

1 guest	2 guests	3 guests	4 guests	5 guests	6 guests
\$450	\$400	\$375	\$280	\$265	\$255

For groups larger than six, please request a quotation. Refer to Includes & Excludes for the services covered; your written quotation confirms dates and arrangements.

Compare Kilimanjaro climbing prices

For official park information, visit TANAPA's national park guide .

- Tour Type Private arrangement
- Departure Location Moshi or Marangu; Arusha by prior arrangement
- Return Location Moshi or Marangu; Arusha by prior arrangement
- Departure Dates Subject to availability
- Accommodation Not required
- Meal Plan Lunch as quoted
- Transportation As quoted
- Children Confirm activity suitability

Your Journey

Day 1

Morning • pickup and introduction

- Our Tartaruga guide meets you at the confirmed pickup point. Review the route, meal arrangements and your interests before departing. The actual start time depends on your hotel and the distance to the activity.

Day 1

Experience • explore with your guide

- After registration at Marangu Gate, hike with your mountain guide through the forest towards Mandara Hut as pace and conditions allow. Carry water and a packed lunch. The guide sets a turnaround time so that you return safely to the gate; reaching Mandara is not guaranteed.

Day 1

Return • finish at the agreed drop-off

- Allow time for the return journey and any agreed comfort stops. Our driver-guide brings you back to the confirmed hotel or meeting point. Additional shopping, attraction visits or airport transfers are included only when written into your programme.

Your Safari Includes

Items covered in the package.

- Agreed pickup and return transfers
- Tartaruga guide or driver-guide and local host where specified
- Required day-entry arrangements
- Mountain guide
- Packed lunch

Not Included

Items not covered in the package.

- International flights and visas

- Personal purchases and tips
- Activities, drinks or meals not listed as included
- Travel insurance and separately agreed extensions

Your Tour Questions

Will I reach Kilimanjaro's summit?

No. This is a lower-mountain forest hike, not a summit itinerary. It provides a taste of the Marangu trail.

Where does the trip start?

Moshi or Marangu; Arusha by prior arrangement; we confirm your precise pickup and return point before booking.

Is it a private trip?

Private transport can be arranged for your party. Some host-led activities may also welcome other visitors; exclusivity must be specifically confirmed.

How many travellers can join?

Any group size can enquire. We choose suitable vehicles and check activity capacity for your actual party.

Can children join?

Tell us every child's age. We check the host's rules, activity suitability and any supplier charges before confirming.

What meals are included?

Lunch as quoted. Dietary requirements should be shared when you enquire; substitutions depend on what the host can provide.

What should I bring?

Bring suitable footwear, drinking water, sun protection and a light layer. We send any activity-specific advice with your confirmed plan.

Is the experience wheelchair accessible?

Please describe the access you need. Vehicle entry, paths, toilets and the activity itself must be checked separately; we do not promise access before these checks.

What happens if the programme changes?

Weather, access and host availability can require a change. We explain the available alternatives and any price implications before confirming a revised arrangement.

How do I book and find the price?

The Marangu forest day hike costs USD 450 per person for one guest, USD 400 for two, USD 375 for three, USD 280 for four, USD 265 for five and USD 255 for six. Please request a quotation for larger groups. Read Includes & Excludes for the services covered.

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Available 24 Hours, Monday-Sunday

Your written quotation confirms availability, inclusions, prices and booking arrangements. This saved itinerary reflects the publication date above; contact our team for the latest version.

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