

A maraaba....

In the night, by moonlight, you are lying on your back in the savannah grasses, looking up to a sky full of stars. Innumerable...You clearly recognise some constellations in the dark blue sky above you. Your attention slips away from the stars, just for a second, and you look around to see what other beauty nature has to offer. Then all of a sudden you see shadows! Shadows of the trees, bushes and even of yourself. You are astonished. Where do all these shadows come from now the sun has set? But then you realise that it is the moon with its bright light that creates these shadows...you suddenly realise that you find yourself at a unique place; a piece of paradise.

This is one of the many perceptions you could experience in the northern parts of Ghana. The north is known for its vast savannah and grasslands. They have an own character and a flora and fauna which is not to be found in any other part of Ghana. Beside beautiful nature the north also accommodates many different cultures which are familiar to one another and who give a whole new dimension to this part of Ghana.

What we offer

Heart4Ghana Tours offers a range of possibilities to plan a holiday to your own desires. It is possible to choose from a variety of tours and excursions whereby nature and culture are the main focus. Besides, you could also participate in different workshops such as, learning to beat the talking drum, dancing the Bamaaya or weaving a local cloth. In addition we offer the unique possibility to live with the local inhabitants in a rural area with 'The Village Experience', whereby you will stay in a traditional hut with a local family in a community.

It is possible to combine different programs and to design your own holiday tour. For more information about it, contact our office.

All excursions are accompanied by an English and/or Dutch speaking guide.

Tours

Flora and Fauna experience – 7 day tour from Tamale • Larabanga • Bole • Techiman • Kintampoo • Tamale - €395,- p.p.

Exploring the Upper West – 7 day tour from Tamale • Larabanga • Wa • Lawra • Tumu • Navrongo • Bolgatanga • Tamale - €395,- p.p.

Amazing Nature Experience – 7 day tour from Tamale • Gambarga • Nalerigu • Nakpanduri • Bawku • Paga • Bolgatanga • Tamale - €395,- p.p.

Culture experience Tour – 7 day tour from Tamale • Yendi • Bimbilla • Wulensi • Salaga • Tamale • incl. overnight stay in local community - €395,- p.p.

Customized tour – tell us where you want to go and what you would like to experience and we will design a customized tour for you.

Including: Accommodation (twin bedroom) with half board. Transportation in a minivan. All entrance fees (excluding extra (video)camera fees). Filtered drinking water during traveling.

Excluding: Costs for lunch and drinks other than included as mentioned above. Costs for unplanned excursions or workshops during the tour. Surcharge for use of a single room.

Tours only come on when there are a minimum of 6 and maximum of 10 participants. Smaller groups are possible, but the costs per person may increase.

Excursions

- Tongo Hills and Tenzuk Shrine
€60,- p.p.
- Kintampoo and fuller falls
€60,- p.p.
- Salaga; slave market
€60,- p.p.
- Nkwanta hike to the falls (2 days)
€110,- p.p.
- Nakpanduri/Gambarga escarpment (2 days)
€110,- p.p.
- Mole National Park (2 days)
€175,- p.p.

The minimum number of participants is fixed at 6 persons. Excursions include, transport, entrance fees, and twin bedroom accommodation with half-board.

Cultural excursions

- Traditional wedding (preparation)
- Traditional funeral (preparation)
- Meeting with a local chief and/or Magazia (local woman leader)
- Other wishes

These excursions costs vary from €10,- to €50,-per day p.p. For more details, please contact us.

Workshops

- Workshop drumming; with a selection of different local drums like the jambe, tamtam, talking drum, etc.
- Workshop traditional dancing; like the Bamaya, FmeFme, Kpalongo.
- Workshop local hut-building
- Workshop cultivating of land, farming and food preparation (only available during raining season)

- Workshop Dagbanly (spoken language of the Dagomba's)
- Workshop Dagbon culture
- Workshop making of bracelet/ necklaces/ waist beads.
- Workshop traditional weaving

Costs for workshops vary from €15,- to €50,- p.p. per 3 hours. This includes all materials.

The Village Experience

The village Experience is a unique opportunity to get to know the local culture and tradition. You will stay in a local hut in one of the Dagomba villages and participate in the daily life of the family you are staying with. When you stay longer than 3 days, you would be expected to contribute to the local community by putting your talents and skills into good use. If you are a professional teacher; you will be asked to help at the local school. If you are a professional nurse; you can help out at the local health post. Men could also participate in farming activities, and women in cooking a local dish. Its only possible to do The Village Experience with 2 participants per village.

- 2 days - €50,- p.p.
- 3-4 days - €75,- p.p.
- 4-7 days - €100,- p.p.
- 2 weeks - €175,- p.p.

Booking of program

For booking one or a combination of these programs, please contact us.

Note: All prices may differ due to inflation of the GhCedi.



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