



Windhoek is the capital and largest city of Namibia. It is located in central Namibia in the *Khomas Highland* plateau area, at around 1,700 metres (5,600 ft) above sea level, almost exactly at the country's geographical centre. The population of Windhoek in 2020 was 431,000 which is growing continually due to an influx from all over Namibia. Windhoek is the social, economic, political, and cultural centre of the country. Nearly every Namibian national enterprise, governmental body, educational and cultural institution is headquartered there.

The city developed at the site of a permanent hot spring known to the indigenous pastoral communities. It developed rapidly after Jonker Afrikaner, Captain of the Oorlam, settled here in 1840 and built a stone church for his community. In the decades following, multiple wars and armed hostilities resulted in the neglect and destruction of the new settlement.

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Often overlooked by travellers in their rush to Namibia's dunes and game parks, Windhoek is a lively, well-groomed city boasting City Tour full of history and historical value places, Township culture, a walkable game reserve and a distinctly Germanic twist...



Windhoek City Tour

Get an enriching overview of the city's most highlighted spots with a fully experienced and knowledgeable guide. Get a perfect introduction to the Namibian capital. To feel the breath of Windhoek, to learn the background, to see individual facades with new eyes, this tour will take you around Windhoek's most highlighted must-see landmarks around the amazing city. Have a fun tour around the fascinating city to visit main attractions, including the beautiful Christuskirche, Parliament Gardens, the National Museum, and Experience an amazing, unique, different, and a lot of fun on this fascinating Windhoek sightseeing tour.

- * Explore through Windhoek highlighted must-see landmarks on this private tour
- * Learn more about Namibia's cultural diversity, heritage, and tradition
- * Comprehensive tour of Windhoek City with a knowledgeable and professional guide

Price: 650.00 per person (Min 2 pax)

Duration: 3h

Instant confirmation

Cancellation policy

All sales are final and incur 100% cancellation penalties.

Available languages English

Included:

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- Private transportation
- Professional local guide services
- Entrance Fees

Exclusions

- Lunch

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2. Katutura Township



Situated to the north of the city centre, Katutura was the township where the black residents of the city were relocated during the time of apartheid. The name means 'The place where no-one wants to live' in the local Herero language, a pretty good indication of the conditions endured

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there. While poverty is still a problem, conditions have improved, and with 60% of Windhoek's population living there, a visit to Katutura is probably the only way to gain an insight into how urban Namibians live. The area has a thriving art scene. And there are plenty of great little makeshift restaurants where you can try the local *Kapana* (barbecued beef, slathered in a secret chilli spice known only to the vendor).

Price: N\$ 950.00 per person (Min 2)

Duration: 4-5 hours

Cancellation policy

For a full refund, cancel at least 24 hours in advance of the start date of the experience.

Available languages

English and French

Itinerary

This is a typical itinerary for this product

Our Tour start with a pickup at your hotel toward town and our first stop in Windhoek is the most remarkable church of Christuskirche, recognisable landmark. Take a look inside (if it's open) and learn about this uniquely designed church in the centre of town. next to the church is all lot of monument and place that make part of our visit. The Parliament Gardens, named for its proximity to Parliament house. Here, we learn all about Namibia's rich history and the people that fought for Namibia's independence.

Namibian Independence Museum, we get to know about the Namibian History and road toward the independence of Namibia, and the struggle for Namibia's Independence as well as where we are currently, some 32 years post independence. Further information on the history of Namibia including the role of the Germans and South Africans pre independence.

From Windhoek city, we head into the Katutura Township to experience how more than 50% of Windhoek residents live. Katutura itself is a huge area and made up of all different suburbs of all different socio-economic levels.

Explore the local market and try some local delicacies from Kapana (BBQ meat) to Mopane worms, to mealie pap and more. Stop at Penduka, a wonderful women's project set up to give

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women work opportunities. Explore their workshop and see how they handcraft beautiful local curios from batik style fabrics to embroidery and more.



The wild walking in Daan Viljoen Game Park



Only 18km from the centre of Windhoek, Daan Viljoen Game Park gives you the chance to take a walk on Namibia's wild side. Home to some of Namibia's most iconic ungulate species, including the desert-adapted oryx, steenbok and klipspringer, but without the predators, visitors can explore the park on foot, getting up close and personal to the wildlife here.

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There are three well-marked trails you can follow. The three km Wag 'n Bietjie Trail follows a dry riverbed. The nine km Rooibos Trail will take you up a ridge offering views back toward Windhoek. The more challenging Sweet Thorn Hiking Trail will take you the empty eastern reaches of the reserve.

Expect the company of gemsboks, kudus, mountain zebras, springboks, hartebeests, warthogs, elands, and the odd giraffe. The park is also known for its birdlife, with over 200 species recorded, including the Ruppel's parrot and Monteiro's hornbill.

Available per request

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