



CHIMPUNDU LODGE
Kibale Forest

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FACT SHEET

Chimpundu Lodge, just as unique as its location & architecture are so is its name. Chimpundu is a combination of two words; Chimp (for chimpanzee) and Mpundu (which is the Runyankole-Rukiga local dialect meaning for chimpanzee). A combination of the two words gives birth to the unique name Chimpundu. Our Lodge sets the scene for a relaxing, nature-filled one-of-a-kind experience that completes any Ugandan Safari.

Nothing else meets your eye but the thick Kibale Forest National Park (home of the world most envied attraction the Chimpanzee).

Let us take your soul on a journey where you will discover the essential truth about yourself and your world, enticing your senses and enlivening your spirit along the way.

Location

The Kibale-Fort Portal area is one of Uganda's most rewarding destinations to explore. The park lies close to the tranquil Ndali-Kasenda crater area and within half a day's drive of the Queen Elizabeth, Rwenzori Mountains and Semuliki National Parks, as well as the Toro-Semliki Wildlife Reserve. Kibale National park has over 351 tree species that's been recorded some rising over 55meters and are over 200 years old.

375 species of birds, six of which are endemic to the region. Blue headed sunbird, black capped apalis, Collared apalis, Dusky crimsoning, purple breasted sunbird and the red-faced woodland warbler.

14 different species of snakes, 27 different species of frogs and toads. 20 different species of reptiles and over 200 different species of Butterflies.

70 mammal species which includes Elephants and 13 different species of primate including the chimpanzee and the ground dwelling L'Hoest's monkey.

Kibale varied altitude supports different types of habitat, ranging from wet tropical forest on the fort portal plateau to woodland and savanna on the rift valley floor.

Climate

The climate in Kibale is moist and temperate. Temperatures stay almost the same year-round. Daytime temperatures are about 27°C/81°F, cooling off nightly to about 15°C/59°F.





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Accommodation

Consisting of 18 luxury cottages, Chimpundu Lodge gives you the perfect view of the surrounding landscape and wildlife right from your own private deck. Enjoy the sound of wildlife in the background, the rustling of the African trees and the twinkling of the stars as you relax between the forest Trees in your cottages.

Luxury cottage accommodation provides true Kibale Forrest ambiance, with every comfort catered for, including spacious dressing rooms, en-suite bathrooms and private sundecks.

All cottages are equipped with modern amenities, including fans, hairdryer, tea and coffee making facilities, and additional blankets are available on request for the chillier months.

Double Cottage

Your luxury double cottage is equipped with a sitting area, oversized bed, desk, fully-stocked minibar and walk-in wardrobe. An en-suite bathroom features a walled shower and tub with windows overlooking Kibale forest.

Family Cottage

Our family cottage offers the perfect setting for families to enjoy the wonders of the Kibale forest. It consists of five luxurious bedrooms four rooms with twin beds and a double room, all rooms featuring En-suite bathrooms with shower/tub, and with windows overlooking the forest and a private balcony with a sitting area that provide spectacular views.

2 in 1 Family Cottage

For the ultimate in comfort and luxury this delightfully stylish and spacious cottage has a combination living room, two separate bedrooms, and a private balcony. One Twin room with a King size bed and a Single bed, and a master bedroom with a one King size bed each with En-suite bathroom and are situated on opposite sides of the living area. Master Bedroom has a walk-in shower/tub with windows overlooking the forest, second room (Twin) has a walk-in shower only.

Details & Amenities

- King size bed
- En-suite bathroom with separate shower and tub
- Large private deck
- Nightly turndown
- Tea & Coffee facilities
- Safe & Hairdryer
- Full board
- Telephone
- Stocked minibar
- Bathrobes and slippers
- Same day laundry service
- 24-hour emergency facilities and communications





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Facilities

- **DINING** - Creating lasting memories that encapsulate perfect moments in people's lives is a high priority for us at Chimpundu Lodge. Whether it be your honeymoon or a romantic getaway with that special person in your life, one can be sure that all your needs will be met and catered for.

Indulge in a private candlelit dinner with a glass of one of our award-winning wines around a bonfire or surprise your partner with a celebratory bottle of bubbly to enjoy in your own private plunge pool whilst the sun sets over the reserve. No matter what you choose, we endeavour to make your time together as special as possible!

- **BAR** – Chimpundu Lodge has a bar serving favourite drinks and snacks with additional outdoor swimming pool.
- **SPA** - Revel in the healing power of nature during your stay at Chimpundu Lodge. Our spectacular spa provides a tranquil haven, imbued with neutral colours and natural materials that are in peaceful harmony with Kibale forest's surroundings.
- **SWIMMING POOL** - There is nothing better than a relaxing swim after a busy day. Chimpundu Lodge is a luxury lodge with a pool and Spa. Our swimming pool overlooks the Kibale forest for a luxurious aquatic experience.
- **BOARDROOM** - Our fully equipped boardroom is ideal to host any form of meeting, team-building or conference. It is equipped with modern technology such as a data projector and internet access to all delegates' seats.

Activities

- Chimpanzee Trekking
- Kibale Forest Hikes | Walking Trail: 12 km hike
- Birding In Kibale Forest and community birding walks
- Cultural Tours Around Kibale
- Crater Lakes Tours
- Canoeing on the crater lakes

Children

Chimpundu Lodge welcomes children of all ages.





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Transfers

The Lodge operates transfers for guests with scheduled flights included in the tariff. Private transfers are available at additional cost.

Airstrip/Airport Transfers:

1. Entebbe International Airport USD 280 per vehicle minimum 2 pax Maximum 6 pax per vehicle one way.
2. Kasese Airstrip USD 190 per vehicle minimum 2pax Maximum 6pax per vehicle one way.

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