

# Primates of the Congo

## TRIP NOTES

### Overview

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The Congo flows through time like a stream. Meandering slowly, its story is etched into the landscape, written largely in the shadows of the world's spotlight. French colonial architecture stands sentry over dusty streets as unceasing rainforests evolve into a thick tangle of branches. Under the wet heat, primates with electric eyes beat their chests, echoing beneath the shade of the canopy. Their leathered hands, so much like our own, brush aside branches as sticks crackle underfoot. This enduring land is borrowed from the most vibrant imaginations. And, as time marches forward, The Congo keeps moving at its own pace.



### Exceptional experiences

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- Guided walks and game drives at Ngaga and Lango camps

## Day to Day Itinerary

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### Day 1 Brazzaville ~ Odzala Kokoua National Park

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On arrival in Brazzaville you will be met by your local guide and transferred to your hotel, which is situated in the heart of the capital. Relax and freshen up or head out to explore the city.

*Accommodation:* Mikhaels Boutique Hotel

### Day 2 Ngaga

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The flight to Odzala takes you over the mighty Congo River, savannah and thick rainforest. Check into your jungle home at Ngaga Camp and then, with excitement in the air, it's time to meet the gorillas. Highly experienced guides and expert trackers lead you on the first of a number of treks to seek out the western lowland gorillas.

*Accommodation:* Ngaga Camp

### Days 3 & 4 Gorilla Trek

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Spend the next two days experiencing some exceptional wildlife encounters. Trek to visit more gorillas, take night walks in search of pottos (elemental primates) and various galago (bush baby) species, and take forest walks to see wild chimpanzees. There's also time to relax at camp with sundowners on the deck or on a platform overlooking the nearby streams.

*Accommodation:* Ngaga Camp

### Day 5 Odzala National Park

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Drive to Lango Camp, where you can relax on the deck with views of the Lango Bai ~ a large open area where animals feed. You can walk around the bai and the forest fringe or perhaps take part in a game drive. Dinner is accompanied by the

unforgettable sounds of the African night.

*Accommodation:* Lango Camp

## Day 6 Odzala National Park

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Guided forest walks, boat trips and game drives can get you up close to forest elephant, forest buffalo, monkeys, chimpanzees and hippos. Relax during the heat of the day before a night drive to spot some of Odzala's nocturnal creatures, such as the bongo (Africa's largest forest antelope species).

*Accommodation:* Lango Camp

## Day 7 Brazzaville

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Enjoy breakfast before you transfer to M'boko for the flight back to Brazzaville. The tour ends on arrival at the airport.

*Accommodation:* Hotels listed are subject to availability

## Other Information

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### What's included

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- Domestic economy class flights, with airport assistance, as indicated in the itinerary.
- Breakfast daily, 5 lunches and 5 dinners.
- Small group sightseeing (including all entrance fees) as outlined in the itinerary.
- Comfortable private transportation with driver. Other modes of transportation include open drive vehicles.
- Park fees and permits.
- Airport meet and greet service.
- Departure transfer.

### What's not included

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- International flights
- Visas
- Airport taxes
- Laundry
- Gratuities

### Extend your journey

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If you'd like to extend your stay, you can consult our sales team for advice on pre and post tour accommodation, activities and other Peregrine Reserve journeys in the area.

## Reserve by Peregrine

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### The Reserve Difference

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Peregrine has been travelling the world for over 35 years and we've used this knowledge to create unique, wellcrafted and comprehensive itineraries. In 2012 we built on this foundation to launch the Reserve range of comfortable, luxurious and exceptional journeys. Reserve takes you beyond the highlights and into the heart of a destination

- Boutique accommodation that offers an authentic and intimate experience
- Well-crafted itineraries that take you to the highlights and beyond
- Dining experiences that allow you to taste the soul of a destination
- Comfortable, private and air-conditioned transport
- Exceptional local leaders who unlock the secrets of a place
- Intimate travelling parties of no more than 12 people (or less)
- A manner of travel that embraces the passage of time, which allows you to set your own pace

### Private Journeys

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- All Reserve itineraries can be taken as a private departure, which means you can specify the dates and your travel companions
- Our Reserve Specialists can amend an existing itinerary or create something completely unique to suit your interests
- Celebrate special occasions such as birthdays, anniversaries or your honeymoon in style
- Ideal for families

## Your next steps

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## Ready to book?

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We can also help with booking your international flights; pre and post tour accommodation; organising visas, transfers and travel insurance. Simply let us know when you are calling to book your Reserve journey.

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