**ACCRA**

Accra is the capital and largest city of Ghana. It is in the Greater Accra Region. The main Ga group known as the ‘Tumgwa We’, arrived by sea. When the Guan (Lartehs) on the coast saw them on their canoes at sea, they looked like ants. Hence, the Lartehs refer to them as Nkran (ants). Nkran was later corrupted by the Danes to Akra, then to present-day Accra. Nkran in the Ga language is Gaga, thus they also started calling themselves Ga. The indigenous Lartehs thus relocated to the Akuapem ridge.

Nkrumah built landmarks such as Independence Square, the State House, and the Organization of African Unity building to inspire pride and nationalism in his people and people throughout Africa in the capital-Accra.

**ACCRA TOUR PACKAGES**

**Our Accra tour packages include**

* Accra City Tour – Destination 1
* Accra Street Food Tour -Destination 2

**Accra City Tour – Destination 1**

**Cost of one day Tour: $ 150**

**Overview**

This One day tour takes you on a City tour within Accra. It provides a perfect experience to the city life of Accra. You will understand the culture and history of the indigenous people of Accra as well as the cultural diversity of the city and how it impacts on the lives of the people.

**What to Expect**

**DAY 1**

Kotoka International Airport

You will be met at the Kotoka International Airport and driven to your hotel. Depending on your time of arrival in Ghana you will be taken on a 1 hour drive through some interesting places around your hotel during which period you will have your orientation.

Accommodation included.

**Day 2**

* Your tour Guide and Driver will arrive at the hotel at 7:30am. At 8am we should be set to start.
* You will start your tour with a visit to the W.E.B DuBois Centre in Accra.
* Our next stop will be to the Black Star Square also known as the Independence Square. It was built by Ghana’s first president Dr Kwame Nkrumah to celebrate Ghana's independence.

Duration: 1Hour

* From the Black Star Square you will visit the Center for National Culture known as the Art Center where you can have free drum lesson and visit the African Market.

Duration: 1 hour

* Our next stop is at the Kwame Nkrumah Memorial Park, Accra. This is the memorial site of Ghana’s first president and the African of the 20th century, Osagyefo Dr Kwame Nkrumah,

Duration: 1 hour

* You will continue your tour by visiting the famous Jamestown lighthouse fishing Village.

Duration: 1 hour

* You will end your tour for the day with a trip to Labadi Beach to experience the white sandy beach with cool breeze and Ghanaian beverages and kebab.

Duration: 3 hours

**Inclusions**

First day of accommodation

**Important Information**

Remember to take your Camera along.

**Exclusions:**

Accommodation after first day of stay is not included.

**Cancellation Policy**

For a full refund, cancel at least 48 hours in advance.

**IMPORTANT:**

**Kindly come along with the following:**

* Hydration BackPacks
* Water bottles
* Mosquitoe Repellant
* Sunscreen
* Malaria Pills

It would help to have a travel Insurance package.

**Accra Street Food Tour – Destination 2**

**Pricing:**

**$70 for up to 3 persons**

**Four or more persons in a group: $50**

**Overview**

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**What to Expect**

* Your tour Guide and Driver will arrive at the hotel at 7:30am. At 8am we should be set to start.
* This trip will take your through various places of Accra to have Break Fast, Lunch and Supper. Keep your stomach empty to have a taste of Ghanaian dishes and beverages from morning to evening.
* During the tour you will stop at various restaurants to have a taste of the various dishes.

**A few of the dishes and beverages to expect are listed below**

Hausa Koko

Waakye

Jollof Rice

Rice balls with peanut soup

Fufu with peanut, palm nut soup, light soup

Banku and okra stew or any other soup of choice

Banku with Tilapia and cayenne pepper

Tuo Zaafi with green leaf stew or soup

Red Red (beans and ripe plantain)

Sobolo Drink

Asana Drink

Zowey Adaakwa (Made from peanut and spices)

Brukina

Bofrot

**Included**

Food

Two bottles of water

Samples of local fruits

English speaking experience guide

**IMPORTANT:**

**Kindly come along with the following:**

* Water bottles
* Sunscreen

It would help to have a travel Insurance package.

**ADA FOAH -Destination 3**

**Ada foah** is paradise town of the Greater Accra Region of Ghana. It is an hour drive from Accra with many impressive sights. Experience the ambience of Ada Foah by land and boat. Without any doubt Ada Foah is a place of relaxation. Here, you will get in touch with nature and your inner self. People who come to Ada Foah come to happiness and leave with joy in their heart.

Among the many attractions are the Ada Foah Estruary, Aqua Safari, Crocodile Islands, mangrove forest, Bird sighting and Clean Long Sunny Beaches, Beach Soccer and Cultural Performances.

**Cost of one day Tour: $ 200**

**What to Expect**

**Estuary:**

* We will take a boat to the estuary where the largest man- made lake meets the South Atlantic Ocean. Get closer. Watch these two different colored waters struggle with each other but never mixing together.

Duration: 1:30 hours

**Crocodile Island:**

* From here we move to see the Crocodile Island. To be a true friend to the crocs, we offer them a live chicken. Take pictures with the Crocodiles after the generous offer.

Duration: 2:30 hours

* We move into Mangrove forest on Aflive Island, discover local animal species in their habitat and weave local mats/baskets. On the same Island taste local gin and package some for your trip.

Duration 1 hour

**Songor salt lagoon:**

* Experience and learn how the salt is locally mined and processed in Ghana at the Songor Salt Lagoon.

Working hours: Monday to Friday 9:30am to 4:00pm

**Old fort police station and sacred grove:**

* Visit the old fort police station to learn the history about slavery in Ghana.

Duration: 1 Hour

**Turtle watching tour (seasonal):**

• Join one of the trained tour guides on a nightly turtle watching tour and experience one of the three different species of marine turtles coming to the beach to lay eggs.

Tours take place from the month of September to February.

Duration: 2:30 Hour

**Asafotufiami festival tour (seasonal):**

• Experience Ada in its celebration mood during the Asafotufiami festival. Locals and tourists come together to experience ancient history, following a full seven-days-schedule of amazing cultural display.

Asafotufiami festival starts every first Thursday of August and lasts for one week. Tours are on Asafotu-Saturday from 8am to 2pm

**Inclusion:**

Transport by air-conditioned vehicle

1 day accommodation (Air conditioned room for two persons in each room)

Experienced Tour guide

**IMPORTANT:**

**Kindly come along with the following:**

* Hydration BackPacks
* Water bottles
* Mosquitoe Repellant
* Sunscreen
* Malaria Pills

It would help to have a travel Insurance package.

**THE VOLTA REGION – Destination 4**

The Volta Region of Ghana is known for its natural attractions and beautiful sights. On a guided tour from Accra, it’s possible to see Volta’s most popular spots in a day. The tour leads you to a monkey sanctuary, Wli waterfall and the high peak of Mount Afadja.

**Four Day Tour in Volta Region**

**Cost of Four Day Tour: $300**

**What to Expect**

**Day 1: Mountain Afadjato**

We will start our adventure from Mountain Afadjato. Climb to the highest point in Ghana. This takes a couple of hours and requires determination and the zeal to achieve. Remember to come along with a water bottle.

Duration: 5 hours

Included: 1 night accommodation in Ho

**Day 2: Wli Water**

Wli Waterfalls, Hohoe, Volta Region

Visit the Wli waterfall. We will climb the cliffs. A large colony of bats can be seen clinging to the cliffs. We have the liberty to swim at the fall.

Duration: 3 hours

**Day 3: Akosombo**

Akosombo Hydro Plant, Akosombo, Eastern Region

* The Akosombo Dam, also known as the Volta Dam, is a hydroelectric dam on the Volta River in south-eastern Ghana. The construction of the dam flooded part of the Volta River Basin, and led to the subsequent creation of Lake Volta.

We will take a canoe ride on Lake Volta (largest man-made lake in Ghana). A canoe ride on the lake is one of the most beautiful sights in Ghana.

Duration: 3 hours

Included: 1 night accommodation at Akosombo hotel

**Day 4: Tafi Atome Monkey Sanctuary,Tafi Atome, Volta Region**

* We make our way to the Tafi Atome monkey sanctuary. You will get up close to the monkeys and feed them.
* From the Monkey santuary we have a relaxing day at the Keta lagoon or one of the many beaches in the Volta region.

**IMPORTANT:**

**Kindly come along with the following:**

* Hiking Boot
* Hydration BackPacks
* Water bottles
* Mosquitoe Repellant
* Sunscreen
* Malaria Pills

It would help to have a travel Insurance package.

**CAPE COAST -Destination 5**

**Cape Coast** is a fishing port city situated in the Central Region of Ghana. The arterial language of Cape Coast is Fante. Founded by the people of Oguaa, Cape Coast is one of the most historical cities in Ghana. From the 16th century until Ghanaian independence, the city and fishing port changed hands between the British, the Portuguese, the Swedish, the Danish and the Dutch. It is enriched with thirty two (32) Festivals. The Cape Coast Castle which is now a World Heritage Site is a testament to European visits to this land of splendor.

The area is dominated by batholiths rock and is generally undulating with steep slopes. There are valleys of various streams between the hills with Kakum being the largest stream. The Kakum national Park derives its name from this stream.

The minor streams end in wetlands and the largest of which drains into the Fosu Lagoon at Bakano. Humid northern part of the district is ideal for the cultivation of various crops.

As with many indigenous places in the world, the people of Cape Coast have a mascot. Crab is the city's mascot and a statue of one stands in the city centre.

The the biennial Panafest theatre, Cape Coast Centre for National Culture, the Oguaa Fetu Afahye festival (held on the first Saturday of September) and the Kakum National Park are but a few attractions to Cape Coast.

A theatre festival named the biennial Panafest was established in the 1980s, to contemplate the effects of the slave trade. Based on the ideas of W.E.B. Du Bois, there are academic lectures as well as music and dance performances.

Take a two days trip from Accra to Cape Coast to visit the main attractions: Elmina Castle, Kakum National Park and Cape Coast Castle. Have good time to relax by the beach.

We arrange special trip to the coast and back in Accra with very comfortable transportation and flexible timing. You will see the Cape coast and Elmina castles as well as the Kakum national park within a day. We can have a tailored made tour for you when we know your needs and expectations.

**Two Day tour in Cape Coast**

**Price: $ 275**

**What to Expect**

**DAY 1**

**Kakum National Park**

* At 6:00 A.M your tour guide will pick you up from a location agreed on the previous day.
* The road trip is a three to four hour trip depending on traffic and weather conditions.
* Our first stop will be at the Kakum National Park, home to forest elephants, bongo antelopes and primates like the Diana monkey. The Canopy Walkway, suspended 30 meters above the ground, provides treetop views of the forest.
* There's the option of doing a 1h guided hiking through the forest at an extra fee.
* Relax by the beach, take a walk around local shops, enjoy a drink and have dinner.

**DAY 2**

**Elmina Castle and Cape Coast Castle**

* We will be heading to Elmina Castle. Here you will witness History. This trip will remind you of the dark sides of slavery and the lessons it leaves for current and future generations. Elmina Castle is the oldest European building in existence in the south of the Sahara.
* We take a walk around this beautiful fishing village and witness the fishermen on their daily tasks with passion.
* Stop by a local "chop bar" for lunch.
* The last stop will be Cape Coast Castle. Cape Coast Castle is one of about forty "slave castles", or large commercial forts, built on the Gold Coast of West Africa by European traders. It was originally built by the Swedes for trade in timber and gold, but later used in the trans-Atlantic slave trade.
* 6:00 P.M will be time to make our way back to Accra.

**Inclusion:**

Transport by air-conditioned vehicle

1 day accommodation (Air conditioned room for two persons in each room)

Meals at Cape Coast (Lunch and Dinner)

Tour guide

**Cancellation policy:**

For a full refund, cancel at least 48 hours in advance of the start date of the experience.

**MOLE NATIONAL PARK – Destination 6**

Mole National Park is Ghana's largest national park, situated in the heart of the pristine Guinea Savannah Woodland ecosystem in northern Ghana. It covers an area of 4,577 square kilometres (km²) and provides the best wildlife experience.

In the western part of the park, the Konkori Escarpment has panoramic views and overlooks waterholes where animals drink. There are waterfalls along the Kparia and Polzen rivers. To the south, Larabanga village has a centuries-old, Sudanese-style mosque.

Mole National Park has the widest range of wildlife in Ghana and offers tourist an experience of Elephant, leopards and rare birds such as the white-backed vulture in the wild. In the company of tour guards, one can easily have a sight of monkeys, warthogs, bushbucks, antelope, baboons, and other smaller wildlife.

In the company of armed wildlife ranger, Walking safaris usually take place in the early morning (6am) and late afternoon (4pm). Another option is to go on a driving safari with an armed ranger. These can be for up to a full day and gives you the opportunity to cover a much wider area of the park.

**4 Day Safari at Mole National Parks**

**Pricing: $1200**

**Overview**

* Enjoy an unforgettable wildlife viewing of African safari tours at Mole National park in Ghana.
* Experience elephants, lions, leopards, cheetah and other wildlife animals in their natural habitat.
* Discover the flora and fauna in their natural habitat.
* Visit and interact with friendly tribes living in small villages in remote and off the beaten places.

**What to Expect**

**Day 1: Accra**

* You will be met at the Kotoka International Airport and driven to your hotel.

**Day 2: Accra - Tamale - Mole National Park**

* You will be taken on a 6 hour drive from Accra to Tamale.
* From Tamale we will embark on a a 3 hour drive to Mole National Park.
* You will be transported to Mole Motel- a stunning location situated on the watering holes with a pleasant pool. You will start off with your late afternoon drive safari.

**Day 3: Mole National Park**

* You will wake up for your morning foot safari. After you will depart 15kms on dirt road from Mole Motel to Mognori Eco Village a charming and welcoming village made of traditional mud and thatch huts.
* We will take an hour canoe safari trip on the mole river up into the back of the mole national park.
* Head back to the

**Inclusions**

* Accommodation, double occupancy mid range hotel or similar
* 2 game drives at Mole National park.
* 1 foot safari at Mole National PARK accompanied with a guard
* 1 Canoe safari on Mole River up to Mole national park and back to the mognori eco village.
* Private transportation with professional driver to all sites mentioned in itinerary

**Cancellation Policy**

If you cancel at least 7 days in advance of the scheduled departure you will have a full refund.

If you cancel between 3 to 6 day(s) in advance of the scheduled departure, there is a 50 percent cancellation fee. If you cancel within 2 days of the scheduled departure you will have no refund.

**IMPORTANT:**

**Kindly come along with the following:**

* Hiking Boot
* Hydration BackPacks
* Water bottles
* Mosquitoe Repellant
* Sunscreen
* Malaria Pills

It would help to have a travel Insurance package.

**THE GREEN RANCH – Destination 7**

The Green Ranch is an Eco-Friendly Equestrian Leisure Center located in the Ashanti Region of Ghana just about 40 km from Kumasi. The Green Ranch is a horse-back riding destination overlooking beautiful Lake Bosomtwe. Green Ranch offers rides from one hour minimum up to a 10-hour trip around the whole lake. Elodie, the instructor is certified in equestrian expeditions so you can be rest assured your trip will go very smoothly.

Set in Abonu, The Green Ranch features a garden. Featuring a shared lounge, this property also welcomes guests with a restaurant, a water park and a terrace. The accommodation offers babysitting service, a tour desk and currency exchange for guests. The area is popular for hiking and fishing and features a table tennis area for tennis lovers.

This property is also rated for the best value in Abonu! Guests are getting more for their money when compared to other properties in this city.

The dorm is particularly nice, and has semi-open air stone shower cubicles with a view of the lake. Green Ranch has a wholesome vegetarian restaurant serving organic produce fresh from local farms.

PRICE: $320

**What to Expect**

* Green Ranch is for horse lovers to take full advantage of this unique experience in Ghana.
* Take the Big Loop around the whole lake that takes up to 10 hours. There is no word to describe the amplitude of the Big Loop experience. The Big Loop must be booked in advance and is not available on Saturdays
* This includes guided horseback riding on the shores of Lake Bosomtwe and through the traditional villages.
* As longer rides will enable you to see more of the environment such as cocoa plantations, plantain farms and the surrounding rainforest, do not hesitate to book a 2-hour or 3-hour or even a half-day ride to experience the wilderness of the lake to its fullest ! Beginners will be firmly assisted by the instructor to guide and control their gentle horse.
* Elodie will be your expedition guide as she is fully certified in equestrian expeditions as a horse-trekking instructor. This means she takes care of everything from the handling of the horses to any type of emergencies.
* Please remember to book your ride at least one day in advance to make sure there are no scheduling conflicts and to bring long pants, closed shoes, and sun protection.
* All other equipment including the safety helmet will be provided by the Ranch.
* There is nowhere else in Ghana that offers expeditions like this on horseback so come and have an unforgettable horse ride at Lake Bosomtwe with the Green Ranch Family.

**Inclusion**

Accomodation

Have fresh vegetarian dishes and homemade juices.

Before or after lunch we would be happy to take you on a horseback ride.

**IMPORTANT:**

**Kindly come along with the following:**

* Hiking Boot
* Hydration BackPacks
* Water bottles
* Mosquitoe Repellant
* Sunscreen
* Malaria Pills

It would help to have a travel Insurance package.

**ASHANTI REGION – Destination 8**

The Ashanti Region is the 3rd largest region in the country, and centrally located, with an area of about 24,389 km2. This region is inhabited by the Ashantis. It is one of the most important regions, and second to the capital city Accra, economically and politically.

The Ashanti Empire was very powerful, and wealthy in ancient Ghana government, and ancient Ghana trade respectively due to the abundance of gold mined from their territory. Thirty minutes drive from Kumasi is the biggest mines in the country- Obuasi Gold Mines. The capital city of the Ashanti Region is Kumasi or the Garden City. Night life is vibrant in the Ashanti Region. They work hard and play hard.

PRICE: $390

**What to Expect**

* This trip takes us from Accra to Kumasi either by private car.
* In a traditional Ghanaian society, the first thing you do in a community is to pay homage to the community head. Our very first stop will be at the palace of the Ashanti King (Osei Tutu ii)
* We visit the largest and busiest open market in West Africa- Kejetia Market.
* From the Kejetia Market we visit the historic site where Akomfo Anokye buried a mysterious sword.
* Our next stop is to the Adinkra cloth printing at Ntonso. Here you will observe how adinkra symbols are transferred unto cloths and understand the meaning of these symbols.
* From here we will escape the city to Lake Bosomtwe. We will spend a day at the Green Ranch beside Lake Bosomtwe. The lake is still seen as a sacred to the chiefs and people of the region.

**Inclusions:**

* 1 night accommodation
* Private car & driver

**IMPORTANT:**

**Kindly come along with the following:**

* Hydration BackPacks
* Water bottles
* Mosquitoe Repellant
* Sunscreen
* Malaria Pills

It would help to have a travel Insurance package.

**KOKROBITE – Destination 9**

Kokrobite is a town along the Atlantic coast. It is a fishing community thirty kilometers (30km) to the west of Accra. The town has budget friendly accommodation and dining options with relaxing reggae vibes.

Kokrobite is an ideal place to spend a few days relaxing while soaking in the view of its tropical beach. It is a popular destination for tourists, backpackers and international volunteers seeking beaches and a break from the busy capital city.

Koklobite is noted for its white-sand beaches and exciting nightlife. African drummers and dancers exhibit impeccable cultural performances at night. On Friday and Saturday nights Big Milly’s garden comes alive with live Cultural group of excellent drummers and dancers, Bonfire and Barbecue on the beach. On Saturday nights everyone dances beneath the coconut trees to a reggae and highlife band. However, the month of May is the traditional festive season of 'Homowo', during which period noise making and large social events are banned.

The waves at Kokrobite make it an ideal place for amateur and professional surfers. Mr Brights surf shop at the beach offers surf lessons and surf board to hire.

**PRICE: $170**

**What to expect**

* At 6:00 A.M your tour guide, will pick you up at your hotel. It's about an hour and half drive from Accra to Kokrobite.
* At about 8 A.M we will arrive at Kokrobite and get a room at Big Millys- A popular pup and hotel at the Kokrobite Beach.
* Relax on the beach and enjoy a nice meal and drinks.
* Take a walk on the beach and discover the many African Artworks, clothing, crafts or souvenirs.
* Watch the colorful fishing boats along the shore.
* Enjoy tasty organic fruits and meals.
* Enjoy Reggae Night on Friday Nights and African culture, music and performances from 2 P.M through the night on Saturdays.

**IMPORTANT:**

**Kindly come along with the following:**

* Hydration BackPacks
* Water bottles
* Mosquitoe Repellant
* Sunscreen
* Malaria Pills

It would help to have a travel Insurance package.

**Nzulezu – Destination 10**

Nzulezo is a village built entirely on stilts on Amanzule river. It is constructed out of wood and raffia with one central walkway and to dozen houses on either side. The only way to get there is to travel 5km on the lake in a local canoe. The most striking feature at Nzulezo are the wooden accommodation facilities hanging some five feet above the lake level. As a tradition, visitors to the village are welcomed by the chief of the village. He will give a talk on the history of the place and answer any questions from tourist.

PRICE: $400

**What to expect**

* There are no direct transports to Nzulezo. It’s about 6 Hours drive from Accra to Takoradi. From Takoradi to Nzulezu is about 3 Hours journey.
* At 6:00 A.M your tour guide, will pick you up at your hotel. It's about 6 hours and half drive from Accra takoradi
* From Takoradi we will take continue our journey to Banyin. That is an hour journey.
* We will then board take a boat from Banyin to Nzulezu. It will take us 45 to 5o minutes to get to Nzulezu.
* The people of Nzulezu are friendly and welcoming. We will have the experience of fishing on the local river and having a taste of their local palm wine drink.

**IMPORTANT:**

**Kindly come along with the following:**

* Hydration BackPacks
* Water bottles
* Mosquitoe Repellant
* Sunscreen
* Malaria Pills

It would help to have a travel Insurance package.

**BUSUA BEACH – Destination 11**

Busia beach is about 7 hours drive from Accra and located in the Western Region of Ghana. It is one of the cleanest beaches in Ghana with low tides. This makes it an ideal place for amateur surfers and swimming. Enjoy your stay in beautiful hotels facing the blue water beach. The sight at Busua beach is a marvel to the eye. Even the blind can enjoy the soothing sounds of the sea waves. To enjoy the native festival (Asa Baako) of the people of Busia, visit from the first to 6th days of March.

Price: $238

**What to Expect**

* At 6:00 A.M your tour guide, will pick you up at your hotel. It's about 7 hour drive from Accra to Takoradi and hour drive from Takoradi to Busia beach.
* Mr Bright Surf Shop and School at the beach are open to aspiring surfers and professional surfers. Surfing in these clean blue waters is an experience of a lifetime.

**IMPORTANT:**

**Kindly come along with the following:**

* Hydration BackPacks
* Water bottles
* Mosquitoe Repellant
* Sunscreen
* Malaria Pills

It would help to have a travel Insurance package.