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KILIMANJARO TREKKING · CAMPING

Kilimanjaro via Machame Route

Seven days on Kilimanjaro's most scenic camping route, with time to acclimatise at Lava Tower and Barranco before the summit.

DURATION	STARTS	ENDS
7 days / 6 nights	Moshi	Moshi
ROUTE	**ACCOMMODATION**	**FROM**
Machame Gate, Shira, Barranco, Uhuru Peak	Camping	USD 2,050 per person

Highlights

- Climb high, sleep low at Lava Tower (4,630 m)
- Scramble up the Barranco Wall
- Sunrise at Uhuru Peak, 5,895 m
- Quality mountain tents, mess tent and private toilet tent

Day-by-day itinerary

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Day 1: Machame Gate to Machame Camp

Machame Gate (1,800 m) to Machame Camp (2,835 m)

Register at the gate and hike through lush rainforest to the first camp.

Stay: Machame Camp **Meals:** Lunch, Dinner **Transport:** On foot **Travel:** 5–6 h hiking

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Day 2: Machame Camp to Shira Cave

Machame Camp to Shira Cave (3,750 m)

Leave the forest for moorland and climb onto the Shira Plateau with views of Kibo.

Stay: Shira Cave Camp **Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner **Transport:** On foot **Travel:** 4–6 h hiking

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Day 3: Shira to Lava Tower to Barranco

Shira Cave to Barranco Camp (3,960 m)

Climb to Lava Tower at 4,630 m for acclimatisation, then descend to Barranco Camp beneath the great wall.

Stay: Barranco Camp **Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner **Transport:** On foot **Travel:** 6–7 h hiking

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Day 4: Barranco Wall to Karanga

Barranco Camp to Karanga Camp (3,995 m)

Scramble up the Barranco Wall, then follow the southern circuit to Karanga Valley. A short day to help acclimatisation.

Stay: Karanga Camp **Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner **Transport:** On foot **Travel:** 4–5 h hiking

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Day 5: Karanga to Barafu high camp

Karanga Camp to Barafu Camp (4,673 m)

Climb into alpine desert to Barafu, eat early and rest before the summit attempt.

Stay: Barafu Camp **Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner **Transport:** On foot **Travel:** 4–5 h hiking

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Day 6: Summit night to Uhuru Peak, descend to Mweka

Barafu Camp to Mweka Camp (3,100 m)

Start around midnight. Reach Stella Point on the crater rim near dawn, then Uhuru Peak. Descend to Barafu for brunch and continue to Mweka Camp.

Stay: Mweka Camp **Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner **Transport:** On foot **Travel:** 12–15 h hiking

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Day 7: Mweka Gate and back to Moshi

Mweka Camp to Moshi

Descend through the rainforest to Mweka Gate, collect your summit certificate and transfer to Moshi.

Meals: Breakfast **Transport:** On foot, then vehicle **Travel:** 3–4 h hiking

Included

+ All park, camping and rescue fees
+ Guides, cook and porters with fair wages
+ Mountain tents, sleeping mats, mess tent and toilet tent
+ All meals and drinking water on the mountain
+ Emergency oxygen and pulse oximeter
+ Airport and gate transfers
+ Summit certificate

Not included

– International flights and visa
– Travel insurance (must cover up to 6,000 m)
– Tips for the mountain crew
– Sleeping bag and gear hire
– Hotel nights in Moshi (can be added)
– Personal expenses

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Price

PER PERSON

USD 2,050

Per person, 2 climbers, all park fees included
1 climber: USD 2,450 per person
2 climbers: USD 2,050 per person
3–6 climbers: USD 1,920 per person

Children: Minimum age for the summit is 10 years.

Prices shown are estimated starting prices and may vary depending on travel dates, availability, accommodation category, park fees, number of travellers and requested services. Final pricing will be confirmed by SASU Tours.

Requirements

- Good fitness: you should be able to hike 6–8 hours on consecutive days
- Travel insurance covering trekking to 6,000 m and helicopter evacuation
- Minimum age 10
- Medical check recommended

Cancellation

- 60 days or more before arrival: deposit refunded minus bank charges
- 59–30 days: 30% of the tour price
- 29–8 days: 50% of the tour price
- 7 days or less, or no-show: 100% of the tour price

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