

The Singita logo is written in a white, elegant script font. It is positioned on the left side of the header, partially overlapping a vertical line that separates it from the text on the right. The background of the entire page is a photograph of a hot air balloon with green and yellow vertical stripes floating in a clear blue sky, with green tree branches visible in the foreground and bottom corners.

SINGITA SERENGETI

Hot air ballooning

Operated by our preferred supplier, Serengeti Balloon Safaris

Experience the Serengeti from above

Bookings to be made in advance through Singita

Three balloon sizes - up to 16 guests welcome

Available daily, weather permitting

- Singita guests have the opportunity to experience the Serengeti from the air aboard a hot air balloon.
- Partnering with our preferred supplier in the region, Serengeti Balloon Safaris, this experience offers guests a unique way to experience the Serengeti at sunrise.
- Guests are driven from their Singita lodge or camp to the balloon launch site.
- A welcome and safety briefing is followed by watching the hot air balloon inflate.
- Climb aboard and rise as the sun rises to view Africa aloft.
- The balloon floats in whichever direction the winds guide while your pilot precisely controls the altitude of the balloon – sometimes at treetop height, at other times ascending to 1 000 feet to see the enormity of the reserve.



Serengeti Balloon Safaris Rates & Terms

Guests staying at Singita Grumeti and Lamai have the opportunity to experience the Serengeti from the air aboard a hot air balloon. Partnering with our preferred supplier in the region, Serengeti Balloon Safaris, this experience offers guests a unique way to experience the vastness of the Serengeti at sunrise. This activity can be booked on arrival at the lodge, however, it is recommended that this activity is pre-booked through Singita reservations prior to arrival.

Ballooning is only available in Lamai from 15 June 2027 – 15 November 2027.

PRIVATE BALLOON EXPERIENCE:

Valid 01 January 2027 – 31 December 2027	
1 - 8 passengers	USD 4,600 per balloon
9 - 12 passengers	USD 6,660 per balloon
13 - 16 passengers	USD 8,720 per balloon

*Rate includes VAT of 18% and excludes the landing levy of USD 59 per person, payable at time of booking.

SHARED BALLOON EXPERIENCE:

- Shared balloon experiences are only available in Lamai when staying at Mara River Tented Camp from 15 June 2027 – 15 November 2027.
- At least two flexible days during the stay are needed for coordination.
- Minimum two guests at a cost of USD 660 per person. *Rate is inclusive of VAT (18%) and the USD 59 landing levy per person.

CANCELLATION POLICY:

- 14 days prior to flight - no cancellation fees
- 13 – 7 days prior to flight - 50% cancellation fees
- 6 days - 48 hours prior to flight - 75% cancellation fees
- Less than 48 hours & no show - 100% cancellation fees
- The above terms apply regardless of the reason for cancellation.
- If Serengeti Balloon Safari cancels due to weather or technical issues, an alternative booking will be made or a full refund will be arranged.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

- Three balloon sizes available: 8, 12 & 16 passengers. Balloons carrying 12 & 16 passengers are on request.
- Flights are conducted daily, throughout the year (weather permitting).
- Flights are approximately one hour, subject to wind speed and direction.
- Children over the age of 6 are welcome. There is no upper age limit.
- Guests must be reasonably mobile and fit to fly.
- Passenger weight is calculated at an average of 80 kg.
- Operating since 1990, Tanzania's balloon industry is regulated by the Tanzanian Civil Aviation Authority. All pilots hold commercial balloon pilot licenses.