

Tipping in Africa

Tipping in Africa isn't required but is a kind way to thank those who make your journey memorable. Even small amounts can have a big impact. Use this guide if you're unsure, and always tip based on the service you receive.

Suggested tipping figures to help you plan...

Camp Staff

- Per couple per night \$30 \$50 USD
- Usually there is a tip box (please note that this does not go to your guide)

Guides

- Per couple per night \$50 USD
- Tip your guide directly (always handy to take a few envelopes)

Trackers

- Per couple per day with your tracker \$10 \$15 USD
- Tip your tracker separately at the end. Not every camp uses trackers.

Extras

- If someone is exceptional, feel free to tip them separately. This is for excellent service.
- Bring about \$50 in \$1 bills for easy tipping—perfect for porters, drivers, and other helping hands along the way. Small notes make showing appreciation simple and stress-free.
- In Africa, cash is king