

Reisebine

10 Day 4WD Broome to Darwin Overland



Embark on an epic tour through Western Australia and the Top End

Experience the wild and rugged beauty of Australia's northwest tip on this 4WD journey through the Kimberleys. A region of breathtaking natural scenery, rich brooding landscapes and plentiful iconic wildlife, this is a taste of Australia at its most untamed. Explore the narrow rock passages winding through the Bungle Bungles, spot crocodiles sunning on the banks of Windjana Gorge and discover the gorgeous swimming holes of El Questro and Katherine. For a trip that brings you face-to-face with Australia's vast horizons and immense wilderness, you really can't go past this 4WD Broome to Darwin adventure.

Why you'll love this trip

- Experience the beautiful Kimberleys in rugged style with a local guide. Our passionate leaders love this trip as much as you will. Enjoy plenty of time to discover the untamed natural beauty of El Questro Station. Paddle around in waterfalls, hike through gorges and access remote parts of this huge park on adventurous 4WD expeditions. The red domes of the Bungle Bungle Ranges in Purnululu National Park form one of the most iconic Australian landscapes in existence. You'll have a whole day to explore the gorges and valleys of the park, not to mention soak up a few fiery sunsets. Tunnell Creek has a rich First Nations

and bushranger history. Walk through the underground passage with your Guide learning about the culture and traditions of the first Australians

Itinerary

Day 1: Broome - Tunnel Creek National Park

Welcome to Broome, an easy going tourist town with a pretty striking strip of coastline. We set off into the West Australian wilds pretty early today, so consider arriving a day or two early if you fancy getting to know Broome better. After a bit of highway driving we reach the Fitzroy River, then it's all off-road to the Napier Range. The main attraction here is a guided walk through Tunnel Creek, a vast cave system that extends 750 metres underground.

Accommodation: Camping (with facilities) (1 night)

Included Activities: Tunnel Creek exploration walk

Meals Included: Lunch, Dinner

Special Information: The total driving time today is around 5 hours. Total walking distance is approximately three kilometres including walking through water in Tunnel Creek.

Day 2: Windjana Gorge

Today we head to Windjana Gorge, once an underwater reef just 350 million years ago. During the wet season a river flows all the way through it, but during the dry it's really more a series of ponds and billabongs. Set out on a bit of an explore, hopefully spotting a freshwater crocodile or two. The western Kimberley region is full of endless stunning gorges that have to be explored and this afternoon is no exception. Bell Gorge is home to a stunning cascade of water flowing from the previous wet season rains that fall in the King Leopold Ranges. We enjoy an afternoon swim in the large plunge pool before making our way to camp along the Gibb River Road.

Accommodation: Camping (with facilities) (1 night)

Included Activities: Bell Gorge, Windjana Gorge

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Special Information: The total driving time today is around 4.5 hours. The total walking distance is approximately four to six kilometres including walking through water in Tunnel Creek.

Day 3: Manning Gorge

We spend the morning exploring Manning gorge and enjoy a swim in the pools under Manning Falls. After stretching your legs on the hike in you will be rewarded with a swim in a large rock pool at the base of Manning Falls. Spend the afternoon exploring Adcock or Galvins gorge before heading back to camp to relax around the campfire.

Accommodation: Camping (with facilities) (1 night)

Included Activities: Galvans Gorge, Adcock Gorge, Manning Gorge

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Special Information: The total driving time today is around 1 hour. The total walking distance is approximately six to eight kilometres.

Day 4: Gibb River Road to El Questro

Fording rivers and weaving through gorges, travel by 4WD along the wild Gibb River Road – a 600-kilometre stretch that winds right through the heart of the Kimberley. Pass

through remote and extraordinary country as you travel through this historic part of Australia. Cross the Pentecost River to reach the famous El Questro Station, where you'll spend the night camping under the stars.

Accommodation: Camping (with facilities) (1 night)

Included Activities: Gibb River Road

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Special Information: The total driving time today is around 6 hours. Total walking distance is approximately two kilometres.

Day 5: El Questro Station

Wake up with the knowledge of not having to pack up camp before spending the day exploring the amazing sights of El Questro Station. Enjoy a relaxing swim at Zebedee Springs before tackling the hike into either Emma Gore or El Questro Gorge where you will be rewarded with a stunning waterfall and a swim. Tonight enjoy another night at the El Questro campsite, where you might choose to enjoy a well-earned drink at the station bar with your travel mates.

Accommodation: Camping (with facilities) (1 night)

Included Activities: Emma Gorge, Zebedee Springs

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Special Information: The total driving time today is only around 45 minutes. Total walking distance is up to 6 kilometres.

Day 6: Purnululu National Park (Bungle Bungle Range)

Say goodbye to El Questro and hello Bungle Bungles. Today we drive through the rugged landscape of Carr Boyd and the Durack Ranges into Purnululu National Park. This park is home-ground of the Bungle Bungles, a UNESCO World Heritage Site dominated by massive sandstone karsts that rear hundreds of metres above the surrounding grasslands. We arrive at our bush camp in time to sit back and watch the sun set over the Osmond Ranges. If you've had enough of tent camping by now, you might want to spend tonight sleeping out beneath the stars snuggled up in a swag.

Accommodation: Camping (with basic facilities - no showers) (1 night)

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Special Information: The total driving time today is approximately 5 hours. The total walking distance is approximately five kilometres.

Day 7: Purnululu National Park (Bungle Bungle Range)

After breakfast prepare for a full day of activities. Explore the remarkable rock formations of the Bungle Bungle Range. Hike to the constricted, red gap of Echidna Chasm and the immense Cathedral Gorge. You'll also have the opportunity to experience another perspective of the Bungles in a helicopter flight (at your own expense). As the sun goes down, head back to your overnight bush camp.

Accommodation: Camping (with basic facilities) (1 night)

Included Activities: Cathedral Gorge Walk (Bungle Bungle), Echidna Chasm Walk

Optional Activities: Helicopter Flight - Bungle Bungles - from - AUD350

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Special Information: The total driving time today is around 1 hour. The total walking distance is approximately five kilometres.

Day 8: Lake Argyle

This morning you will once again experience some serious 4WD action as you wind your way out of the Bungle Bungles. Take some time to have a look around the picturesque town of Kununarra. In the late afternoon, travel down beside the Ord River to make camp at Lake Argyle. You have the choice of relaxing in the famous infinity pool overlooking the magnificent Lake Argyle or appreciating it from the water by choosing to do a cruise (own expense). This vast body water has been forged by the Ord River Dam. The biggest manmade lake in Australia, Lake Argyle is 18 times the size of Sydney Harbour!

Accommodation: Camping (with facilities) (1 night)

Included Activities: Lake Argyle

Optional Activities: Lake Argyle Sunset Cruise - AUD100

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Special Information: The total driving time today is around 5.5 hours. Total walking distance is one kilometre.

Day 9: Lake Argyle to the Katherine region

Not long after breakfast say goodbye to WA as from here we cross the state border into the Northern Territory. The day is spent enjoying the last views of the Boabs you have fallen in love with as we make our way towards our last camp for the night just outside of Nitmiluk National Park in the Katherine Region.

Accommodation: Permanent tented camp (with shared facilities) (1 night)

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Special Information: The total driving time today is around 7 hours. Total walking distance is around one kilometre.

Day 10: Darwin

On the final day of the trip, stop at either the secluded gorge of Nitmiluk (Katherine Gorge) or take one last plunge for the trip into the cool waters of Edith Falls. In the afternoon, make your way to Darwin, where your adventure comes to an end. Please book any onward travel the following day.

Included Activities: Katherine Gorge

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch

Special Information: The total driving today is around 4.5 hours. Total walking distance is approximately two kilometres.

Included activities

- Tunnel Creek exploration walk
- Bell Gorge
- Windjana Gorge
- Galvans Gorge
- Adcock Gorge
- Manning Gorge
- Gibb River Road
- Emma Gorge
- Zebedee Springs
- Cathedral Gorge Walk (Bungle Bungle)
- Echidna Chasm Walk
- Lake Argyle
- Katherine Gorge

Teilnehmer: min 1 bis max. 20 Personen (Mindestalter 12 Jahre)

Transport: Geländewagen

Includierte Mahlzeiten: 9x Frühstück, 10x Mittagessen, 9x Abendessen

Übernachtung: 9 Nächte Camping

Gepäck Limit: 15 kg, please bring a soft sided bag only

geeignet für Menschen mit eingeschränkter Mobilität: ja (genauere Information auf Anfrage)

Rollstuhl geeignet: nein

Die Sprache während der Tour ist englisch