

CAMPING IN THE WILD

OI Pejeta Conservancy offers private campsites that are an ideal alternative accommodation option for visiting school groups. We have five campsites available for exclusive bookings, which include firewood, camp toilets and water.



COMMUNITY VISITS

In collaboration with our Community Department, we organise cultural exchange visits between our visitor schools and the local schools around the Conservancy.

This offers a great opportunity for the children to play together, exchange ideas and learn from each other. The visitor schools are welcome to support the local school they visit in any way they can, however the main objective is for the children to interact and create lasting memories of their interaction.



OUR RATES

| ITEM | RATE & REMARKS |
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| GAME DRIVE | AS PER TARIFF GUIDE |
| CAMPING IN THE WILD | AS PER TARIFF GUIDE |
| CONSERVATION TALKS | A donation in support of our conservation programme |
| LION TRACKING | \$20 per student Maximum of 6 students while using our 4 x 4 vehicle |
| NIGHT GAME DRIVE | \$20 per student Maximum of 6 students while using our 4 x 4 vehicle |
| CONSERVATION IN ACTION | \$10 per student For every group size of 20 students |

HOW TO BOOK

We encourage all booking to be done at least a week prior.

Contact our OI Pejeta Tourism Office:
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OI PEJETA CONSERVANCY



INSPIRING KENYA'S YOUNG LEARNERS

OUR CONSERVATION EDUCATION PROGRAMME

Over the past two years, over 40,000 school children have taken part in OI Pejeta's conservation education programme. Visiting OI Pejeta gives young learners a chance to get hands-on with the environment, and see conservation in action. Not only does it reinforce what they have learned in class, but it empowers them to make positive changes in their home communities.

The programme continues to receive new, repeat and referral school groups from across Kenya, and overseas. Our approach is tailored to each and every visiting group, allowing students to get the most out of their wild experience.



WHY OI PEJETA?



OI Pejeta Conservancy is the perfect playground for young learners. Our 110,000 acres is home to hundreds of wildlife species, including more than 140 rhinos (black rhinos, southern white rhinos and northern white rhinos). It contains four different key habitats; open grassland, riverine, wetland and mixed acacia bushland, each supporting its own unique biodiversity.

The conservation education programme aims to raise awareness about endangered species, and highlight the role everyone can play in wildlife conservation. Game drives with experienced guides enable students to learn more about OI Pejeta's ecosystems, and gives many children the opportunity to get close to wildlife they have never seen. Our information centre has interactive exhibits and fun facts to feed inquisitive minds, and our conservation education talks aim to inspire action in young people, citing examples they've seen in the field.

CONSERVATION YOU CAN TOUCH

Hands-on activities are always the most popular for young people. At OI Pejeta, we want to keep curiosity wild, which is why we offer school groups the chance to get 'behind the scenes'.

- At the Chimpanzee Sanctuary, students help with fence inspection. They learn that chimpanzees use dry wood to escape through the electric fence, and so they are also tasked with collecting any wood they find on the way.
- In the Endangered Species Enclosure, young learners help with the daily care of the northern white rhinos. In doing so, they learn about the plight of the northern whites, and what is being done to save this subspecies.
- In as much as OI Pejeta is a wildlife conservancy, it is also a working cattle ranch. Income from cattle helps fund conservation and community outreach activities, and is an integral part of our rangeland management strategy. Students help move the mobile predator-proof cattle bomas around, learning about the pasture management as they do so. They also help with head counts and tick-spraying.

Groups who have booked in advance can also take part in lion tracking, where they help identify individual lions by whisker patterns, and learn about the threats they face in the wild.

