

Safety Courses for self-drivers

Pre-departure training and Africa safety driving skills course



Staying safe on gravel roads is a priority

25 years of planning and operating Self-Drive Safaris have taught us how to stay safe in Africa

The team at the Self Drive Safari Resource have developed a pre-departure safety course for anyone planning to drive themselves in Africa, designed to keep you safe on your holiday so that you have a rewarding and stress free journey. The one day course gives practical guide lines for all the day to day situations that you will encounter. We will be covering all the questions that relate to your journey with a detailed review of safety. The course is suitable for self drivers who makes all their own travel arrangements and also for those booking their journey through tour operators.



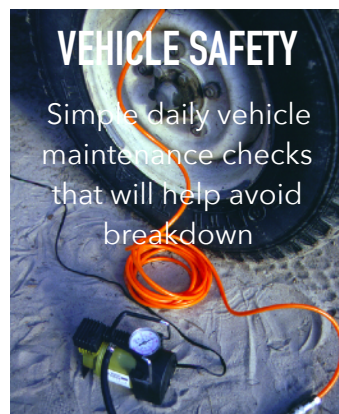
RED TAPE

Road blocks and borders can be stressful and need to be approached in the correct manner



HEALTH CARE

Personal health in Africa needs to be actively planned



VEHICLE SAFETY

Simple daily vehicle maintenance checks that will help avoid breakdown



Campsite safety

Simple precautions can avoid many of the risks when camping



Driving dangers

The best roads are often the most testing, spotting the dangers early is a priority



Game viewing

How to avoid stressing game and how to stay safe when big herds of elephants surround your vehicle.

Africa safety driving skills course

The Self Drive Resource African Driving course is a practical hands on experience

In conjunction with the one day Safety Course we operate in a one day specialist Africa Drivers course that has been designed to give you practical hands on experience of the conditions that you will be facing on the roads of Africa.

Importantly it addresses the differing road conditions of Africa and focuses on safety aspects rather than the traditional 4x4 courses. It is run in conjunction with selected BORDA driving course operators.

Daily vehicle maintenance and simple checks will keep you running

Simple tasks like changing a wheel or running tyres at the correct pressures become far more important in Africa where remote locations with few back up services and help which may be hours away mean that you need to be self sufficient.



“Basic vehicle repair skills will help you avoid breakdowns”

You will be driving similar vehicles to the ones that you be driving in Africa to help familiarise you with the controls, and their operation. specially the function of differential locks and four wheel drive.



COURSE DATES & PRICES:

Courses operate on Saturday and Sundays check web site for dates.

Saturday full day: Pre-departure training course

Sunday full day : African safety driving skills, practical driving course.

WHO ARE WE:

Self Drive Safari Resource offers free advice and training services to independent travellers who are planning self drive safaris and overland travel.

