



COMPANY PROFILE / ZIMBABWE + UAE

THE BRIDGE BETWEEN TWO WORLDS

Connecting Middle Eastern capital and travellers with Zimbabwe's eco-tourism, while building youth capacity at home.

TOURISM

Safaris & tours

LEARNING

Outdoor education

PEOPLE

Youth development

PLACES

Conservation

VISION

To be Zimbabwe's premier adventure, tour and vocational skills hub, integrating tourism, education, field studies and conservation.

HARARE, ZIMBABWE • REPRESENTATION IN DUBAI

TAKAENDA SAFARIS & TOURS

Travel that connects places, people and possibility.



WHO WE ARE

The bridge between two worlds

Headquartered in Harare with Dubai representation, Takaenda Safaris & Tours is a Zimbabwean company built to connect Middle Eastern capital and travellers with Zimbabwe's eco-tourism while building youth capacity at home.

OUR VISION

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OUR MISSION

To deliver safe, reliable, high-value travel and outdoor education while empowering youth through adventure training.

ONE CONNECTED MODEL

Five lines of work

01

SAFARIS, TOURS & DESTINATION SERVICES

Guided wildlife, cultural, group and corporate experiences.

02

OUTDOOR EDUCATION & YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

Hiking, camping, bushcraft, high ropes and water sports.

03

FIELD STUDIES & ENVIRONMENTAL LITERACY

Learning journeys that bring geography, ecology and conservation into the field.

04

VOCATIONAL SKILLS & CONSERVATION

Eco-lodge, catering, solar and bio-digester skills connected to conservation.

05

MAZOE YOUTH ADVENTURE & SKILLS CAMPUS

Flagship campus vision: 100 ha, 100 beds, high ropes, zip-lines, river docks and a solar microgrid.

ZIMBABWEAN ROOTS • UAE REACH • EDUCATION THROUGH EXPERIENCE

ZIMBABWE • LEARN BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

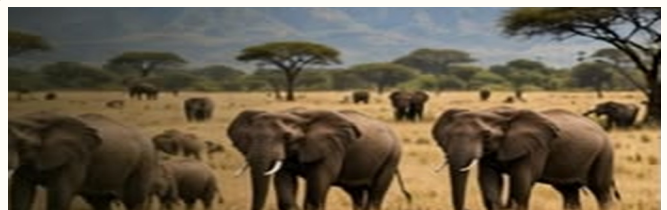
Field trips with a purpose

Turn Zimbabwe's landscapes into living classrooms. Each journey can be shaped around geography, ecology, conservation, culture, leadership and the learning goals of your group.



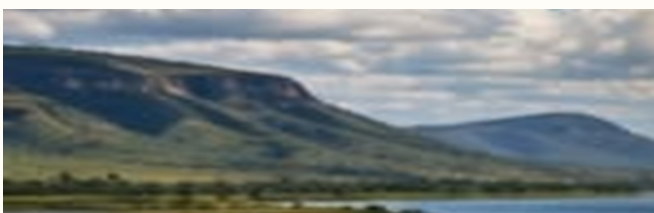
Victoria Falls

Water systems • geology • conservation • heritage



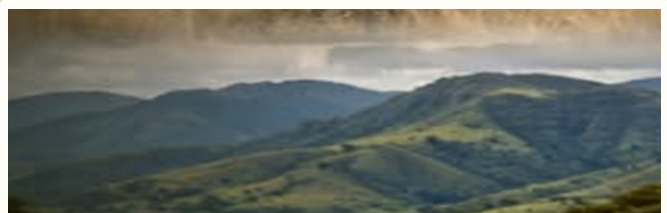
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Wildlife ecology • conservation • human-wildlife coexistence



Kariba

Lake ecology • hydroelectricity • water stewardship



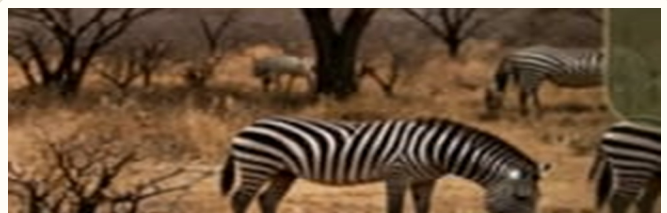
Nyanga

Mountain climate • watersheds • highland ecology



Matobo / Matopos

Granite landforms • rock art • biodiversity • heritage



Gonarezhou

Biodiversity • ecosystems • conservation • sustainable tourism

PLAN A SCHOOL LEARNING JOURNEY

Choose a destination, age group and learning focus. We'll shape the route and field activities around your school's objectives.

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INTERNATIONAL EDUCATIONAL TRIPS

Curiosity without borders

Designed for school groups and young people, international journeys connect culture, school exchange, STEM and technology, sport, leadership, global citizenship and career exposure.



UAE • ALL SEVEN EMIRATES

Abu Dhabi • Dubai • Sharjah • Ajman • Umm Al Quwain • Ras Al Khaimah • Fujairah

Explore heritage, architecture, innovation, sustainability, aviation, sport and enterprise through a tailored group itinerary.

FR

France

Art, language, heritage, design and enterprise.

CN

China

STEM, technology, innovation and living history.

ZNZ

Zanzibar

Marine ecology, Swahili culture and Indian Ocean trade.

CPT

Cape Town

Biodiversity, marine science, history and entrepreneurship.

NAM

Namibia

Desert ecology, geology, conservation and astronomy.

EG

Egypt

Ancient engineering, archaeology and Nile environments.

ALSO AVAILABLE

Additional destinations can be developed around your school's subject themes, sport, exchange interests and travel window.

MAKE THE WORLD PART OF THE LESSON

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Routes and activities are tailored to the group and destination.

DUBAI TOURS & UAE EXPERIENCES

A city of contrasts. A journey of discovery.

From desert traditions to harbour lights and city landmarks, design a programme around youth groups, schools or private travellers. UAE-wide itineraries can include all seven emirates. Photographs illustrate experience types; exact routes are designed for each group.



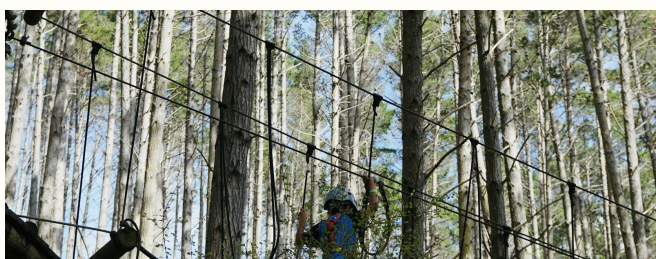
Sunset Desert Safari

4x4 dune driving • fleet at sunset



Dune Joy

Youth groups • confidence through play



Leadership Through Adventure

High ropes & team building • ERCA-certified course



Dubai Creek Nights

Emaar views • dhow cruise • harbour lights



Dubai City Tour

Burj Khalifa skyline • urban discovery



Camel Heritage

Desert culture • heritage experiences



Mountain Navigation

Drakensberg mapping • outdoor navigation



Expedition Trekking

Students navigating, contributing & leading



PROGRAMMES FOR SCHOOLS & ORGANISATIONS

Stronger teams start with shared experience

Purpose-built sessions bring people together to communicate, take responsibility, solve problems and carry new energy back into school or work.

SCHOOLS

PREFECTS • STUDENT LEADERSHIP • TEAM BUILDING

Prefect induction & role clarity

Leadership and communication skills

Responsibility, discipline & service

Problem-solving team challenges

Student leadership camps

A stronger, more connected school culture

CORPORATE

TEAM BUILDING • RETREATS • CONFERENCES

Corporate team-building programmes

Leadership development

Staff and executive retreats

Strategy off-sites & wellness days

Conferences, meetings & events

CSR and purpose-led team experiences

THE TAKAENDA EXPERIENCE

CONNECT

CHALLENGE

COLLABORATE

REFLECT

APPLY

Programs can be tailored to group size, age range, objectives and setting. For conferences and retreats, activity, facilitation and event elements can be combined into one coordinated programme.

LET'S DESIGN YOUR PROGRAMME

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OUTDOOR EDUCATION & YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

Adventure with a learning purpose

Our programmes bring learning out of the classroom. Participants can practise leadership, teamwork and practical outdoor skills while exploring the environments around them.

OUTDOOR SKILLS

Hiking • camping • bushcraft • high ropes • water sports

FIELD STUDIES

Geography • ecology • wildlife • environmental literacy

YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

Communication • responsibility • teamwork • leadership

VOCATIONAL SKILLS

Eco-lodge • catering • solar systems • bio-digesters

FLAGSHIP DEVELOPMENT VISION

Mazoe Youth Adventure & Skills Campus

A proposed campus concept for outdoor learning, youth development, vocational skills and conservation. • Zimbabwe field journeys: Victoria Falls, Hwange, Kariba, Nyanga, Matobo and Gonarezhou.





SAFETY, VALUES & PARTNERSHIP

Built around preparation and care

Programmes are supported by documented operating and safety practices designed to help teams plan, brief and respond consistently.

SAFETY SYSTEMS

Documented risk assessments

Identify hazards and programme-specific controls.

SOPs and SWPs

Standard and safe work procedures for activities.

Equipment checks

Pre-use logs for equipment and activity readiness.

Child safeguarding

Safeguarding practices for youth programmes.

Environmental protocols

Heat, hydration and evacuation planning.

Incident reporting

A documented route for incident records and follow-up.

CORE VALUES

Safety

Professionalism

Integrity

Environmental stewardship

Community impact

Innovation

WHY PARTNER WITH TAKAENDA

Government-ready

Partnership agreement drafted.

Transparent numbers

Open-book approach.

Safety-engineered

Health, Safety & Operations Manual.

Dual-market reach

Zimbabwe + UAE.

PARTNERSHIP THAT CONNECTS MARKETS

Takaenda brings Zimbabwean destination knowledge together with representation in Dubai. We welcome conversations with schools, public institutions, travel groups and corporate partners interested in tourism, outdoor education and youth capacity-building.

HARARE, ZIMBABWE • DUBAI REPRESENTATION



LEADERSHIP

Three founders. One shared vision.

Takaenda is led by founders whose backgrounds span hospitality, outdoor leadership, youth development, water adventure and wilderness safety.

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HOSPITALITY • ADVENTURE • FITNESS

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LET'S BUILD A JOURNEY TOGETHER

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