

FREQUENTLY

ASKED QUESTIONS

SURVIVE LIFE GAP YEAR CAMP

Why book your gap year camp with Boswa Survival?

- Boswa Survival is South-Africa's best training academy and we have been training students since 2007.
- We have trained more than 4000 students and have a 100% safety record.
- You will receive accredited certifications for all courses, adventures and experiences that you complete on this camp.
- This is not only an incredible gap year camp, this is an investment in your future.

Who typically book the gap year camp?

- This gap camp is for young school leavers or someone that want to take some time off life or their studies to experience adventure, discover themselves and to grow as a person through facing challenges and building character.

What will I experience and learn on this gap year camp?

- You will have incredible experiences and adventures and you will learn skills that will help you to get out for your comfort zone and face your challenges. You will earn accredited qualifications that you can add to your cv.

Can I trust Boswa Survival to look after me on this gap year camp?

- All our instructors, trainers and staff have been trained to the highest level and we always make sure that client and student safety and satisfaction is our priority.
- Your personal experiences and growth is our priority and we focus on building trust with our students to allow them to reach their full potential.

• Can I get a job with my qualifications from this gap year camp?

- After you have completed this gap year camp, you will be able to use the accredited qualifications to get a job in the outdoor industry.
- We also have an internship program where students that have completed the gap year camp have the opportunity to come back and work as camp leaders on future camps. This is an ideal opportunity for some that have time to invest.

• What accredited qualifications will I receive from this gap year camp?

- All our courses, adventures, camps and events are accredited by STASA, Survival Training Association of South Africa.
- You can add all your qualifications received from Boswa Survival to your CV.

Where is this gap year camp held?

- This gap year camp are held at our Western Cape training branch in Gouritsmond.
- The environment is incredible for outdoor activities and you will have the opportunity to experience the amazing beauty of this pristine wilderness area.

• What is included in the gap year camp price?

- Official branded fleece top, shirt, t-shirt, cap and survival buff is included in the camp price.
- Complimentary survival knife, firesteel, water bottle, fire bucket, paracord, survival buff and rescue whistle is included in the camp price.
- All accommodation, travel and meals are included in the camp price.
- All training kit, adventures, entrances and course materials are included in the camp price.
- All certifications and course badges are included in the camp price.
- You will be required to bring your own personal kit and there is a kit list available on every course, adventure, camp and event page with the recommended kit.
- We do not have any hidden costs that is not mentioned on the pages of our website.

• Where will I sleep on this gap year camp?

- For this gap year camp you will sleep comfortably, dry and warm in a provided safari tent.
- In the field on survival courses you will sleep in either a survival shelter or in a provided tent.
- There are some luxury days where you will sleep in a bed and breakfast or similar modern accommodation.

What will I eat on this gap year camp?

- All meals are provided and is designed to provide good nutrition in all the food groups. You will receive 3 full meals per day and also snacks and food packs on adventures in the field.
- On survival courses we will give you the opportunity to try natural food but you will never be forced to eat anything that you do not want to eat.
- For some outings and adventures you will be eating in a restaurant where the meals is included in the camp price.

Do I need to be fit to attend the gap year camp?

- Although no great fitness level is required for this gap year camp, you will be required to perform some physical activities. These are always managed according to the students ability and fitness level.
- We do not run our courses or events as "army style" activities and you will not be required to do any strenuous or physical activities that you do not feel comfortable with.
- You do not need to be super fit to attend our courses, adventures or events. A normal overall fitness will be sufficient.

• How old do I need to be to attend this gap year camp?

- This gap year camp is open to anyone over the age of 16 years.
- As this is a gap camp experience designed for young people we have a maximum age cut-off of 30 years of age. No person older than 30 may attend this camp.

• Is it safe to attend this gap year camp if I am a single lady?

- You will be completely safe on this gap year camp.
- You will have privacy should you need it and we will look after you at all times on all camp events.