

# **WESTERN CAPE**

TOUR DESCRIPTION	DAYS OF OPERATION	DURATION
<b>Two Oceans Aquarium</b> With more than 3000 marine creatures on view – including sharks, turtles and penguins - the Two Oceans Aquarium is one of the finest aquariums in the world. It comprises of seven exhibition galleries with large viewing windows and allows you to discover the life of the Atlantic Ocean including rarities like the translucent jellyfish, Knysna seahorse and giant spider crabs.	Daily	Entrance ticket R270pp R201 (14 - 17 years) R125 (04 - 13 years) Children under 04 years are FREE
Walk to Freedom Tour Drive past the Slave Lodge and City Hall to view Mandela's Statue, site of the first ever public speech Nelson Mandela delivered after his release from prison. Visit the riveting District Six Museum and travel through the District Six Site for a sharp reminder of the past. Tour Langa Township, the oldest apartheid housing scheme in the Cape, visiting the local market - Gugu Sthebe, where the community showcase their skills and various projects including arts & craft. Thereafter continue to see the informal housing as well as new housing developments under way. (District Six Museum is closed on Public Holidays)	Daily Departs from central Cape Town hotels between 08:00-08:45	Half Day (am) R790pp R395 per child (Under 12 years)

Share your amazing memories with us on 👔 🗃 @thompsonsholidays



<b>City Sightseeing Hop On-Hop Off Cape Town</b> Get closer to iconic monuments and famous landmarks on the Cape Town sightseeing bus tours. The hop-on, hop-off Cape Town tours allow you to explore the best of this city at your own pace. With over 30 stops across 3 different routes, you'll have plenty of opportunities to hop off the bus and explore the Cape Town landmarks and attractions that appeal to you most.	Daily 1 Day Ticket	R325 pp R186 (Under 12 years) <b>Rate excludes transfers</b>
City Sightseeing Sunset Tour - Cape Town The tour departs daily from stop 1 outside the Two Oceans Aquarium at the V&A Waterfront. Arrival time 30 min before the departure time. Use the 17:00 shuttle service from stop 5 in Long Street to connect to the Sunset Bus at stop 1 (outside the Two Oceans Aquarium at the V&A Waterfront). The Sunset Bus is not a hop-on, hop-off tour like the other City Sightseeing tours but it does stop at Signal Hill to give passengers the opportunity to watch the sun set over the Atlantic Ocean. Over the festive season, on the return to the V&A Waterfront, the bus takes a drive down Adderley Street for locals and visitors to experience the delightful display of festive season lights.	Daily Departs every 20 minutes from 17:15	02 to 03 hours R216pp (UDMS) R132 (Under 12 years) <b>Rate excludes</b> transfers

Share your amazing memories with us on () 😡 @thompsonsholidays



<b>The Authentic Cape Town City Tour</b> Take a cable car to the summit of the legendary Table Mountain, one of the Seven Wonders of the World, with views of the city and surrounding layout of this southernmost tip of Africa. Drive to Camps Bay, boasting a magnificent white sandy beach and once the hunting ground of Lord Charles Somerset. Wind your way along through Clifton, an exclusive residential area, home to some of the most expensive real estate in South Africa before meandering through Sea Point, the first commuter suburb of Cape Town and now a recognized Orthodox Jewish community. Enroute you'll see the sweeping silhouette of the Cape Town Stadium before passing down Adderley Street considered the main street of the central business district.	Daily Departs from central Cape Town hotels between 07:35-08:30	Half Day (am) R717pp R359 per child (Under 12 years) ** Scheduled Tour Tickets for Table Mountain Cableway are not included
The City Hall located on the Grand Parade is next up. Nelson Mandela made his first public speech after his release from the balcony of Cape Town City Hall. Drive past the Castle of Good Hope, a Provisional Heritage Site. You're passing Charly's Bakery, home of Charly's Cake Angels, stars of the Food Network Show before hearing a brief history of District Six enroute to a visit at the Company Gardens. It's bordered by numerous landmarks including the Slave Lodge, present day Houses of Parliament and St George's Cathedral, the seat of the Anglican church in South Africa. Hear about Greenmarket Square, the location for the well that was once the town's main water supply during summer months when streams from Table Mountain dried up, before a visit to the Noon Gun where you witness the historic time signal. The history of the Bo-Kaap and its people as you move up the cobblestoned hills to the Malay Quarter, and marvel at the ice-cream colours of the quaint Bo-Kaap homes. Our final stop. A jewellery showroom where we meet a master diamond cutter and witness the process of cutting and polishing a diamond. You may even witness the pouring of a gold bar!		

Share your amazing memories with us on () 🙆 @thompsonsholidays



<b>Stellenbosch Winelands Tour</b> Explore fine art galleries, architecture and the curious and quaint shops of historical Stellenbosch. Take a leisurely drive to acquaint through the beauty of this world-renowned region, before learning about the wine-making process in a fascinating cellar tour and wine tasting.	Daily Departs from central Cape Town hotels between 12:45-13:45	Half Day (pm) R970pp R483 per child (Under 12 years) ** Scheduled Tour On Sundays not all galleries and shops are open
<b>Cape Point Tour</b> Journey along Millionaires Paradise - ogling the glamorous homes and beautiful people of Clifton Beach and Camps Bay. Wind your way towards the charming coastal town and working harbour of Hout Bay. Hug the cliffs as you snake along the legendary Chapman's Peak Drive, with its breath-taking views, towards the Cape of Good Hope Section of the Table Mountain National Park and its rugged, intriguing landscape. Boulders Beach penguin colony is a fascinating experience before moving on to the historical naval port of Simon's Town. It's a wonderful half-day spent on the wilder side of this exquisite Cape coastline.	Daily Departs from central Cape Town hotels between 07:45-08:45	Half Day (am) R1 247pp R624 per child (Under 12 years) ** Scheduled Tour Entrance to Boulder's Beach Penguin Colony & Cape Point Funicular is not included

Share your amazing memories with us on () 😡 @thompsonsholidays



Γ

Winelands Tour	Daily	Full Day
A superb day dedicated to celebrating the glorious grape, the exceptional winelands region and the heavenly scenery - like the breath-taking views from the historical Taal Monument near Paarl. The area's rich with history and you can't help but feel it as you move through the region to experience a wine cellar tour, where you'll learn all about the process of winemaking, from grape to goblet. We visit the exquisite little town of Franschhoek, pass by the impressive Huguenot Monument and in a town with a reputation for gourmet fare, where else could you choose to enjoy lunch.	Departs from central Cape Town hotels between 08:00-09:00	R1363pp R680 per child (Under 12 years) ** Scheduled Tour On Sundays not all galleries and shops are open
You will wind your way to the heady heights of the Helshoogte Mountain Pass to meet the charming university town of Stellenbosch on the other side. Ample time is set aside to stroll through this little town, absorbing the quaintness and sneaking into the odd shop or two! A trip to the winelands isn't complete without a wine tasting, so two at different wine estates are organised for you.		

Share your amazing memories with us on () 😡 @thompsonsholidays





Peninsula Tour Enjoy a full day of breath-taking sights along Cape Town's Peninsula visiting places such as Simons Town, Boulders beach, Camps Bay and many more interesting places. Cruise along the exquisite stretch of coastline known as Millionaire's Paradise - from Clifton to Camps Bay, to the exclusive beach hamlet of Llandudno - towards the charming working harbour of Hout Bay. Embark on an up-close-and-personal Seal Island cruise (optional and for own account). Wind along the legendary Chapman's Peak Drive, hugging the cliffs and relishing the breath-taking ocean views, before arriving at the lunch spot of choice (own account) at the Cape of Good Hope Section of the Table Mountain National Park. Meander back along the coast towards the city, visiting the historic naval port of Simon's Town and the endearing penguin colony at Boulder's Beach (optional & for own account).	Daily Departs from central Cape Town hotels between 07:45-08:45	Full Day R1 514pp R758 per child (Under 12 years) ** Scheduled Tour
<b>Franschhoek Wine Tram</b> The Franschhoek Wine Tram hop-on hop-off tour is one of the best ways to discover the true essence of the Franschhoek Valley – picturesque vineyards, breath-taking scenery, warm hospitality, world-class cuisine, fine wines and a 300-year history.	Daily Tour departs from the Franschhoek Wine Tram ticket office located in Franschhoek Village Closed over the Franschhoek Uncorked Festival, 24 – 25, 31 December & 01 January	03 to 06 Hours R327pp Rate excludes transfers

Share your amazing memories with us on 👔 🗃 @thompsonsholidays



The Best of Bouchard Finlayson An intimate tasting experience curated for true wine enthusiasts	Departure 10:30	Min 2 pax
Discover the essence of Bouchard Finlayson with a private experience designed to highlight the best of our estate. Ideal for small groups of 2 to 8 guests, this curated package offers a relaxed yet refined introduction to our boutique winery. Begin your visit with a welcome drink, followed by a guided tour through our cellar—an insider's look into our winemaking philosophy and craftsmanship. From there, enjoy a personalised tasting of our award-winning wines (excluding the Tête de Cuvée Pinot Noir and Missionvale Chardonnay), led by one of our knowledgeable hosts. Your experience concludes with a beautifully presented Olive Board for two, featuring locally-sourced olives, olive tapenade, fresh bread, chutney, and olive oil—perfectly complementing the wines you've just tasted.	Approximately 1 1/2 hours	R1230 Per Couple Rate Includes: Welcome drink on arrival Cellar Tour Wine Tasting Olive Board for two (including olives, olive tapenade, freshly baked bread, olive chutney and olive oil)

Share your amazing memories with us on () 😡 @thompsonsholidays



Bouchard Finlayson – Fynbos Walk, Grazing platter and Premium tasting	Departure 10:30	Min 2 pax
A sensory journey through nature, wine, and heritage This immersive experience pays tribute to the late Frank Woodvine—a passionate conservationist whose dedication helped preserve the unique biodiversity of our region. Designed for nature lovers and wine aficionados alike, this exclusive offering invites you to explore the natural beauty and refined elegance of Bouchard Finlayson. Begin your visit with a guided cellar tour, then set off on a self-guided walk across our fynbos-covered estate hills. The trail, thoughtfully mapped out, offers panoramic views and a chance to connect with the flora and fauna that define the Hemel-en-Aarde Valley. A detailed map and bottled water are provided for your walk. Upon your return, you'll be treated to a tasting of three of our premium wines (excluding the Tête de Cuvée Pinot Noir and Missionvale Chardonnay), followed by a generous grazing platter for two—perfectly curated to complement your tasting and crafted with seasonal, locally sourced ingredients Please note: The walk is undertaken at your own risk. Map and water provided on arrival.	Approximately 3 to 4 hours	R1660 Per Couple Rate Includes: • Cellar Tour • Map and water for self-guided walk on the estate (optional) • Tasting of three premium wines • Grazing platter for two

Share your amazing memories with us on () @@thompsonsholidays



<b>Table Mountain Cableway</b> The five-minute ascent to the top of Table Mountain offers a 360-degree view of Cape Town, the ocean and the neighbouring peaks. Once at the top visitors enjoy spectacular views and the peaceful feeling of being over one thousand meters above the city below. The area at the top of the mountain is surprisingly	Daily <b>Morning</b> (08:00-13:00)	Entrance Ticket R437pp (UDMS) R219 per child (Under 12 years)
<ul> <li>Interview of the area at the top of the mountain is surprisingly large so leave enough time to stroll along the paths, enjoy the viewing platforms and soak up the vistas.</li> <li>The Cableway operates in the Table Mountain National Park, an important part of the Cape Floristic Region and the single richest floristic area in the world. This area is also a World Heritage Site. There is a lot of Fynbos vegetation on the mountain, with over 1 460 different species of plants. Ticket is valid for 7 days from the chosen date, should the ticket not be used during this period, the ticket is non-refundable. The cableway may close at any time due to strong winds.</li> </ul>	Afternoon (After 13:00) From Kloof Nek at 7:00 in summer & 7:30 in winter The last shuttle departs the Lower Cable Station at 19:00 in summer & 18:45 in winter	R376pp (UDMS) R188 per child (UDMS) (Under 12 years) Rate excludes transfers
Scootours Cape Town - Table Mountain Jump on a Monster Mountain Scooter and freewheel into the city below! Scootours offer a unique way to experience Cape Town's Table Mountain and its breath-taking views in a fun and active way. During the 1.5-to-2-hour Scootours, you will get the opportunity to freewheel down two different off-road tracks. The first track runs down the side of Signal Hill all the way into Bo Kaap. After getting picked up by a vehicle in Bo Kaap. The experience continues as you are transported to Table Mountain for your final run down the lower slopes off this world-famous land mark.	Monday - Saturday 10:00, 12:30 or 15:00 Departs from the Lower Table Mountain Parking area just off Kloof Nek Road	02 Hours R 920pp Minimum 4 pax for tour to take place

Share your amazing memories with us on () 🙆 @thompsonsholidays



Waterfront Charters Sailing in the Bay See Table Mountain from the incredible perspective that mariners have had for four hundred years! An exciting adventure aboard Waterfront Charters and a family friendly adventure that gives perfect views of Cape Town and its spectacular mountains as you cruise across Table Bay. With refreshments on hand and amazing vantage points – nothing beats lounging ahead of the cabin between the hulls – it's an hour of maritime magic! The Waterfront Charters 60 minute 'Cruise under Sail' across Table Bay is the perfect way to see Table Mountain and Cape Town's Atlantic shoreline. Leaving from the V&A Waterfront, the routing is weather dependent; either to Milnerton and back if the south-easter is blowing, or towards Robben Island in north-westerly wind conditions. With either option, you'll experience the excitement and thrills of sailing in Table Bay aboard one of Waterfront Charters beautiful yachts – with chilled refreshments aboard it's the perfect way to spend an hour.	Daily 11:30 or 13:00	60 Minutes R362 per adult R180 per child (05 – 17 years) 0 – 04 years are FREE 90 Minutes
<b>Sunset Champagne Cruise</b> Cape Town has one of the best locations to see the Sunset from the Sea. With the Atlantic Ocean stretching away from the majestic Table Mountain range, this is certainly a 'must do' cruise for locals and tourists alike. Toast the setting sun from the deck of one of Waterfront harters amazing range of vessels. A complimentary glass of local sparkling will be served, and the bar will be open for all other drinks for the duration of the cruise. Toast to the setting sun once more!	From 17:00	R664 per adult R332 per child (05 – 17 years) 0 – 04 years are FREE

Share your amazing memories with us on () @@thompsonsholidays



Mangwanani – The Original African Spa Thompsons Boutique Offer Pamper yourself with blissful relaxation therapies to make you feel totally rejuvenated and ready to face the world. Enjoy Ginger Tea on arrival, followed by a 60 Minute Full Boday and 60 Minute Foot Massage.		R1 200pp
Thompsons Orange Spa Offer Destress with a Half day morning or Afternoon with 3 decadent treatments that will leave you rejuvenated from head to toe. The offer includes either breakfast with the morning session or lunch with the afternoon session, beverages and a product hamper to enjoy at home. Exclusive to Mangwanani Winelands	Half day Morning Session 08:30 – 12:00 Afternoon Session 12:00 – 16:00	Midweek R1 799pp Weekend R1 999pp

Certain Guided Tours depart from central points and additional charges may apply for pick up points located outside of these central points. Please enquire directly with Thompsons for additional information. Standard Terms & Conditions apply.

Share your amazing memories with us on **(f) (a)** @thompsonsholidays