

HIKE FOR LIGHT

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HIKE FOR LIGHT SCHOOL EXPEDITIONS

Hike for Light is an engaging, hands-on experience that takes students on an immersive journey from the classroom to the exotic destinations of Papua New Guinea and Tanzania.

With a focus on safety and educational outcomes, Hike for Light expeditions includes a social responsibility component where students fundraise to gift SolarBuddy solar lights to children in the local communities they visit.

SolarBuddy solar lights allow children to study after dusk, allowing them to better their education and work towards a brighter and healthier future.

PARTICIPATE

Hike along world-famous tracks.

EDUCATE

Learn about energy poverty through an interactive educational program.

ILLUMINATE

Fundraise for SolarBuddy solar lights and hand deliver them to children in the 'Last Mile' of your hike.

KILIMANJARO & SOLARBUBDYY

Kilimanjaro and Tanzania

Travelling to Africa, our journey will start in the diverse lands of Tanzania. Here you will hike Mt Kilimanjaro, the largest free standing mountain in the world. Rising up from the Serengeti, with no other mountain ranges surrounding it, you'll experience picturesque hike to its summit.

The Hike

Expert guides from On Track Expeditions will take you up the Machame Route on an 11 day hike to Uhuru Peak, standing above the clouds on the summit. With all meals and camping gear provided and backed by incredible local staff, you'll be well supported as you take on one of the world's greatest hikes.

The 'Last Mile'

The 'Last Mile' of the trip will be the culmination of your fundraising efforts, classroom learning and the celebration of finishing your physical challenge. You'll visit a local community to personally hand deliver the SolarBuddy solar lights your school has fundraised for and built together.



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ON TRACK EXPEDITIONS

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KILIMANJARO & SOLARBUDDY

Duration

11 Days

Inclusions

- Airport Transfers
- Accommodation Moshi Pre and Post Expedition
- All Meals whilst on the mountain
- Breakfast and dinner in hotels
- Australian and Local trekking guides
- SolarBuddy light delivery program day
- Personal Porter to carry up to 15kg
- Trekking Permits
- Transfers to and from the start of the climb

DAY ONE

Arrival day 1 – Arrive any time this day and be welcomed by our team at the airport. See the town of Moshi and get to know the the local area.

DAY TWO

Arrival day 2 – Arrive any time before 12 at Kilimanjaro International Airport and be collected and driven back to the hotel. Trip briefing and dinner at the hotel.

DAY THREE

Drive to the base of Mt Kilimanjaro. We begin the trek, passing through banana and coffee farms, before crossing the beautiful rainforest and heathland. The day's hike takes approximately 4 to 5 hours. The second night is spent at Machame Camp at an altitude of 3000m.

DAY FOUR

Steep morning climb, with some of the most magnificent views of Kilimanjaro and Kibo Peak. The third night is spent at Shira Camp at an altitude of 3720m. The day's hike takes approximately 4-6 hours.

DAY FIVE

Trek across the lava ridges of the glaciers. The fourth night is spent at Barranco Camp at an altitude of 3900m. The day's hike takes approximately 5-7 hours.

DAY SIX

Steep morning climb on the south eastern flank of Kibo. The fifth night is spent at Barafu Camp at an altitude of 4600m. The day's hike takes approximately 6-8 hours.

DAY SEVEN

Depart during the early hours for Stella Point, before the final trek to Gilman's Point and the Summit, Uhuru Peak, at an altitude of 5,895m. After celebrating our successful trek to the summit, we descend to Mweka Forest Camp and spend the night. The day's hike takes approximately 11-15 hours.

DAY EIGHT

Easy-paced trek down to the gate, approximately 4-6 hours walking. We then take a bus transfer back to Moshi and overnight at Springlands Hotel.

DAY NINE

Today is a recovery and sightseeing day. You will be driven out to the amazing Chemka springs for some swimming and a relaxing day out.

DAY TEN

After breakfast, we head out to a local school to help deliver SolarBuddy solar lights. These lights help to improve education outcomes for people living in energy poverty. This full day brings us back to the Springlands hotel for a team dinner and our final night in Tanzania.

DAY ELEVEN

Morning transfer to Kilimanjaro International Airport for your onward arrangements.

