

CERTIFIED AFRICA
Travel Africa Simplified

A JOURNEY OF FREEDOM, HERITAGE & BELONGING

GHANA'S 70TH INDEPENDENCE

Celebration 2027

MARCH 1–10, 2027

10 days / Accra · Cape Coast · Volta River

Honor the journey. Celebrate the spirit.

AKWAABA • WELCOME

Seventy years of freedom. A living legacy to celebrate.



More than a celebration. A meaningful homecoming.

Celebrate Ghana’s 70th Independence Day through history, living culture, and the joy of connection. Explore Accra’s landmarks, honor ancestral memory in Cape Coast, receive an African name, and join the energy of Independence Day. Between moments of reflection and celebration, find time to unwind beside the Volta River and make memories with your Certified Africa family.

01

Celebrate

Independence Day festivities and Accra’s highlife rhythms.

02

Remember

Assin Manso, Cape Coast Castle, and ancestral heritage.

03

Reconnect

A naming ceremony, rainforest discovery, and shared joy.

YOUR JOURNEY • MARCH 1–3

A warm welcome.
A deeper connection.



DAY 01 / MON, MAR 1

Arrival in Accra — Akwaaba!

Meet your Certified Africa team at the airport and transfer privately to your accommodation. Settle in with ATM and local currency exchange assistance, then relax and prepare for the journey ahead.

DAY 02 / TUE, MAR 2

Accra unveiled — history, art & everyday life

Discover the National Museum of Ghana, Jamestown, Kwame Nkrumah Memorial Park, Independence Square, and the Arts Centre Market. Encounter Ghana's story through historic landmarks, street culture, and local craftsmanship.

DAY 03 / WED, MAR 3

Assin Manso & Cape Coast — remembrance

Visit the Last Bath Site at Assin Manso for solemn remembrance that may include libation, prayers, and quiet reflection. Explore Cape Coast Castle, its dungeons, and the Door of No Return with a local guide, closing with candlelit reflection.

Attire All white recommended • Stay Overnight in Cape Coast

YOUR JOURNEY • MARCH 4–6

A name. A connection. A nation in celebration.



DAY 04 / THU, MAR 4

Traditional naming & Kakum National Park

Be welcomed into a community, receive an African name, and learn about naming traditions. Explore Kakum's rainforest canopy walkway and ecosystem, then return to Accra in the evening.

DAY 05 / FRI, MAR 5

Your day, your rhythm

Rest, explore your neighborhood, or shop at your own pace. Your Certified Africa team is available for recommendations and support. Breakfast is included.

DAY 06 / SAT, MAR 6

Ghana at 70 — freedom, pride & highlife

Join the planned Independence Square festivities, with parades, drumming, dance, and cultural performances. Relax in the afternoon, then enjoy a Highlife & Groove evening of Ghanaian music, food, and lively entertainment.

Celebration venue, access, and programming are subject to official arrangements.

YOUR JOURNEY • MARCH 7–8

Stories that stay with you. Space to simply be.





DAY 07 / SUN, MAR 7

Nkyinkyim Museum & the Ancestral Wall

Explore art, storytelling, and powerful symbols of heritage and resilience. Reflect on identity and life's journey through the Nkyinkyim installation, then visit the Ancestral Wall to honor the memory and legacy of African ancestors and the Diaspora.

DAY 08 / MON, MAR 8

Aqua Safari — a waterfront daycation

Unwind at Aqua Safari with poolside relaxation, natural surroundings, indoor and outdoor games, and Ghanaian hospitality. Enjoy a boat ride on the Volta River and time to take in the resort's refreshing waterfront setting.

YOUR JOURNEY • MARCH 9–10

Treasures to take home. Memories to carry forward.



DAY 09 / TUE, MAR 9

Market discoveries & a rooftop farewell

Browse the market for colorful fabrics, wooden carvings, shea butter, and other souvenirs. Enjoy friendly bargaining along the way, then gather at a rooftop restaurant for a farewell dinner celebrating your time together in Ghana.

DAY 10 / WED, MAR 10

Until we meet again

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel, check out, and transfer privately to Kotoka International Airport according to your flight schedule. Your Certified Africa family sees you off with stories, meaningful connections, and memories of Ghana’s milestone celebration.

MAKE THE JOURNEY YOURS

Your place in the experience.

Package rates are per person in USD. International flights are not included.

DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

$3,424

Share a room with one person.
One bed available upon request.

$200 deposit per person

SINGLE OCCUPANCY

$4,054

One person in a room.
Your own space to unwind.

$200 deposit per person

Included in your journey

- Airport pickup and drop-off
- Scheduled ground transportation
- Accommodation
- Guides and support team
- Accra city tour
- Cape Coast Castle
- Traditional naming ceremony
- Entry fees

Plan separately

International round-trip flights; visa; yellow fever vaccination; travel medical insurance; incidentals; tips and gratuities; non-itinerary activities; and some meals. Breakfast is included on day 5; confirm the full meal plan.

Prices and package/add-on availability may change before confirmation. Check the booking page for current details.

BEFORE YOU TRAVEL

Arrive prepared.
Travel with peace of mind.

01

Your stay

The journey is based in Accra, with an overnight stay in Cape Coast on March 3 and a return to Accra on March 4. Accommodation is included. Confirm your final hotels and meal arrangements with Certified Africa.

02

Documents & health

Travelers are responsible for passports, visas, and correct travel documents. Reservation names must match passports exactly. Verify current entry requirements with the relevant embassy or consulate. Visa and yellow fever vaccination costs are excluded.

03

Required insurance

Travel medical insurance must include emergency medical coverage, emergency medical evacuation, and repatriation of remains. Proof of policy is due 60 days before departure. U.S. health insurance will most likely not meet these requirements.

04

Activity & attire

Certified Africa requires travelers to be able to walk at least 5 miles each day independently. Consult your physician about fitness to travel and participate. All-white attire is recommended for the ancestral remembrance experience on March 3.

THOUGHTFUL PLANNING

Know before you book.

Refunds & cancellations

Cancel within 48 hours of booking for a full refund. After 48 hours, the deposit and all future payments are non-refundable. Refunds can only be processed once funds have settled; payments may take approximately 4 business days or more to arrive.

Payment plans & final payment

Plans require automated monthly card payments beginning the month after booking. Date changes must be requested at least 72 hours before payment. A third failed payment attempt incurs an interest fee; two missed monthly payments may lead to cancellation. Reinstatement is available within 7 calendar days by paying all past-due amounts. Final payment is due as stated in your confirmation: after 3 business days late, a $100 penalty applies; after 7 business days, Certified Africa may cancel.

Roommates, transfers & changes

Roommate matching is a courtesy, not a guarantee. If unmatched 90 days before departure, the single supplement is required and may be paid over the final 3 months. Transfer to another traveler by email carries a $199 fee. Prices may change before confirmation; post-booking occupancy changes use current prices. Itineraries may change due to availability or vendors, with equivalent substitutions for major changes.

Protect your journey

Comprehensive trip-cancellation insurance, including a “Cancel for Any Reason” option, is strongly recommended. Coverage and reimbursement depend on your policy. Trips canceled for reasons beyond Certified Africa’s control may be rescheduled; refunds for travelers unable to attend new dates are not guaranteed. Participation includes photo/video-use permission under the booking terms.

Policy summary only. Review the full booking terms, including liability provisions and traveler responsibilities, before purchasing. By purchasing, you are bound by those terms.

Your next chapter begins in Ghana.

View availability & book your journey

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