



Experience Mali

4-day hike Dogon Country

Northern circuit

Experience Dogon Country by walking a northern circuit, including sacred crocodiles, stunning views, ancient Tellem cliff houses, beautiful Togunas and insights in everyday life of the Dogon people.

Day 1: Sévaré - Songo - Bandiagara - Dourou - Nombori

Meet your guide in Sévaré, either at your accommodation or the bus station. By private transport you travel to Songo, the first Dogon village to visit on this trip. Songo is well-known for its rockwall paintings, which are made by the village elders to teach the young boys in the preparations for manhood and circumcision. Continue - via Bandiagara, to eat lunch - to Dourou, from where your trekking starts. The late afternoon is used to visit the village of Dourou and to hike to Nombori. Enjoy the views from the escarpment!

Day 2: Nombori - Tireli - Daka -Tireli

In the morning you hike from Nombori to Tireli. The hike leads you along the cliff, with stunning views on the rock wall and the valley below. After lunch break make a side-trip to visit Daka and return to Tireli, where the night is spent.

Day 3: Tireli - Amani - Ireli - Banani

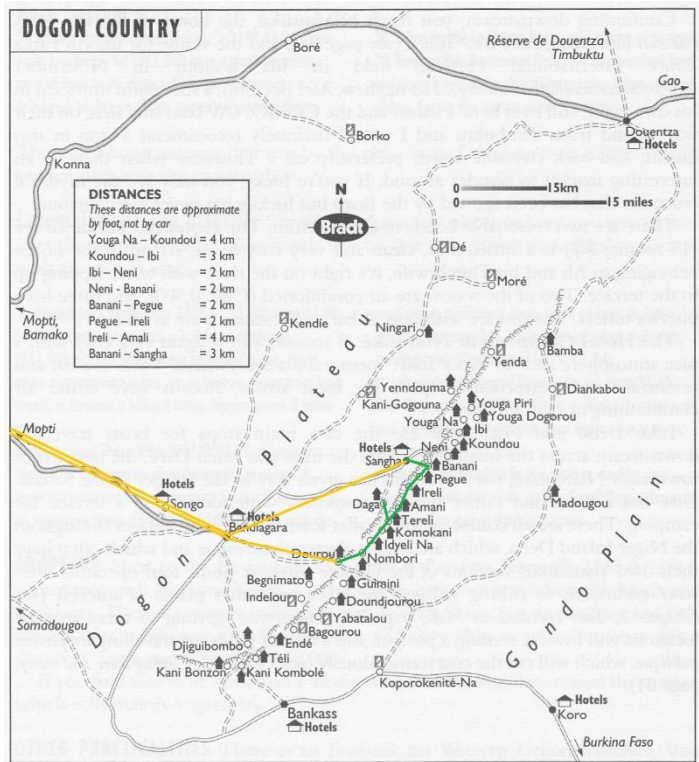
Today's hike takes you from Tireli to Amani, Ireli and Banani. Amani is home to a pond with sacred crocodiles, while Ireli has beautifully decorated Toguna's. Both Ireli and Banani offer views on the ancient Tellem houses in the cliff. Spend the night in Banani, a village built under an overhanging cliff.

Day 4: Banani - Sangha - Bandiagara - Sévaré

One more night of waking up with the sounds of local daily life. This morning's hike takes you to Sanga, one of the bigger towns in Dogon Country. Visit Sanga and enjoy one more lunch in this amazing part of Mali. The car comes to pick you up for the journey back to Sévaré (a drop-off in Bankass is possible - additional charges apply).

Enjoy Dogon Country!





Included

Private transport Sévaré-Dourou on day 1 and Sanga-Sévaré on day 4, luggage transport during the trekking (one bag per person), all costs related to the trekking - including tourist taxes and tokens of respect to village chief and elders, guide, full board starting with lunch on day 1 and ending with lunch on day 4, 3 nights in basic camps (rooftop matrasses), fair payment to all we work with.

All our activities support the Papillon funds.

Excluded

Transport to and from Sévaré, personal insurances (such as travel, cancellation and medical), accommodation in Sévaré, additional meals, drinks, tips, souvenirs and personal expenses.

Best visiting time

Year round - seasonal influences apply.

Dates & prices

Dates adjusted to your itinerary. Prices depending on the number of people in your group.

Information & reservations

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