



# Grootbos Private Nature Reserve

NEW GUESTS!” is the cheerful call often heard in the lodge at Grootbos. Greeted with a smile and welcomed with a glass of fine South African sparkling wine, guests at Grootbos are made to feel instantly special. The classic Garden Lodge is set in lush indigenous surrounding and the new Forest Lodge with its contemporary and modern style appeals to a

cosmopolitan traveler.

Space, light and the time to enjoy them. Set among the ancient milkwood trees, our large, private suites give the guest a chance to unwind, surrounded by the splendours of nature and pampered by all the comforts of home. Each suite has its own secluded balcony from which you can admire the sunsets over the ocean or start the day in tune with the forest birds. Natural textures and colors bring the harmony of nature into your suite. Spacious, finely appointed bathrooms complete the feeling of utter luxury.



Experience nature like never before as you stroll between your suite and the main lodge. Winding pathways will guide you past the largest milkwood forests in the world. Here you can let the expert guides introduce you to the wonders of the fynbos. Discover the fascinating relationships between the insects, birds, mammals and flowering plants of this diverse ecosystem. Smell the aromatic wild herbs, watch for exquisite birds and be awed by the

Feel the sand beneath your feet while breathing in crisp salt air that has the unmistakable freshness and magnificence of the ocean. See your lone footprints fade into the distance behind you while exploring deserted beaches or visit a stone-age coastal cave and be reminded of the countless generations who have walked these beaches before you.



Spend an afternoon lazing on one of our safe swimming beaches while enjoying a freshly packed picnic. With a coastline that offers a marine experience like no other, you’ll see the 40-ton Southern Right Whales only metres from your

boat (visit [sharkwatchesouthafrica.com](http://sharkwatchesouthafrica.com) and [whalewatchesouthafrica.com](http://whalewatchesouthafrica.com) to see more). Travel to the island refuge of huge sea bird colonies and admire the underwater antics of a 60 000 strong Cape Fur Seal colony. Be amazed by the awesome spectacle of a great white shark breaking the surface and transfixing you with an unblinking stare.

Grootbos, an experience not to be missed!