



DESERT PARK GENERAL ENTRY



Highlights

Alice Springs Desert Park is where the desert comes alive! An inspiring portrayal of Australia's desert environment that effortlessly blends the plants, animals and people of our arid regions.

In the space of just a few hours, visitors can discover how the desert comes alive.

Visitors can take an easy walking trail through desert habitats and discover Desert Rivers, Sand Country and the Woodland habitat, witness free-flying birds of prey, see rare and endangered animals in the spectacular nocturnal house and take a cinematic journey through 4½ billion years of desert evolution.



When visitors leave the Desert Park they will go away with new stories, skills and some of the secrets of the desert.

Essential introduction to Central Australia - with over 200 desert animals and 400 plants to explore at the base of the MacDonnell Ranges. A living field guide to Central Australia.

Nature at its best - Wander through the desert and discover the botanical wonderland of three recreated desert habitats. In winter walk amongst wildflowers and in summer enjoy flourishing native grasses and flower river gums.

Dingo Territory - Get up close and meet a dingo. Join a Keeper for the live interactive presentation to discover their history and cultural significance with Aboriginal people.



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Larapinta Drive, Alice Springs, Northern Territory
www.alicespringsdesertpark.com.au

INCLUDES:

- 3 re-created desert habitats
- Free Flying Bird Show
- Nocturnal House
- Cultural Presentations
- Kangaroos, Dingoes and Emus
- Big Screen Movie
- Specialised Guide Talks
- Botanic Gardens
- Scenic bike and foot path from town





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Share in a living culture - Join local Aboriginal guides as they share stories on the plants, animals and Aboriginal culture of Central Australia.

Kangaroos & Emus - See Australia's iconic Emus and walk amongst Red Kangaroos.

Spot endangered animals - Step inside one of Australia's largest Nocturnal House and discover rare and endangered species in their sand country and woodland habitats including the bilby, mala and thorny devil.



Deserts are full of life - Explore re-created desert habits, see desert river systems come alive including the amazing story of fish in the desert, abundance of birdlife, enjoy magical winter wildflower display and explore the rich desert woodlands.

Nature Theatre - Witness free flying birds demonstrating their natural behaviours in the open air amphitheatre.

Changing Heart Big Screen Movie - Take a cinematic journey through the creation of deserts.

Guide Presentations - Share a story and learn from a local at scheduled guide presentations on animals, plants and culture.

Add on a *Eagle Encounter*

Get up close with one of the most impressive sights in the Australian sky, the Wedge-tailed Eagle, Australia's largest bird of prey. With specialist keepers see this magnificent bird at close range with photographs to remember the experience of meeting a raptor.

Book on arrival.
Non-commissionable.



Add on a *Nocturnal Tour*

Extend your stay and step inside the Mulga Walk enclosure for an evening of adventure and discovery. Spotlight endangered animals no longer found in the wild including mala and bilby in the foothills of the MacDonnell Ranges.

View the Nocturnal Tour Fact Sheet for information.



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1 APRIL 2018 - 31 MARCH 2019

Conditions

Refer to the Alice Springs Desert Park Terms and Conditions for full details.

Opening Hours - 7 days a week, 7.30am to 6.00pm.
Closed 25 December.

Length of Visit - Average 3 to 4 hours.

Access

Transfers: Return transfer service available through Alice Wanderer

Bicycle/Walking: Bicycle/footpath along Larapinta Drive, connecting off Blain Street to the Park.

Driving: Follow Larapinta Drive 7 kilometres from Alice Springs.

FOC Policy - One (1) Coach Captain or Tour Guide is FOC with each group.

Accompanying adults with student groups are admitted FOC at a ratio of 1:5. Additional adults with student groups and tour leaders incur a fee of \$24.00 each.

Booking Conditions - No cancellation fees apply to individual travellers and group bookings under 10 people where only general entry to park applies.

For group bookings (10+ people) Desert Park reserves the right to charge cancellation fees:

- 72 hours confirmation of approximate numbers - no cost

- 48 hours cancellation notice prior to entry - no cost incurred
- Less than 48 hours' notice - 50% of the cost of service



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Gross

Adult	\$32.00	
Child (5-15 years)	\$16.00	
Student/Concession	\$22.50	
Australian Government Seniors Card	\$25.50	
Economy Family Pass (1 Adult and 2 Children)	\$54.50	
Super Economy Family Pass (2 Adults and up to 4 children)	\$87.00	
School/Tertiary Group	n/a	

Valid 1 April 2018 - 31 March 2019.



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