

Kartong Reptile Farm

📍 Kartong Village, The Gambia



Kartong sits at the quiet southern end of the Gambian coast, and its reptile farm makes for a genuinely different half-day out. Rather than another stretch of beach, this is a close look at some of the country's more elusive residents, in a setting built specifically to protect them. Once you arrive, a guide walks you through the farm's crocodiles, snakes, tortoises, lizards and other native species, explaining their habitats and behaviour along with the conservation work that keeps them safe. Questions are welcome throughout, and there's no shortage of good angles for photographs, whether it's a basking tortoise or a crocodile that hasn't moved in an hour. Once the tour wraps up, there's time to simply sit with the peaceful surroundings before heading back, no rush, no crowds, just Kartong's quieter side of The Gambia. It's a fitting outing for wildlife enthusiasts, families, and anyone keen to see a side of Gambian nature that goes well beyond the beach.

Tour Facts

Group Size:
Private group - max 7

Duration:
5

Language:
English, Restricted Spanish available on selected dates only

Tour Type:
continuous

Tour Itinerary

11:00 AM : Welcome & Introduction

Arrive at Kartong Reptile Farm and meet your guide for a short welcome briefing.

11:15 AM : Guided Tour of the Reptile Farm

Learn about crocodiles, snakes, tortoises, lizards, and other native reptiles and the conservation work behind the farm.

12:30 PM : Free Time for Photography

Time to take photographs and explore the surroundings at your own pace.

1:30 PM : Departure

2:30 PM : Tour Concludes