Directions from Amsterdam – Nerston/Sandlane Border to Hlane Royal National Park

Distance ± 165km – ± 2h20 min – S26° 15’ 44.5” E31° 52’ 58.0” (Hlane Royal National Park)

- The border post is ± 17km from Amsterdam – a warning though, the road inside Swaziland from there is sub-standard - big holes in the road and utmost caution must be used (the road is also used by timber logging trucks)
- From Nerston Border post to Bhunya (wood pulp mill) is ± 35km.
- Turn RIGHT towards Manzini. ± 10km from Bhunya there is a traffic circle
- Take the second exit and take the road towards Malkerns/Manzini (MR18)
- Continue past Swazi Candles (16km from circle) until you get to a T–junction.
- Turn RIGHT onto the old Manzini / Mbabane road.
- After about 7km you will come to the Matsapha traffic circle under the Mbabane/Manzini highway
- Take the 3rd exit left and onto the highway towards Manzini (± 4km)

There are 2 options around or through Manzini:

Option 1
- At the 2nd set of traffic lights, after coming from the Mbabane/Manzini highway and before you get into Manzini, turn LEFT onto By-pass Road, sign posted “Mavuso Trade Centre”. Beware the road is off-camber – please negotiate corners carefully.
- Cross STRAIGHT over two sets of traffic lights, passing Galp petrol station.
- Turn LEFT at T-junction & continue STRAIGHT

Option 2
- Drive STRAIGHT through Manzini – the one-way road is very busy, be careful of the mini buses. Try to keep to the right hand lane as most of the taxi’s and buses use the left hand lane. This road will take you out of Manzini. Continue STRAIGHT

From Manzini
- ± 30km from Manzini, turn LEFT off the highway before the airport, as indicated by the Siteki-Lomahasha sign and HLANE ROYAL NATIONAL PARK sign. This road takes you under the highway East towards SIMUNYE. Ignore the Hlane Royal Residence signs.
- Continue STRAIGHT for ± 35km
- The entrance gate is ± 500m off the tarred road. Ndlovu Camp is another ± 300m from the gate.

Please note:
- The park gate is open between sunrise and sunset only (approximately 6am-6pm depending on season)
- Guests booked at Bhubesi Camp must check in at Ndlovu Camp before driving through to Bhubesi

SUMMARY OF DIRECTIONS (OPTION 2)

A
1. Head north east on R65
2. Turn right onto R65 15.0 km
3. Turn right to stay on R65 (Entering Swaziland) 2.4 km
4. Continue straight onto MR19 32.6 km
5. Turn right onto MR18 33 km
6. Turn right onto MR103 at T-junction 7 km
7. At the roundabout, take the 2nd exit onto the MR3 ramp 500 m
8. Merge onto MR3 7.5 km
9. Continue onto Ngwane St 1.1 km
10. Continue onto MR3 28.8 km
11. Turn left to continue onto MR3 38 km
12. Turn left at Hlane Royal National Park Junction 140m

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MR3, Swaziland – HLANE ROYAL NATIONAL PARK (S26° 15’ 44.5” E31° 52’ 58.0”)

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