

# GOEBERHA AND GEORGE

ADVENTURE AWAITS.

GO FIND IT.

While you're studying at Nelson Mandela University in either Gqeberha or George, take time out of your schedule to explore the many features, attractions and events in these two scenic coastal cities.

## GOEBERHA

Previously named Port Elizabeth, this friendly city is a major seaport and the most populous city in the Eastern Cape province. Located along spectacular coastal landscapes, with a moderate climate, you will discover a melting pot of cultures, cuisines and experiences that will leave you wanting more.

## GEORGE

Located at the foot of the beautiful Outeniqua Mountains, George is the second largest city in the Western Cape province. Nestled between rolling hills, George offers stunning scenery, a vibrant atmosphere and endless possibilities for adventure. It's also a great base for exploring the Garden Route, a scenic stretch of coastline known for its stunning beaches, lush forests and diverse wildlife.

## NELSON MANDELA UNIVERSITY CAMPUSES



The majority of our campuses are located in Gqeberha, these include:

- South Campus
- North Campus
- Ocean Sciences Campus
- Bird Street Campus
- Second Avenue Campus
- Missionvale Campus



The George Campus is located approximately 15km from the main city centre.

## BEACHES



With warm seas, golden sand and some of the country's cleanest city beaches, there are a variety of beaches and swimming spots in and around city.

Visit these popular beaches:

- King's Beach
- Hobie Beach
- Sardinia Bay
- Bluewater Bay
- Jeffreys Bay

There are an abundance of pristine beaches in and around George; keep your eyes peeled for pods of dolphins! From George, you can easily reach popular destinations like Mossel Bay, Knysna, Plettenberg Bay and Tsitsikamma National Park.

Visit these popular beaches:

- Victoria Bay
- Herald's Bay
- Kaaiman's River
- Wilderness Beach
- Santos Beach
- De Bakke Beach
- Hartenbos Beach
- Glentana
- Klein Brakrivier Beach

## SPORT



Gqeberha is a sportsman's playground. While it's known as the water sports capital of SA, there are a huge variety of sporting activities that are popular with locals and visitors alike:

- Ironman African Championship
- Surfing
- Diving
- Cricket
- Rugby
- Soccer
- Mountain biking
- aQuellé Khula Ocean Racing Series
- African Premier Indian Ocean swim
- Running
- Hiking

George is a dream destination for adventure sport enthusiasts, with a wide range of activities in and around the area:

- Hiking
- Mountain biking
- Trail running
- Water sports
- Surfing
- Cycling
- Golf
- Isuzu Ironman 70.3 Mossel Bay

## SHOPPING & MARKETS



Food, clothes, music, crafts and more – you won't want to miss these trendy shopping spots and markets:

- The Beachfront Food Market
- Van Stadens Gorge Market
- Lady Slipper Farm Market
- Boardwalk Mall
- Walmer Park Shopping Mall
- Greenacres Mall

Support local and visit these spots. There's something for everyone!

- Milkwood Village Market
- Outeniqua Family Market
- Boerevintage Gift Market
- Wild Oats Community Farmers' Market
- Garden Route Mall

## NATURE



Outdoor enthusiasts will love the variety of walking, hiking and running trails across the bay, including an opportunity to visit various game reserves and other local attractions located around or close to the city.

- Grysbok Reserve and Hiking Trail
- Sacramento Hiking Trail
- Addo Elephant National Park
- Kragga Kamma Game Park

From extraordinary animal sightings to pristine indigenous forests, George and surrounds has it all.

- George Wildlife Park
- Tsitsikamma National Park
- Knysna Elephant Park
- Birds of Eden
- Jukani Wildlife Sanctuary
- Monkeyland Primate Sanctuary

## FIND OUT MORE

<https://www.nmbt.co.za/>

<https://visitgeorge.co.za/>

With Nelson Mandela University as your "home base", you're ideally positioned to explore the many fun things to see and do in either Gqeberha or George.