

Sunset and Sunrise

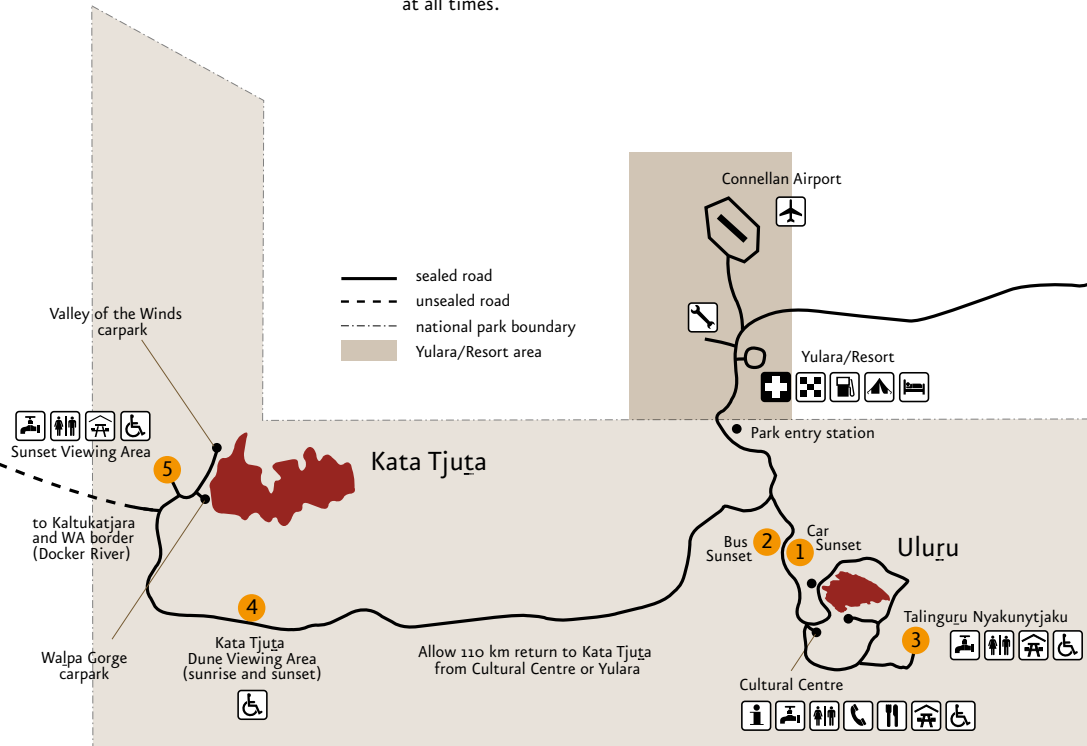


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Viewing areas

Depending on where you are, whether it is sunset or sunrise and what you are looking at, there are many ways you can capture the beauty of this place to remember your visit. Many people eagerly watch the colour changes on the red rocks with the sun behind them. Equally as stunning are the rocks as silhouettes, especially if there are some clouds around – this option could also be a good one if you want to escape the crowds. A suggestion for when it rains is to head directly to the base of Uluru and watch the waterfalls.

Ask at the entry station or Cultural Centre information for sunrise and sunset times. Remember to stay on marked tracks or behind the fences at all times.



1 Car Sunset Viewing – views of Uluru

This is one of the most popular views of Uluru, especially at sunset to watch the colour changes. For a silhouette shot visit this area at sunrise. For those travelling in cars, strictly no coaches.

2 Bus Sunset and Dune Walk Viewing – views of Uluru and Kata Tjuta

Dune Walk lookout

500 metres return from carpark • 30 mins

This area is accessible all day until 4pm, when it is set aside for the use of buses and coaches. From this area you can see both Uluru and Kata Tjuta. See the distinct vegetation of dune habitats and tracks of birds and nocturnal animals. Cars are not permitted in this area after 4pm: it is for buses and coaches only, this is a safety precaution.

3 Talinguru Nyakunytjaku – views of Uluru and Kata Tjuta

This destination captures both Uluru and Kata Tjuta in the same shot and offers a stunning 360 degree view of the surrounding World Heritage landscape. With no photography restrictions and the choice of three *wiljtas* (shelters), two viewing platforms and a few kilometres of walking track, you will be sure to find a spot that suits your needs.

4 Kata Tjuta Dune Viewing area – views of Uluru and Kata Tjuta

This provides a spectacular panoramic view of Kata Tjuta with Uluru far away on the right. Sun on the rocks at sunrise, silhouette at sunset.

5 Kata Tjuta Sunset Viewing – views of Kata Tjuta

Take a photo at sunset to see the stunning colour change into the deepest red. Visitors are reminded that they will need to be outside the Park boundary one hour after sunset (the Park boundary is 45 minutes drive from Kata Tjuta).