



Idube proudly participates in a number of projects aimed at improving the sustainability of South Africa's people and environment.

Refuse

Weekly our refuse is removed from the property and taken for recycling by specialised recycling companies.

Grey Water Recycling

Idube utilises a reed bed system into which all our grey water is channelled and recycled, then used to water our beautiful green lawns and gardens. This water-saving technique has, in fact, been in place since the late 1980s, as Idube has always been involved in the water conservation effort.

Osmosis Plant

Idube has installed an osmosis plant at the lodge and this filtered water is used within the lodge.

Food Sourced Locally

Food is sourced locally, and only viable, fresh food sources and products are used.



Saving Electricity

Idube makes an effort to save electricity in a number of ways:

- All lighting makes use of LED globes throughout the lodge.
- Gas geysers/boilers have been installed in guests' rooms.
- Solar exchanges are installed in the staff accommodation.

Conservation

As Idube Game Reserve is a privately owned lodge within the Sabi Sands Nature Reserve, it is ultimately our responsibility to protect the precious resource of this beautiful African bush and the animals that live within it, and we have conservation efforts and game viewing protocols in place to make sure this happens.

"In every area of our operations – and those of the luxury lodges within the Sabi Sand Nature Reserve – we look to minimise our environmental footprint whilst still contributing to the green economy." Source: sabisand.co.za

Local Support

The lodge supports local cultural initiatives and businesses in many ways, including buying curios from local artisans and crafts people, and employing local dancers and singers for our guests' entertainment, events etc.

Staff

The majority of our staff are from the local community, we'd estimate that at any given time they make up 80% of the team. We try to employ students during their internships and train them in the relevant departments to enable them to complete their qualifications and become more employable in the future. If our Guides wish to complete higher education to aid them in their work, they are encouraged to do so and reimbursed on completion of that qualification.