

My Favorite London and Paris RESTAURANTS

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LONDON

- Coppa Club for a unique experience. Reserve for brunch or dinner in one of the igloos and get a great view of the Tower of London & Thames river.
- Hutong for great sushi.
- Wahaca for Mexican fusion (so good!) There are several locations around the city.
- Bourne & Hollingsworth for brunch (and they have bottomless mimosas!)
- Chiltern Firehouse for an upscale experience. You might see a celebrity or two!
- The Ivy for a traditional London vibe.
- The Mulwray for a nice wine bar.
- Saint Aymes for a beautiful aesthetic and tea (Black woman-owned).
- Aqua Shard for afternoon tea (in a Peter Pan theme!)
- Browns Hotel for a posh tea experience.
- Sketch for great tea (and if you want to stunt on the Gram!)
- Fortnum & Mason for high tea and shopping for delectables.



If you stop by Harrods to do some shopping, then definitely go down to the food marketplace. It is AMAZING! And when you leave, stop by El&N for a drink. They have some very Instagrammable locations, too (flowered covered walls).

PARIS

- Chez Julien for the ultimate Parisian dining experience!
- Les Deux Magots for fabulous hot chocolate (chocolat chaud a l'ancienne). This was a popular gathering place for Richard Wright, James Baldwin and Picasso.
- Angelina's for great dessert and amazing hot chocolate. Be sure to dress chic and you may be able to skip the line!
- Hotel Crillon for an amazing experience and sometimes live music.
- La Maison Rose for a cute little bistro feel in Montmartre. Also, lots of African-American history in that area — jazz clubs where Black poets and artists frequented back in the day.

