

NEW YORK'S BEST RESTAURANTS

Prices are for a three-course dinner, without wine, tax (8.75%), or tip (15%-20%). Ordering à la carte will be less. Lunch is always less. Prix fixe may be four or more courses.

\$ = \$25-\$40

\$\$ = \$40-\$50

\$\$\$ = \$50-\$80

\$\$\$\$ = \$80 and up

CLASSIC NEW YORK

\$\$\$ Delmonico's—Financial District
56 Beaver Street

\$\$\$ Russian Tea Room—Midtown; Pre-theater \$60
150 West 57th Street

\$\$ The Algonquin Round Table—Midtown
59 West 44th Street

\$\$\$\$ Rainbow Room—Midtown: Mon. night only. "65" Bar open
Mon.-Fri.
Rockefeller Plaza

\$\$\$\$ River Café—Brooklyn; pf: \$120-\$150.
1 Water Street

\$\$\$ '21' Club—Midtown; pf: \$43; Pre-Theater \$56;
21 West 52nd Street

\$\$\$ The Four Seasons—Midtown
99 East 52nd Street

\$ Pete's Tavern—Greenwich Village
129 East 18th Street

\$ Tom's Restaurant—Upper West Side
2880 Broadway

\$\$ Sardi's—Midtown
235 West 44th Street

FRENCH

\$\$\$\$ La Grenouille—Midtown—Pre-theater \$79; pf: \$108.
3 East 52nd Street

\$\$\$ Le Périgord—Midtown—pf: \$75.
405 East 52nd Street

\$\$\$\$ Le Cirque—Midtown—pf: \$88.
151 East 58th Street

\$\$\$\$ Daniel—Upper East Side—pf: \$135.
60 East 65th Street

\$\$\$\$ Jean-Georges—Upper West Side—pf: \$128.
1 Central Park West

\$\$\$\$ Le Bernardin—Midtown—pf: \$140
155 West 51st Street

\$\$\$ Benôit—Midtown—Pre-Theater \$34-\$39
60 West 55th Street

\$\$\$ Balthazar—Soho
80 Spring Street

\$\$\$\$ Batârd—TriBeCa; pf: \$55-\$79.
239 West Broadway

ITALIAN

\$\$\$ Lincoln Ristorante—Lincoln Center—pf: \$62-\$76.
142 West 65th Street

\$\$\$ Il Cantinori—Greenwich Village
32 East 10th Street

\$\$\$ San Pietro—Midtown
18 East 54th Street

\$\$\$ La Masseria—Theater District
325 West 48th Street

\$\$\$\$ Marea—Upper West Side—pf: \$99.
240 Central Park South

\$\$ Stella 34—Midtown at Macy's
151 West 34th Street

\$\$\$ Patsy's—Theater District—Pre-Theater \$59.
236 West 56th Street.

\$\$\$ Barbetta—Midtown; pf: \$58
321 West 46th Street

SEAFOOD

\$\$\$ Oceana—Midtown; Pre-Theater \$49.
120 West 49th Street

\$\$\$ Grand Central Oyster Bar & Restaurant
Grand Central Terminal

\$\$\$ Sea Grill—Midtown; pf: \$55.
Rockefeller Center

\$\$\$\$ Marea—Upper West Side—pf: \$99
249 Central Park South

MODERN NYC

\$\$\$\$ The Modern—Midtown—pf: \$98-\$128.
9 West 53rd Street

\$\$\$\$ NoMad—Chelsea
1170 Broadway

\$\$\$\$ Gotham Bar & Grill—Greenwich Village
12 East 12th Street

\$\$\$\$ Gramercy Tavern—Gramercy--\$92.
42 East 29th Street.

\$\$\$\$ Aureole—Midtown—pf: \$125
135 West 42nd Street

\$\$\$\$ Betony—Midtown—pf: \$95.
41 West 57th Street

\$\$\$\$ Per Se—Midtown—pf: \$310.
10 Columbus Circle

ECLECTIC

\$\$\$\$ 11 Madison Park—Madison Park; pf: \$225.
11 Madison Avenue

\$\$\$ Momofuku Ko—Lower East Side: pf: \$175.
8 Extra Place

\$\$ John's of Bleecker Street—Greenwich Village
278 Bleecker Street

AFTERNOON TEA

\$\$\$ Palm Court The Plaza—Midtown; pf: \$65.
768 Fifth Avenue

BRUNCH

Tavern on the Green—Upper West Side
67th Street & Central Park South

FOR CHILDREN

\$\$ Serendipity 3—Upper East Side
225 East 60th Street

SOUL FOOD

\$\$ Red Rooster--Harlem
310 Malcolm X Boulevard

\$\$ Sylvia's--Harlem
328 Malcolm X Boulevard

\$\$\$ The Minton and Cecil—Harlem
210 West 18th Street

VIETNAMESE

\$\$\$ Le Colonial--Midtown

VEGETARIAN

\$\$\$ Dirt Candy—East Village

BROOKLYN

\$\$\$\$ River Café—pf: \$120-\$150.
1 Water Street

\$\$\$\$ Grocery—pf: \$85
288 Smith Street

\$\$ Roberta's
261 Moore Street

TOURIST TRAPS

\$\$-\$\$\$ All of Little Italy

\$\$ Carmine's—Upper West Side

\$\$\$ Eataly—Chelsea

\$\$\$ Torrisi Italian—Greenwich Village

\$\$\$ Tao—Midtown

\$\$\$ Buddakan—Meatpacking District

\$\$\$ Morimoto—Meat Packing District

\$\$ Ruby Foo's—Midtown

\$\$\$\$ Bull and Bear—Midtown

\$\$\$ Beauty & Essex—Lower East Side

\$\$\$ Waverly Inn—Greenwich Village

\$\$\$ Mr. Chow—Midtown

Milo's—Midtown; Pre-Theater \$49.
125 West 55th Street

MEDITERRANEAN

\$\$ Bustan—Upper West Side
487 Amsterdam Avenue

Café Noir—Soho
36 Lispenard

BARBECUE

\$\$ Blue Smoke—Madison Park
116 East 27th Street

WINE BAR

\$\$ Aldo Sohm—Midtown
151 West 51st Street

JAPANESE

\$\$\$\$ Masa—Upper West Side; pf: \$400
10 Columbus Circle

\$\$\$ Sushi Yasuda—Midtown
204 East 43rd Street

AUSTRIAN/GERMAN

\$\$\$ Wallsé—Tribeca; pf: \$50-\$75.
344 West 11th Street

INDIAN

\$\$ Chola—Midtown
232 East 58th Street

Moti Mahal Deluxe—Upper East Side
1149 First Avenue

Awadh—Upper West Side
2588 Broadway

SPANISH

\$\$ Casa Mono—Gramercy
52 Irving Place

Salinas—Chelsea—Pre-Theater \$40.
136 Ninth Avenue

MEXICAN

\$\$ El Parador Café—Midtown
325 East 34th Street

PIZZA

\$\$ Mario's—Bronx; pf: \$29.95.
2342 Arthur Avenue

\$\$ Zero Otto Nove—Midtown; Bronx
2357 Arthur Avenue
15 West 21st Street

\$\$ Naples 45—Midtown
200 Park Avenue

DELICATESSEN

\$ Katz's—Greenwich Village
205 East Houston Street

\$ Carnegie Deli—Midtown
854 Seventh Avenue

HAMBURGERS

\$ Shake Shack—several locations

\$\$ JG Melon—Upper East Side
1291 Third Avenue

\$\$ PJ Clarke's—Midtown
915 Third Avenue

STEAKHOUSE

\$\$\$ Spark's—Midtown
210 East 56th Street

\$\$\$ Palm—Midtown
837 Second Avenue

\$\$\$ Porter House—Upper West Side
10 Columbus Circle

\$\$\$ NYY Steak—Midtown
7 West 61st Street
1 East 161st Street (Yankee Stadium)

\$\$\$ Peter Luger—Brooklyn
179 Broadway

\$\$\$ Keen's—Midtown
72 West 36th Street

\$\$\$ Strip House—Midtown and Greenwich Village
15 West 44th Street
11 East 12th Street

OUT-OF-TOWN STEAKHOUSES

Ruth's Chris
Capitol Grille
Doug Shula's
Morton's
Del Frisco's
Davio's

CHINESE

\$\$ Mission Chinese—Lower East Side—no reservations
171 East Broadway

\$\$ RedFarm—Greenwich Village—no reservations
529 Hudson Street

GREEK

\$\$\$ Molyvos—Midtown-Pre-Theater \$38.
871 Seventh Avenue

Nerai--Midtown
55 East 54th Street