

Dining Options

While all of the cruise lines cling to the traditional approach to dining, there is a new wave sweeping the industry. Referred to as personal choice or freestyle cruising, it's become a popular alternative to shipboard dining. Now passengers can dine where, when and with whom they want in a variety of dining rooms. This new Personal Choice Dining option is for those who want to enjoy a romantic dinner for two in the evening one night and join a group of new found friends for dinner the next

Breakfast Your Way

Whether you opt for continental breakfast delivered to your stateroom, or choose to try the buffet in the café or enjoy à la carte in the dining room, you'll get your day off to a delightful start. Breakfast buffets includes fresh fruits, hot and cold cereal, eggs, bacon, sausage, muffins, toast, juices and coffee. The dining room serves everything from lox and bagels to pancakes and Eggs Benedict.

Join Us For Lunch

Five-course luncheons in the dining room with different pastas every day and a variety of delightful entrees are irresistible. If you can't tear yourself away from the pool, the luscious buffets in the café is just as appealing. You'll find fresh fruits and salads, pasta, a variety of hot entrees, grilled hamburgers, a freshly baked pizza, and desserts and beverages.

Afternoon Tea

Some cruises offer a wonderful afternoon tradition. This is one time you won't mind going through British customs-the time-honored custom of afternoon tea with finger sandwiches, pastries, scones and white-glove service. It's the perfect interlude between sunning and swimming out on deck and a star-studded evening at sea. Enjoy your choice of a wide selection of premium teas-from Earl Grey to your favorite herbal infusion. And of course there's coffee if you prefer. The choice is up to you.

Dinner Is A Gala Affair

In addition to the alternative dining options, there are always two seatings for dinner. You may even be treated to a select theme nights featuring famous cuisines from around the world, including French and Italian. Relax while you dine on such delights as lobster and caviar, filet mignon and flavored soufflés. Some ships feature steak houses offering a variety of options..

Pizza Pizazz

Most ships now offer full-service pizzerias on all ships offering fresh and made-to-order gourmet pies. You won't find a more delicious or authentic pizza this side of Italy. Enjoy!

Alternative Dining

Due to the high popularity and limited seating, we recommend making reservations at your earliest convenience. Generally, a small per person service charge applies for the most formal and gourmet dining.

24 Hour Dining

After a fabulous evening of shows, casino action and dancing, order a sumptuous snack from room service - need a better way to wind up the day?

Smoke-Free Dining

To enhance your dining experience, most lines have established a smoke-free dining policy.