



Tour Name

Private Philadelphia: Food and Markets Driving Tour

Tour City

Philadelphia

Tour Snapshot

Some of Philadelphia's most famous icons are food, like the Philly cheesesteak and the soft pretzel. But, there's so much more than that! Do your own taste-test of these classic bites and try dishes that Philly locals love (like tomato pie!), and discover the incredible selection at the city's famous farmers' markets — you definitely won't finish the tour hungry!

This tour is priced for a minimum group size of six travellers. Smaller groups may still book this private experience but will be charged the base rate for six travellers.

Highlights

- Eat your way through Philadelphia with us! Try the foods that Philadelphia is best known for, like the Philly cheesesteak, soft pretzel, water ice and more!
- Discover the incredible variety of goods at the city's most famous markets: Reading Terminal Market and the 9th Street Italian Market
- Taste some of the amazing foodie delights offered up by the food trucks in University City

- Travel in style in a comfortable, private van with your own local guide
- Customize your tour with your guide and eat what you want to eat on your private food tour!

Inclusions: Local, English-speaking guide and transportation

Exclusions: Food and drinks, souvenirs and gratuities for your guide

Schedule details

- Duration: 4 hours
- Pickup location:
Pick up at location of traveler's choice. Extra charge applies if pickup is outside of Philadelphia city limits.
- Pickup time: 9.00 AM, 1.30 PM
- Drop off location:
Drop off at location of traveler's choice. Extra charge applies if drop off is outside of Philadelphia city limits.

Full Itinerary

One of the best ways to get to know a city is through its food, and Philadelphia has one of the most well-known foods in America: the Philly Cheesesteak. Why not discover what's beyond the cheesesteak and spend a few hours tasting your way through Philadelphia's favorite foods and markets?

Start your private tour in one of the most popular destinations for visitors and locals, alike: Reading Terminal Market. Hear about the history of this converted train station and how the market is still thriving after over 100 years of operation. Try some freshly made Amish baked goods, if you like, or simply follow your guide through the maze of stalls, shops and restaurants.

Next, head over to University City in West Philadelphia — home to the University of Pennsylvania and Drexel University. This vibrant neighborhood is home to some truly incredible food and is the heart of Philadelphia's food truck scene. Learn about the influence of immigrants in the neighborhood and try some delicious (and student-cheap) nibbles from a truck or two.

Then you'll head to the real South Philly! The 9th Street Italian Market is one of the most eclectic areas of the city. This vibrant and active market is the largest daily farmers' market in the country and is the heart of Philadelphia's Italian community. Peruse

vendors and shops that carry on the generations of tradition — and offer delicious food of all kinds. From butchers to cheese-mongers to oil and vinegar shops to tortillarias to coffee and chocolates, if you can't find it on 9th Street, you aren't looking hard enough!

Finally, you'll make your way to try one of the main attractions for Philadelphia visitors: the Philly cheesesteak. This classic Philadelphia sandwich has been replicated all over the world, but there's nothing like one from its hometown! Hear the real story of its invention and how this sandwich came to represent this vibrant, modern city.

When your tour is over, and after you've made memories that will last a lifetime, your guide will be happy to drop you off at a location of your choice. Your guide will also be happy to give you recommendations for other restaurants or attractions throughout the city.

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Additional information

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Your Trip: For your Urban Adventure you will be in a private group with a maximum of 6 people.

Confirmation of booking: If you have your voucher, your booking is confirmed. We'll see you at your hotel for pick up. Please check your hotel details are correct on the voucher. If your details are not correct, it is very important to please email us to confirm your correct pick up hotel using the contact details on the voucher. If you prefer you may also phone the change through to us during business hours.

Closure of sites: In the event of road or attraction closures, your guide will do their best to work around the obstacles or take your tour to alternate locations.

Child Policy: This is a child-friendly tour. Children between the ages of 6 and 11 inclusively are permitted on this tour at the rate listed above. Please select 'child' above when booking. Children under the age of 6 are permitted to join this tour free of charge. Please inform us at the time of booking if you'll be bringing a child under the age of 6. You can do so in the special request box on the checkout page.

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