



Culinary Tour

The diversity of Georgia will surprise and delight even the most seasoned traveler, and there is no more delicious way to discover it than by embarking on a food tour. The state offers unique flavors and amazing dining experiences perfect for any group.

DAY 1

ELLIJAY WINE COUNTRY

As if fall foliage and its status as Apple Capital of Georgia weren't enough, Ellijay offers winery tours amidst the southern Appalachians. Walk the rows of vines and learn why the region's elevation, soil and climate are so conducive to winemaking. Then pick a varietal to sip on the patio of one of the wineries.

MOUNTAIN FRESH CREAMERY & GLO-CREST DAIRY, CLERMONT

It's just another wholesome day of hard-working Holsteins and hand-dipped ice cream here on this fourth-general family farm. Group tours follow the pasture-to-barn routine of some 200 cows, including the bottling of their award-winning milk. visit the dairy store for a variety of farm-fresh selections.

DAHLONEGA FOOD TOUR & WINE TASTING ROOMS

Downtown Dahlonega is full of treasures, from fine art to fine food and wine. Savoring the Square's culinary walking tours offer an eclectic mix of stops, including taverns and cafes, landmark venues and working spaces of local artists. Begin your Wine Walk with a purchase of a wine glass at the visitors center, then set out to some of the tasting rooms nearby.

Overnight in Dahlonega

DAY 2

CHICK-FIL-A BACKSTAGE HOME OFFICE TOUR, ATLANTA

Learn about the core values that led to the success of the Chick-fil-A chicken sandwich empire. Tour founder Truett Cathy's office, a history museum, the product development kitchen and the company's innovation center.

BIBLICAL HISTORY CENTER, LAGRANGE

Meal rooms like those found in ancient Roman cities are replicated here, giving diners a glimpse of culture from the first century. Over a four-course Biblical Meal, learn about ancient dining customs from Passover and the Last Supper. Lessons in desert life are offered, too, in the Shepherd's Bread making Experience.

THE ROCK RANCH, THE ROCK

This 1,500-acre cattle ranch, about an hour south of Atlanta, abounds with bucolic beauty. It offers seasonal events; outdoor attractions (zip lines, pedal boats, pony rides); family-friendly accommodations; and plenty of grass-fed beef, farm-fresh produce and Georgia-made specialty foods. Reserve a campfire and picnic site in the fall for meet-ups and storytelling, and sample frontier living staying overnight in a Conestoga wagon.

Overnight in The Rock

DAY 3

LANE SOUTHERN ORCHARDS, FORT VALLEY

Pick your own strawberries in the spring; peaches in the summer; and enjoy the corn maze, pumpkin patch and fall festival come October. Check out the market store and daily lunch specials, then finish with some peach cobbler with ice cream.

LADY JANE'S SHRIMP BOAT, BRUNSWICK

Set out to shrimpin' aboard the Lady Jane, a retired and refurbished working vessel, certified by the U.S. Coast Guard. Relax on the deck, enjoy dolphin spotting and learn about marine life from a naturalist as the crew sorts the catch of the day. The cruise navigates the calm waters of the estuary and marshes for a relaxed outing. Private charters include a Lowcountry boil.

SAVANNAH TASTE EXPERIENCE FOOD TOURS

There's so much to savor in Savannah, why not let an insider lead you on a culinary adventure to well-chosen restaurants and local cuisine. These walking and tasting tours include two options: a First Squares Food Tour (for first-time visitors) and a Famous and Secret East Side Food Tour (for those seeking to venture beyond the beaten path).

Find more itineraries at [ExploreGeorgia.org](https://www.ExploreGeorgia.org).

MILEAGE	Albany	Athens	Atlanta	Augusta	Columbus	Macon	Rome	Savannah
Asheville, NC	6 hours	3 hours	3.5 hours	3 hours	5 hours	4.5 hours	4 hours	4.5 hours
Birmingham, AL	4 hours	3.5 hours	2 hours	4 hours	2.5 hours	3.5 hours	2 hours	5.5 hours
Charlotte, NC	6 hours	3 hours	3.5 hours	2.5 hours	5 hours	4.5 hours	4.5 hours	3.5 hours
Charleston, SC	5 hours	4 hours	4.5 hours	3 hours	5.5 hours	4 hours	6 hours	2 hours
Nashville, TN	6.5 hours	5 hours	3.5 hours	6 hours	5 hours	5 hours	3 hours	7 hours
New Orleans, LA	6.5 hours	7.5 hours	6.5 hours	8.5 hours	5.5 hours	7 hours	7 hours	9 hours
Orlando, FL	4.5 hours	6.5 hours	6 hours	6 hours	6 hours	5 hours	7 hours	4 hours
Raleigh, NC	7.5 hours	5.5 hours	6 hours	4.5 hours	7.5 hours	6 hours	7 hours	4.5 hours

VISITOR INFORMATION CENTERS

- Augusta
- Columbus
- Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport
- Kingsland/St. Marys
- Lavonia
- Plains
- Ringgold
- Savannah/Port Wentworth
- Sylvania
- Tallapoosa
- Valdosta/Lake Park
- West Point



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