

The 20 Hottest Brunch Spots in Los Angeles, December 2016

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Winsome, Echo Park | [Wonho Frank Lee](#)

There's nothing better than a great brunch to either kick off, or cap the weekend's festivities. Saturday and Sunday mornings (and often into the afternoons) are prime time for weekend dining warriors to grab a bloody mary, mimosa, or bellini, because, well, if there isn't booze, brunch is just late breakfast.

Because LA's almost always blessed with great weather, it turns out that brunch is perhaps the most popular meal of the week. This map finds the places that haven't served brunch for longer than a year, or have recently introduced new brunch programs.

This month, we add Ari Taymor's enduring perma-pop at the Standard Hotel in West Hollywood, Alma; C'est La Vie, a smaller outlet of the Lincoln-Little Flower empire, Catch's ultra-popular rooftop digs in West Hollywood, and the return of Winsome in Echo Park.

Added: Alma, C'est La Vie, Winsome, Catch

Removed: Connie & Ted's, Mardi, Otium, Nighthawk

11 The Front Yard

This restaurant nestled inside the Garland Hotel in Studio City is a nice escape from the bustle of Ventura Blvd. The brunch menu has some solid weekend bites, from shrimp and sweet potato hash to a nutella-stuffed french toast. Or get the brunch-ready royale with cheese, best when topped with a fried egg.



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