

# 20 Premier Wineries With Excellent Food in Napa Valley

These go far beyond a bucket of breadsticks.

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More and more Napa Valley tasting rooms are upping the ante and serving their wines the way they were meant to be sipped: with food. These 20 wineries are foregoing the obligatory cheese and charcuterie board for fun, creative, and satisfying experiences, prepared by some seriously talented chefs — many of whom come from the Michelin-starred fine dining scene. Ranging from small bites to multi-course meals to caviar dreams, you'll never want to go back to simply bellying up to the tasting bar. (Note: During these pandemic days, many wineries require appointments, especially to enjoy the food offerings.)

*The latest CDC guidance for vaccinated diners during the COVID-19 outbreak is [here](#); dining out still carries risks for unvaccinated diners and workers. Please be aware of changing local rules, and check individual restaurant websites for any additional restrictions such as mask requirements. Find a local vaccination site [here](#).*

Note: Restaurants on this map are listed geographically.

## Wheeler Farms



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St. Helena winery Wheeler Farms has several excellent food options, all offered daily by appointment and curated by Chef Sarah Heller, an alum of Meadowood and Bouchon Bistro. Choose between the farm-to-table experience (\$125), which includes four wines paired with savory canapés; either a one-course (\$175) or three-course (\$250) garden lunch; or a tasting, cooking demonstration, and three-course lunch (\$325). No matter what, you'll also get to tour Wheeler Farms' stunning gardens and winery.

