

## Give the gift of wine experiences this holiday season

What do you get for the person who seems to have everything? While wine is always an excellent gift, wine-centred experiences allow people to form connections to unique places and lasting memories. The following wine experiences make for creative, unique gifting this holiday season.



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Tasting at Wheeler Farms. Credit: Sarah Anne Risk

Wine tasting experiences can offer a range of opportunities, from the basics of wine education to exploring the vineyards and cellars of favourite producers. Below, you'll find an array of tasting options that might make the perfect gift.



The culinary gardens at Wheeler Farms. Credit: Sara Anne Risk

### A three-course culinary lesson

**Wheeler Farms**, owned by Napa Valley's famed Araujo family, offers a perfect gift for your favourite foodie. An acclaimed wine brand in its own right, Wheeler Farms is also home to chickens, an apiary, a large garden and fruit trees, all of which are included in their culinary programme, a homage to the agricultural history of the valley.

The **Estate Tasting and Cooking Demonstration** begins with a tour of the expansive gardens and the winery itself, followed by an up-close cooking demonstration with chef Tom Harder doing what he does best at the kitchen table. The four-course lunch and cooking demonstration is paired with Wheeler Farms wines, including **Sauvignon Blanc**, rosé and a number of unique Cabernet expressions. The experience lasts three hours and costs \$350 per person for two-person parties, including a gift from the kitchen.