

Restaurants

66 Diner - 1.45 miles

1405 Central Avenue, NE

505-247-1421

Sat-Sun breakfast, Daily lunch and dinner

\$10 and below

Burgers, blue plate specials, soda fountain, milkshakes, in a 1950's nostalgic diner. Reservations accepted for parties of 8 or more.

Artichoke Café - 0.88 miles

424 Central, SE at Edith

505-243-0200

M-F lunch, M-Sat dinner

\$10-25

Casual gourmet dining in an art-filled atmosphere with French, American, and Italian cuisine.

Café Café - 0.20 miles

208 First Plaza NW

505-843-6203

M-F breakfast and lunch 8am-2pm

Quiche, soup, and sandwiches.

Café Broadway International - 1.04 miles

606 Broadway, SE

505-842-8973

M-F lunch buffet 11am-2:30pm, W-Sat 5-9pm

Authentic Spanish cuisine with live flamenco and belly dancers.

Cold Stone Creamery - 0.37 miles

101 Gold SW

505-843-9456

M-F 11am-10pm, Sat-Sun 11am-11pm

Ice cream.

Frank's Other Place - 0.41 miles

44 First Place

505-243-7789

M-F breakfast and lunch 7am-3pm

Light fare.

Friend's Café - 0.11 miles

200 Third Street

505-243-4801

M-F breakfast and lunch 7:30am-3:30pm

Coffee and sandwiches.

Fresh Choices - 0.34 miles

402 Central, SW

505-242-6447

Daily lunch and dinner

\$6.95 full buffet, \$4.95 soup, salad, bread, and fruit

Home-style foods fresh daily. Gourmet soups, salads, pizza, and pasta.

Il Vicino - 2.65 miles

3403 Central Avenue, NE

505-266-7855

Sun-Th 11am-11pm, F-Sat 11am-12am

\$10-17

Wood-oven pizza and lasagna, dinner salads, microbrews, and desserts. Casual dining.

The Melting Pot – A Fondue Restaurant - 1.64 miles

2011 Mountain Road, NW

505-843-6358

M-Th 4:30pm-11pm, F 4pm-1am, Sat 3pm-1am, Sun 3pm-10pm

\$25 and up

Up to four courses including cheese and chocolate fondues. Reservations recommended, allow yourself at least two hours for dining time.

Monte Vista Fire Station Restaurant - 2.64 miles

3201 Central, NE

505-255-2424

Lunch, dinner, cocktails daily

Historical landmark, 1936 WPA fire station. Large variety of menu items.

New York Pizza Dept - 0.23 miles

215 Central Avenue, SW

505-766-6973

M-Th 11am-11pm, F 11am-12am, Sat 12pm-12am

Pizza and pasta.

Saggio's - 2.11 miles

107 Cornell Drive, SE

505-255-5454

Whimsical replica of Italy featuring pastas, pizzas, calzones, and desserts.

Scalo, Northern Italian Grill - 2.91 miles

M-Sat Lunch, Daily, Dinner, Cocktails

3500 Central Avenue, SW

M-Sat lunch, Daily dinner

\$18-25

Homemade pastas, interesting antipasti, and fresh fish. Reservations are recommended.

Seasons Rotisserie Grill - 1.83 miles

2031 Mountain Road, NW

505-766-5100

M-F 11:30am-2pm, Sat noon-2pm, dinner daily from 5pm

\$25 and up

Serves reliable grilled specialties, like the popular spit-roasted half-chicken with garlic mashed potatoes, as well as light northern Italian pastas. Reservations are recommended.

The Stuffed Croissant - 0.17 miles

401-A Copper Avenue, NW

505-242-4499

M-F breakfast, lunch 6am-2pm

Hot stuffed croissants and Japanese cuisine.

Subway Sandwiches - Within walking distance

First Plaza

505-244-9636

M-F 9am-7pm

Deli sandwiches.

Sushi King - 0.35 miles

118 Central Avenue, SW

M-Th 11am-9:30pm, F-Sat 11am-11pm, Sun 12pm-9:30pm

505-842-5099

Sushi and noodles.

Sweet Peppers - 1.21 miles

521 Central NW (6th between Copper and Central)

505-842-1273

M-F 10am-3pm

Pastas, sub sandwiches, sausage, beef, meatballs, and hotdogs.

Thai Crystal - 0.37 miles

109 Gold Street, NW

M-F 11am-9pm, Sat 12pm-11pm, Sun 12pm-9pm

Thai cuisine.

Tucanos Brazilian Grill - 0.84 miles

110 Central Avenue, SW

505-246-9900

M-Th 11am-10pm, F-Sat 11am-11pm, Sun Noon-8pm

\$18-25

Unlimited fresh grilled, seasoned beef, poultry, and seafood. Reservations are necessary for groups of 6 or more.

Local Areas of Interest

Museums

Albuquerque Museum of Art and History - 1.84 miles

2000 Mountain Road, NW
505-243-7255 or 505-242-4600
\$2, Tu-Sun 9am-5pm

This modern structure houses the largest collection of Spanish-colonial artifacts in the nation. The sculpture garden contains 45 works by 20th-century southwestern artists that include Glenna Goodacre, Michael Naranjo, and Luís Jimenez.

American International Rattlesnake Museum - 1.60 miles

202 San Felipe Street, NW
505-242-6569
\$2.50, M-F noon-6pm, Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 1pm-5pm

Included in this strange collection of living "rattlers" are rare and unusual specimens, such as an albino western diamondback.

National Atomic Museum - 1.80 miles

1905 Mountain Road, NW
505-284-3243
\$4, daily 9am-5pm

Exhibits include replicas of Little Boy and Fat Man (the bombs dropped on Japan at the end of World War II), and there are children's programs and an exhibit about X-ray technology.
www.atomicmuseum.com

New Mexico Museum of Natural History and Science - 1.66 miles

1801 Mountain Road, NW
505-841-2800
Museum \$5, combination ticket for museum and Extreme Screen DynaTheater \$10, LodeStar Science Center \$6, daily 9am-5pm
Includes the simulated volcano, the frigid Ice Age cave, and the world-class dinosaur exhibit hall. Films are shown in the Extreme Screen DynaTheater, and the LodeStar Science Center features a state-of-the-art planetarium.
www.nmmnh-abq.mus.nm.us

Aquariums and Zoos

Albuquerque Aquarium and Botanic Garden - 1.94 miles

2601 Central, NW
505-764-6200
\$7 adults, \$3 senior citizens (65 and older), \$3 children (3-12), daily 9am-5pm
www.cabq.gov/biopark

Rio Grande Zoo – 1.19 miles

903 10th Street, SW

505-764-6200

\$5, daily 9am-5pm

With more than 200 species of wildlife, one of the best-managed and most attractive facilities of its kind in the nation.

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Shopping**Coronado Mall - 0.2 miles**

Louisiana Boulevard, NE at Menaul Boulevard, NE

505-881-4600

Macy's, JCPenney, Mervyn's, and Sears department stores, along with 160 specialty shops and a food court.

Cottonwood Mall - 0.2 miles

Coors Boulevard at Coors Bypass

505-899-7467

The largest mall in New Mexico featuring Dillard's and JCPenney; Williams-Sonoma is among the 136 specialty shops. There's a food court and a multiplex cinema.

Historic Old Town - 0.2 miles

Central Avenue and Rio Grande Boulevard

Old Town has the city's largest concentration of one-of-a-kind retail shops, selling clothing, home accessories, and Mexican imports. Also here are a slew of galleries, many exhibiting Native American art.

Golf Courses**Arroyo del Oso Golf Course - 7.66 miles**

Championship Golf Course - 18 holes, par 72

Dam Nine Course - 9 hole, par 36

7001 Osuna Road, NE

505-884-7505

Iseata Eagle Course

5.76 miles

Lakes/Arroyo Course - 18 holes, par 72

Lakes/Mesa Course - 18 holes, par 72

Mesa/Arroyo Course - 18 holes, par 72

4001 Highway 47, SE

505-869-0950

7.01 miles

Championship Course - 18 holes, par 72

Executive Course - 9 holes, par 31

3401 Ladera Drive, NW

505-836-4449

9.01 miles

Executive Course - 9 holes, par 29

Regulation Course - 18 holes, par 71

9727 Copper Avenue, NE

505-298-1897

Paradise Hills Golf Club - 12.02 miles

18 holes, par 72

10035 Country Club Lane, NW

505-898-7001

Puerto Del Sol Golf Course - 4.38 miles

9 holes, par 70

1800 Girard Boulevard, SE

505-265-5636

University of New Mexico - North Course - 2.08 miles

9 holes, par 72

2201 Tucker Road, NE

505-277-4146