

## **Twelve Baskets Catering Tasting Policy**

Thank you for thinking of Twelve Baskets Catering for your catering needs!

In order to maintain the great service that we are known for and due to the busy nature of event planning during certain seasons, we do restrict/limit private tastings to a specific parameter. We can accommodate private tastings during the months of January-April and November. If you are wondering about our availability, please reach out to our office for our current tasting schedule. Ask your Wedding & Event Specialist about any upcoming group tastings you can attend to experience a taste of our service and cooking style in person!

In order to schedule a private tasting, we require that you have received a catering proposal from one of our Wedding & Event Specialists and preferably, have both the location and the date of your event locked in. Keep in mind that certain venues do require for you to use a catering company off of their exclusive list only. Check with your venue for catering options and policies.

Please note that Twelve Baskets Catering cannot guarantee that your event date will be available if you are solely relying on the private tasting to reserve your event date with us. To officially lock in your wedding date, we ask for a signed catering agreement and a 25% deposit of your current total. You can continue adjusting your catering order after that, including your menu, guest count and equipment.

For recommendations, please check out our online reviews from clients such as yourself, that have shared about their experience of working with our team:

Yelp Reviews			
Google Reviews			

For your private tasting, we allow for up to four people to attend and try four menu items total, two of which can be entrees and the other two may be any combination of an appetizer, side, and/or salad. Please note that some food items are not available for tasting and all menu items are subject to approval by our Chef. Reach out to your Wedding & Event Specialist for more details.

**Proposals under 5k** – Unfortunately, we are unable to accommodate private tastings for events under this estimate. Please speak with your Wedding & Event Specialist about any upcoming group tastings or an Open House event.

**Proposals of 5k-10k** - Tasting fee is \$75 + tax per person.

**Proposals of 10k and above** –Tasting fee is \$75 + tax per person. If you decide to book our services after your tasting, your total tasting fee will be credited to your event. If you are already booked with us and your total cost is \$10k and over, the tasting will be complimentary. If the final cost of your event comes to be under 10k upon finalizing, the \$75 + tax per person total charges for people that attended the tasting will be added to your final cost.

If tasting fees apply, they will be based on the final cost of your event and credit for the tasting will be applied to your final invoice, two weeks before your event at the latest. Your menu selections, the number of people attending the tasting and the tasting fee of \$75 + tax per person is due one week prior to the tasting. If this information is not submitted in time, Twelve Baskets Catering has the right to cancel your tasting and it can be rescheduled based on the next availability.

**Tasting Cancellations:** If an emergency comes up and you are unable to make it to your tasting, Twelve Baskets Catering requires you to notify your Wedding & Event Specialist at least 3 days before your scheduled private tasting (during business hours). However, whether complimentary or not, if you are unable to give us at least a 48-hour notice, we reserve the right to retain a portion of your tasting fee to cover the kitchen labor and food cost, up to \$150.