

Hôtel Plaza Athénée Paris



THE ELEGANT AND SOPHISTICATED HÔTEL PLAZA ATHÉNÉE (dorchestercollection.com/en/paris/hotel-plaza-athenee) welcomes guests delighted to stay on avenue Montaigne, the heart of haute couture. The hotel's subtly updated Parisian interiors and beautiful new event rooms, inspired by haute couture, include the beautiful new event spaces. Guests can stay in luxurious comfort overlooking either the Eiffel Tower or the charming courtyard with its signature red awnings, perfect for al fresco summer dining and in winter features its own ice rink. Bar du Plaza Athénée has been lavishly

redesigned and Alain Ducasse, world-renowned multiple Michelin-star chef, oversees all of the dining venues. In his Alain Ducasse au Plaza Athénée restaurant, visitors can experience a new culinary concept amidst a stunning

ceiling of crystal. In contrast, the listed Art Deco Le Relais Plaza is a chic and ever-popular Parisian brasserie, which hosts popular jazz nights. Those seeking complete indulgence will appreciate Europe's only Dior Institute, offering exclusive spa treatments in a stylish setting, which includes a specialist manicure and pedicure area.

Visitors seeking the best the property has to offer will appreciate the array of divine suites sure to cater to every traveler's whim. Decorated in a Louis XVI or Art Deco style, all of the Prestige Junior Suites have plenty of space for guests. They also provide a view of avenue Montaigne. The decorative items, choice of fabrics such as taffeta or velvet, and the edgings made with golden threadwork give these suites a look that is typical of Parisian apartments.

This suite type can be connected to one of the Regency-style Prestige Suites, which has a vast entry with powder room, a spacious bedroom, a sizable lounge, and two marble bathrooms. This suite is where comfort and luxury combine with a Parisian lifestyle.

Decorated in the purest French Regency or Art Deco traditions, the hotel's Superior Suites are places of calm and tranquility. They each have a

Eiffel Suites, one decorated in a Classic style and two in Art Deco style. They are vast and filled with luxury fabrics, contrasting colors or a palette of matching colors, and have fabulously high ceilings. The Classic Haute Couture-style Suites provide magnificent views of the majestic Iron Lady. The Art Deco Eiffel Suites on the 7th and 8th floors consist of a wide entrance hall, a lounge, one bedroom, and two bathrooms. They are flooded with intense natural light. Mahogany and Madagascar ebony are the two woods predominating in the Art Deco suite. The Jean-François Lesage cushions repeat the figuring in the velvet on the settees and are embroidered with silver threadwork. The lined curtains are made of silk.

The Signature Eiffel Suites are the Plaza Athénée's signature suites: One is decorated in the Classic style; the other is Art Deco. They are the hotel's largest suites and provide an unrivalled view of the Eiffel Tower. Eiffel Suite 361 boasts a spacious lounge in which lustrous pinks lift the subtle pearl grey and silver grey tones. The all-silk curtains provide a color contrast, and the lightshades, cushions by Lesage, and pink armchairs echo each other, enhancing the period furniture, the reverse-painted coffee table with silver-leaf decoration, and the expansive dark grey velvet sofas (made to measure) set facing each other. Further on is a vast desk beyond two wide sliding doors that close off the guest's working space or play area. Eiffel Suite 878 consists of a large bedroom, a bathroom, a lounge, a bar, and a dining space and also provides a 180-degree view of the Paris skyline. Advanced technology enables visitors to turn the glass wall in the bathroom opaque for a stunning view of the Eiffel Tower or ensure the privacy of the bathroom. Rosewood, Macassar ebony, and mahogany are the three predominant woods used in the suite, and the carpets with their Art Deco motifs and the heavy silk curtains with edgings re-embroidered by the Jean-François Lesage company use silver grey tones.

A few first-rate amenities for suite guests include a choice of pillow type to suit one's needs; various in-room breakfast options; regular or express dry-cleaning; takeaway cakes and pastries; and housekeeping service twice daily. ●



The Eiffel Suite living and dining areas (above); the Signature Suites living area and bedroom (left)

