

# GREYFRIARS

## Bar, Lounge & Terrace Menu

All day dining: Monday to Sunday

### Salads

Classic Caesar salad £8.95  
Cos lettuce leaves, Caesar dressing, toasted croûtons,  
Gran Mantovano shavings, anchovies

Chicken Caesar salad £12.95

### Starters

Lobster bisque £9.95 (v) (1) (2) (3)

Chive crème fraîche, lobster

Colchester seafood cocktail £12.95 (2) (3)

Native lobster, native crab, prawn,  
pickled cucumber, Iceberg

Smoked ham hock terrine £9.95 (3)

Chicken, apricot, black pudding, mustard aioli, toasted  
sourdough, dressed mixed leaf salad

Scallop & crab 'lasagne' £12.95

Celeriac, pickled apple, sea vegetable, lemongrass bisque

Smoked duck breast £11.95 (2)

Duck leg pastilla, puy lentils,  
carrot & orange purée, candied orange peel

Sweet potato, cumin & coconut soup £7.25 (v) (1) (2) (3)

Toasted cumin bread, granola

Truffle mushroom bon bons £9.95 (v)

Herb risotto, butternut squash purée,  
butternut squash crisp

### Oysters

Mersea Rock available all year round,  
native Colchester from October to March  
Served traditionally with lemon,  
shallot vinegar, Tabasco on ice

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| Mersea Rock  | Colchester Native |
| Three £11.00 | Three £13.50      |
| Six £22.00   | Six £27.00        |

### Small Bites

Devilled whitebait, citrus mayo £5.50 (2) (3)

Hand cut chips or rosemary fries £3.50 (v)

Mushroom frits £3.95 (v) (1) (3)

Pan fried padron peppers £3.95 (v) (1) (2) (3)

Goujons of plaice, tartare sauce £9.95

Goujons of chicken £7.95

### Sandwiches

(All sandwiches served with rosemary fries)

Mature cheddar toasted sandwich £5.95 (v) (2)

Mature cheddar cheese & ham  
toasted sandwich £7.95 (2)

GreyFriars' club sandwich £12.50 (2)

Grilled chicken, bacon, little gem lettuce,  
tomato, mayonnaise

Seafood cocktail sandwich £13.95 (2) (3)

Native lobster, native crab, prawn,  
pickled cucumber, Iceberg

### Main Courses

8oz Fillet Steak £27.50 (2) (3)

Hand cut chips, roasted shallot, tomato  
Served with a choice of Béarnaise,  
blue cheese or peppercorn sauce

'Catch of the day' in Meantime ale batter £14.95 (2) (3)

Fries, half lemon, tartare sauce, pea purée

Prosciutto wrapped chicken ballotine £17.95 (2)

Crushed herb new potatoes, lardons, pearl onions,  
creamed peas, baby gem, red wine jus

GreyFriars' Burger £16.95

Caramelised red onion, gem leaves, tomato, mayonnaise,  
mustard relish, rosemary fries or hand cut chips

Pan fried salmon £18.50 (2)

Lyonnais potatoes, braised fennel, capers, golden raisin,  
brown shrimp, beurre blanc sauce

6oz Rump Steak £17.95 (2) (3)

Hand cut chips, roasted shallot, tomato

Served with a choice of Béarnaise,  
blue cheese or peppercorn sauce

Buttermilk fried chicken burger £15.95

Tomato, lettuce, smoked anchovy mayonnaise,  
rosemary fries or hand cut chips

Cauliflower risotto £7.95 / £15.50 (v) (1) (2) (3)

Roasted cauliflower, pickled cauliflower, cauliflower purée,  
parsley, peas, curry oil

Goujons of plaice £16.50

Fries, half lemon, tartare sauce, pea purée

Whole roasted heritage baby squash £17.95 (v) (1) (2) (3)

Stuffed with wild rice, pumpkin seeds, cranberry,  
dried tomato, goat's cheese

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(2) denotes gluten free option available upon request (3) denotes dairy free option available upon request

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## Desserts

Pumpkin mousse £7.50 (v)

Brown butter shortbread, milk chocolate,  
pumpkin seeds, cranberry gel

Warm chocolate brownie £6.50 (v) (2)

Chocolate crumb, vanilla ice cream

Apple tarte tatin £7.95 (v) (1) (2) (3)

Apple crisp, cinnamon ice cream

GreyFriars' sticky toffee pudding £7.25 (v)

Cinnamon tuile, vanilla ice cream

Great British artisan cheese plate £10.95 (v) (2)

Quince jelly, savoury biscuits, walnuts, celery & grapes

Trio of our own ice creams or sorbets £6.50 (v) (1) (2) (3)

Please ask for today's choices

GreyFriars' Cream Tea £7.50

Baked scones served with clotted cream and home-made strawberry  
preserve with a pot of tea of your choice, served with milk or lemon

Finger sandwich selection £7.95

(please see selection below)

Lounge Afternoon Tea £14.95

Sandwiches

Maldon smoked salmon, caper butter | Horseradish bread

Roasted ham, red onion chutney | Tomato bread

Cucumber, cream cheese | Tarragon bread

Coronation chicken rolled in roasted almonds | Caraway seed bread

Free range egg mayonnaise, watercress | White bread

Alternatively, with our Vegetarian or Vegan sandwich selection

Caramelised red onion, grilled courgette | Tomato bread Hummus,  
roasted red pepper | Horseradish bread

Aubergine purée, pomegranate | Caraway bread

Cucumber, mint chickpea mayonnaise | Tarragon bread

Avocado, baby gem, tomato | White bread

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Scones

Baked scones served with clotted cream and home-made strawberry  
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GreyFriars' Tea Selection £3.50

# JING

The following tea is sourced and  
selected by **JING Tea**

Assam Breakfast

Assam, India

Earl Grey

Ruhuna, Sri Lanka

Darjeeling Second Flush

West Bengal, India

Organic Jade Sword

Hunan, China

Jasmine Silver Needle

Yunnan, China

White Peony

Fujian, China

Lemon Verbena

Agadir, Morocco

Peppermint Leaf

Bavaria, Germany

Chamomile Flowers

Slavonia, Croatia

## Nespresso Coffee

Americano £3.00 Espresso £3.00

Espresso Large £3.50 Flat White £3.50

Macchiato £3.50 Cappuccino £3.50

Latte £3.50 Iced Coffee £3.50

Plus your choice of syrup, caramel, vanilla,  
cinnamon, hazelnut or chocolate (25p extra)

Cafetière £5.00 Callebaut Hot Chocolate £4.50

Decaffeinated coffee available upon request

## Children's Menu

Starters

Homemade soup of the day £3.95 (v) (1) (2) (3)

Served with bread & butter

Chips £2.95 (v)

Tiptree tomato ketchup

Garlic bread £2.95 (v) (2)

Mains

Chicken goujons £6.95

Fries, buttered carrots

Goujons of plaice & chips £7.95

Fries, pea purée

Macaroni cheese £6.50 (v)

Gran Mantovano crumb (optional)

Desserts

Chunky fresh fruit platter £4.75 (v)

With fruit flavoured yoghurt

Warm chocolate brownie £4.75 (v)

Vanilla ice cream

Duo of our own ice creams or sorbets £4.75 (v)

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