

## HOME TASTING OUTLINE

Thanks for your interest in hosting a Home Tasting Experience with The Tasting Class.

The Tasting Class has a team of qualified, internationally experienced wine and beer professionals who facilitate fun and easy to understand home tasting experiences.

### ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW FOR YOUR PRIVATE TASTING:



#### BEFORE

- Select a date and time for the tasting. This will only be confirmed once a 50% deposit is made to The Tasting Class
- Select a topic for your tasting with help from The Tasting Class. There are suggestions at [www.thetastingclass.com](http://www.thetastingclass.com) but we are also happy to create a bespoke class to suit your interests, or to showcase wines that you already have in your collection.
- By law we cannot sell alcoholic beverages, however we will do all we can to help get the right wine/beer for your event. We will work with a retailer to choose beverages in line with your budget, theme and preferences, and they will set aside the products aside for you.

#### ON THE DAY

- We will come to your home or chosen venue with professional glassware, tasting sheets and learning aids 1.5 – 2 hours before the tasting start time to prepare the area for the tasting
- Once your guests have all arrived they will take a seat for the lesson
- The Tasting Class will guide a tasting of six wines/beers, helping you and your guests to identify and articulate what you smell and taste. We will teach about key wine regions and grape varieties as per the class topic and give tips for next time you are your guests are buying wine or choosing a glass at a restaurant. We encourage interaction and are happy to field questions throughout the tasting

\*Tastings are based around your requirements so each event can be tailored to you





## AFTER

We will take away the glasses and learning aids, leaving you and your guests to carry on enjoy any leftover wine.

## WHERE TO HOST A TASTING

- We suggest that you hold the event at a private location, such as in the comfort of your own home.
- If you prefer a public venue we can help arrange it, but do note that the venue will apply an additional service and/or corkage charge and may require that you purchase wines from their list

## PRICE

The Tasting Class charges 150 AED per person, with a minimum charge of 1000 AED per class.

## BEVERAGE COSTS

- Beverages are an additional charge as The Tasting Class is not legally able to sell alcohol. That said, we will do all we can to make the purchasing process as easy as possible for you, including choosing the right wine or beer for your tasting according to your theme and budget
- We generally taste six wines/beers in a lesson
- WINE - We recommend a minimum budget of about 70 AED per bottle for wine, but we're happy to work with any budget. One bottle of each wine will serve up to 10 people. If you plan to host 11 – 20 people you will need two bottles of each wine.
- BEER - One bottle of premium beer will cost between 15-30 AED and serve 3 people. To give an example of beer cost a tasting of six beers for 10 people will be approx. 530 AED.

## TERMS & CONDITIONS

- A 50% non-refundable deposit is required to hold your booking.
- Full payment is to be received at the event in cash, or prior to the event via bank transfer.
- Final chargeable numbers of guests for tastings and cheese boards, if applicable, must be confirmed two days prior to event. Last minute dropouts will still be charged at regular prices.

The Tasting Class reserves the right to change a product's price without notice. Quote prices are guaranteed for 30 days.

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