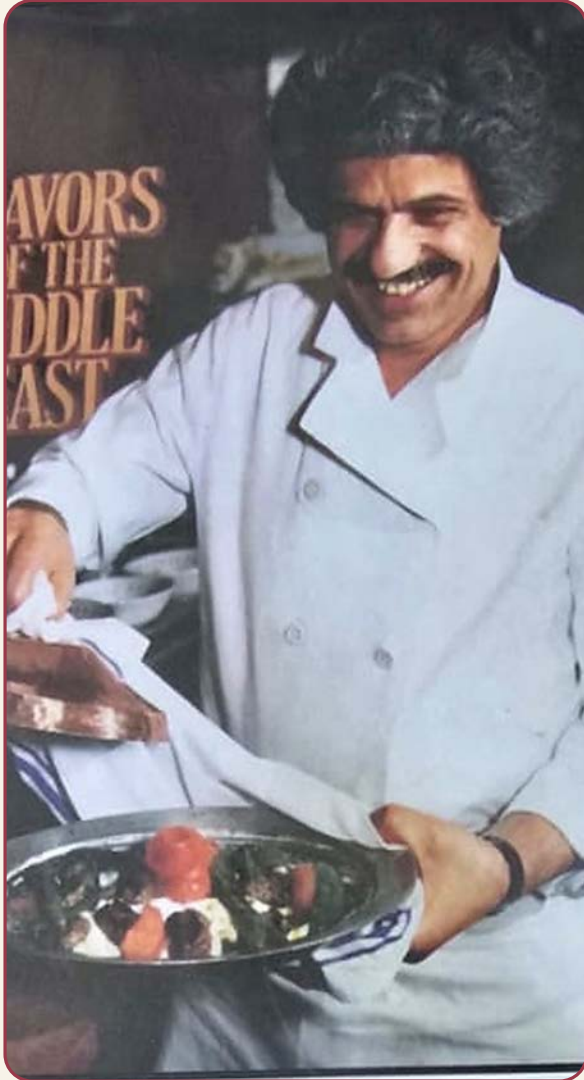


Kâzım Efes Restaurant & Bar

ESTABLISHED 1974 | FITZROVIA, LONDON



Kâzım

Kâzım Efes Restaurant & Bar is named after Ephesus, a historical city on Turkey's Aegean coast, and after Kâzım's first London restaurant, which opened in 1974. Kâzım Efes reopened in 2021.

Kâzım continues to work as a chef, which explains the consistently high standard and the delicious, authentic taste of Turkey found at Kâzım Efes Restaurant.

Turkish cuisine is most sensuous by virtue of its earthliness and the fact that the finest and freshest ingredients are prepared from scratch on the premises. To our chefs, the real beauty lies in the food's content and flavour, shaped by thousands of years of tradition.



AUTHENTIC TURKISH COOKING SINCE 1974

56 Maple Street, London, W1T 6HW

Fresh ingredients, generous hospitality and timeless flavour.

FIRST TIME AT EFES?

Start with the favourites.

A simple route through the menu for guests discovering Turkish food.

GREAT FOR SHARING

Cold Meze Platter £18.20

Baba ghanoush, aubergine, cacik, hummus, taramasalata and tabbouleh.

SHARING



COLD MEZE SHARING BOARD

GREAT FOR SHARING

Hot Meze Platter £21.00

Falafel, halloumi, börek, sucuk and calamari — two pieces of each. Serves two.

SHARING



HOT MEZE SHARING PLATTER

CHEF'S SIGNATURE

Special Mixed Kebab £26.00

A generous mixed selection from the charcoal grill, served with rice and salad.

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SPECIAL MIXED KEBAB

How to order

- 1 Share a meze
- 2 Choose a grill or classic
- 3 Add salad, rice or vegetables

BEGIN TOGETHER

Cold & hot meze

Small plates made for sharing. Platters are featured on the Start Here page.

Cold Meze

Raw Vegetable Sticks £5.90

Bar Salata
Carrot, cucumber and celery.

Marinated Olives £5.50

Zeytin (V)
Black and green olives, served hot or cold.

Mixed Pickles £5.70

Turşu (V)
A traditional selection of mixed pickles.

Hummus £7.50

Humus (V)(S)
Chickpeas, tahini, lemon and garlic.

Baba Ghanoush £7.90

Baba Ghanoush (V)
Smoked aubergine, yoghurt, garlic and herbs.

Cacik £7.50

Cacık (V)
Cucumber, mint and garlic in creamy yoghurt.

Taramasalata £7.50

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Marinated cod roe with lemon.

Aubergine in Tomato Sauce £7.90

Patlıcan Soslu (V)
Fried aubergine cubes in tomato sauce.

Tabbouleh £7.50

Tabbouleh (V)
Parsley, bulgur, tomato, spring onion and olive oil.

Feta, Tomato & Cucumber £7.90

Beyaz Peynir (V)
Feta cheese with fresh tomato and cucumber.

Imam Bayildi £7.90

İmam Bayıldı (V)
Aubergine baked with pepper, onion, tomato and garlic.

Hot Meze & Soup

Fried Aubergine £7.90

Patlıcan Tava
With garlic yoghurt.

Crispy Lamb's Liver £8.20

Arnavut Ciğeri
Fresh diced lamb's liver, deep-fried.

Cheese Börek £8.90

Muska Börek
Crisp pastry filled with soft cheese.

Calamari £9.50

Kalamar
Battered calamari with homemade sauce.

Grilled Halloumi £8.90

Izgara Hellim Peyniri
Char-grilled halloumi cheese.

Turkish Sucuk £8.90

Sucuk
Spiced Turkish sausage.

Mini Köfte £9.90

Misket Köfte
Char-grilled mini meatballs.

Falafel £7.90

Falafel
Chickpeas and herbs with tahini sauce.

Garlic Mushrooms £7.90

Mantar
Mushrooms in garlic sauce, topped with cheese.

Sautéed King Prawns £9.90

Karides
White wine, garlic and tomato sauce.

Lentil Soup £7.50

Günün Çorbası
Traditional Turkish lentil soup.

Chicken Wings (4 pieces) £7.90

Tavuk Kanadı
Four char-grilled chicken wings.

Fındık Lahmacun (2 pieces) £9.50

Mini Lahmacun
Two mini lahmacun with seasoned minced meat.

Platters Cold Meze £18.20 • Hot Meze £21.00 (serves two)

FROM THE CHARCOAL

Chicken, köfte & döner

All grills on this page are served with rice and salad.

Guest favourite

Charcoal-grilled chicken shish is a familiar, easy choice for first-time visitors.



CHICKEN BREAST SHISH

Charcoal-Grilled Köfte £18.50

Izgara Köfte
Minced lamb, onion, parsley and herbs; rice and salad.

Lamb Döner Kebab £19.50

Kuzu Döner
Specially prepared lamb from the spit; rice and salad.

Chicken Wings £17.90

Tavuk Kanadı
Char-grilled chicken wings; rice and salad.

Chicken Leg Shish £18.90

Piliç Şiş — But
Marinated chicken leg, pepper and mushroom; rice and salad.

Mixed Chicken & Lamb Shish £23.50

Karışık Şiş
Chicken and lamb shish; rice and salad.

Mixed Döner Kebab £19.00

Chicken & lamb döner
Mixed chicken and lamb döner; rice and salad.

Spicy Antep Köfte £18.50

Antep Köftesi
Minced lamb with hot spices; rice and salad.

Chicken Döner Kebab £18.20

Tavuk Döner
Specially prepared chicken from the spit; rice and salad.

Chicken Breast Shish £20.20

Piliç Şiş — Göğüs
Marinated chicken breast, pepper and mushroom; rice and salad.

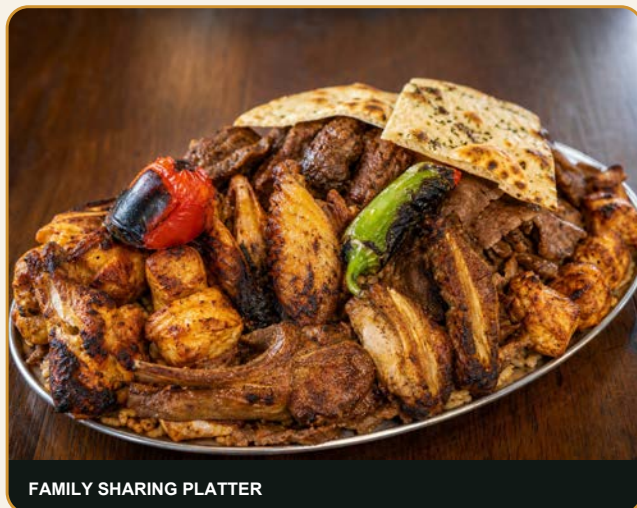
Garlic Chicken Breast £18.70

Sarımsaklı Tavuk Göğüs
Grilled chicken breast marinated in garlic; rice and salad.

Chef's Three-Meat Skewer £20.50

Üçler Filetosu
Lamb cubes, lamb fillet and chicken on a skewer; rice and salad.

Family sharing platters



FAMILY SHARING PLATTER

Family Platter 1 £89.95

SERVES 3-4

6-ITEM COLD MIXED MEZE

1 lamb + 1 chicken shish skewer
Mini Efes Special Köfte + 8 chicken wings
4 ribs + 2 cutlets; lamb & chicken döner
Rice & couscous

Family Platter 2 £105.95

SERVES 5-6

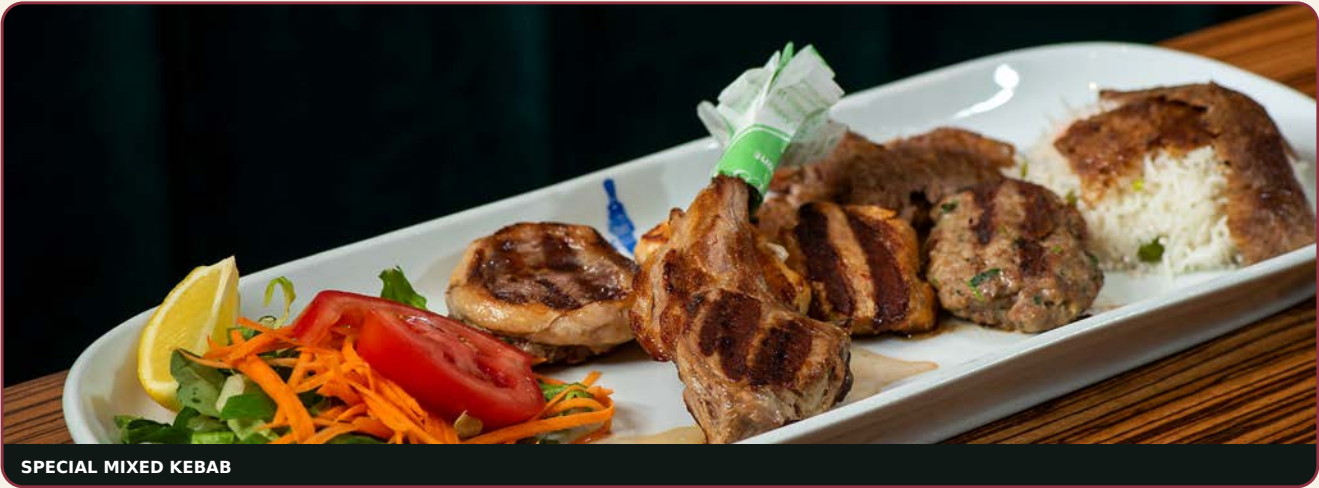
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THE CENTREPIECE

Lamb & mixed grills

Bold charcoal flavours and generous plates for guests looking for the full Efes experience.



Lamb Cutlets Kuzu Pirzola Char-grilled lamb cutlets; rice and salad.	£25.50	Lamb Shish Kebab Kuzu Şiş Char-grilled lamb shish; rice and salad.	£24.00
Lamb Ribs Kaburga Char-grilled lamb ribs; rice and salad.	£21.50	Lamb Efes Lamb Efes Fillet of lamb on a skewer; rice and salad.	£24.50
Lamb Cutlet & Ribs Pirzola Kaburga A combination of lamb cutlet and ribs; rice and salad.	£24.50	Special Mixed Kebab Özel Karışık Kebap A generous mixed selection from the charcoal grill; rice and salad.	£26.00
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HOUSE FAVOURITE

Our signature mixed grill brings together the charcoal flavours Efes is known for.

A TASTE OF TRADITION

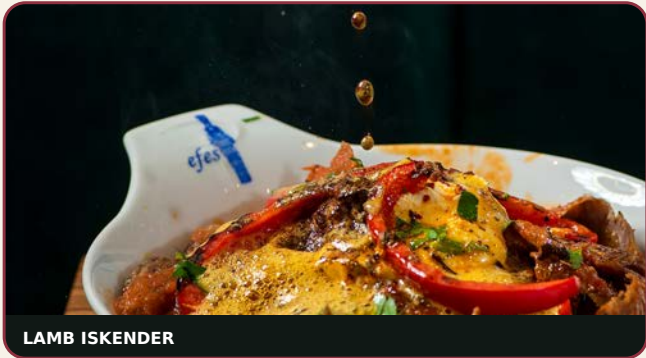
Iskender & house specials

Distinctive Turkish dishes for guests who want to explore beyond the grill.

Featured classic



LAMB MOUSSAKA



LAMB ISKENDER

Yoghurt Kebabs

Lamb Iskender **£21.50**
Kuzu Iskender
Tender lamb döner over bread, finished with tomato sauce and yoghurt.

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Ali Nazik **£24.50**
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Smoked aubergine, garlic and peppers, topped with chopped lamb shish.

Chicken Iskender **£21.50**
Tavuk Iskender
Chicken breast over bread, finished with tomato sauce and yoghurt.

Köfte Sarma **£22.50**
Beyti
Seasoned lamb wrapped in lavash with cheese and special sauce.

House Specials

Served with rice and salad

Lamb Moussaka **£21.50**
Et Musakka
Minced lamb, aubergine, courgette and tomato under cheese sauce.

Chicken Casserole **£21.50**
Traditional chicken casserole
Chicken, mushroom, onion, garlic and peppers in tomato sauce.

Lamb Casserole **£22.50**
Traditional lamb casserole
Lamb, mushroom, onion, garlic and peppers in tomato sauce.

Sautéed King Prawns **£24.50**
Karides Sote
White wine, garlic, lemon butter, parsley and vegetables.

SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

Vegetarian, fish & fresh plates

Clear category grouping helps mixed groups find a suitable choice quickly.



VEGETABLE MOUSSAKA



EFES SALAD

Vegetarian Mains

Served with rice and salad

Vegetable Moussaka

£17.50

Sebze Musakka (V)

Aubergine, potato, courgette, onion and tomato with cheese and béchamel.

Imam Bayildi

£14.00

Imam Bayildi (V)

Aubergine baked with pepper, onion, tomato and garlic.

Falafel Main

£17.20

Falafel (V)

Homemade falafel with hummus.

Sautéed Vegetables

£18.20

Sebze Sote (V)

Mixed vegetables with garlic, ginger and wine, topped with cheese.

Char-Grilled Vegetable Kebab

£18.80

Sebze Kebap (V)

Courgette, aubergine, mushroom, pepper, onion and tomato.

Salads & Sides

Halloumi & Avocado Salad

£15.50

Hellim Avokado (V)

Halloumi, avocado, pomegranate and herb sauce.

Chicken & Avocado Salad

£16.20

Tavuk Avokado

Chicken breast, avocado, pomegranate and dressing.

Efes Salad

£18.00

Efes Salata

Halloumi, chicken breast, avocado and pomegranate.

Fish

Char-Grilled Salmon

£22.50

Izgara Somon

Served with asparagus and sautéed potatoes.

Battered Calamari

£22.50

Kalamar

Homemade sauce, asparagus and sautéed potatoes.

Char-Grilled King Prawns

£24.50

Izgara Karides

Served with asparagus and sautéed potatoes.

Char-Grilled Sea Bass

£24.00

Izgara Levrek

Served with asparagus and sautéed potatoes.

Feta & Avocado Salad

£14.50

Beyaz Peynir Salata (V)

Feta, avocado and pomegranate.

Shepherd's Salad

£7.50

Çoban Salata (V)

Tomato, cucumber, pepper, onion, parsley and lemon.

Spicy Ezme Salad

£8.50

Ezme Salata (V)

Tomato, onion, peppers and chilli.

Chips

£4.80

Rice

£4.00

Bulgur Pilaf

£4.00

Strained Yoghurt

£4.00

Grilled Asparagus

£6.20

Sautéed Potatoes

£4.90

FINISH THE EXPERIENCE

Dessert & Turkish tea

A traditional finish to your meal. Please ask your server for today's dessert and tea selection.



PISTACHIO BAKLAVA & TURKISH TEA

Good to know

ALLERGIES

Please tell a member of staff about any allergies or dietary requirements before ordering. Full allergen information is available on request.

SERVICE

A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to your bill.

KEY

V = vegetarian • S = contains sesame



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ESTABLISHED 1974

Ephesus: the story behind our name

Known as Efes in Turkish, ancient Ephesus was one of the great cities of the Aegean world and once served as the Roman capital of Asia.



THE LIBRARY OF CELSUS, EPHESUS

ANCIENT CITY

The archaeological site is famous for its impressive ruins. The Temple of Artemis was one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World; today only a single standing column remains.

Among the best-preserved monuments are the Gymnasium of Vedius and the Great Theatre, a vast tiered arena carved into Mount Pion and seating approximately 24,000 people. The Marble Road leads past the Theatre to the Library of Celsus.

Nearby stand the Baths of Scholastica, the Temple of Hadrian and the Prytaneum, where the city's sacred flame was kept burning for the people of Ephesus.

FAITH, LEGEND AND ARTEMIS

Ephesus has many early links with Christianity. The legend of the Seven Sleepers tells of seven young Christians and their dog, Kitmir, who hid in a cave to escape persecution and awoke two centuries later.

The Virgin Mary is said to have spent the latter part of her life at Ephesus with St John. Her house is now a shrine and an important place of pilgrimage.

The goddess Artemis predates Christianity. Associated with fertility and abundance, she was known to the Romans as Diana and was represented at Ephesus with many breasts, symbolising fertility.