

RESTAURANT REVIEWS

Shanghai Dream ★★★★★

Shanghainese. Harbourfront Horizon, 8 Hung Luen Rd., Hung Hom, 2269-7888.

Shanghai Dream is just that—a beautiful Chinese restaurant with food to die for. Float into the spacious and elegant dining hall and slide into one of the booths for maximum privacy. And yes, it's well worth the taxi ride out to Hung Hom, especially if you dig the kind of Northern Chinese cuisine that you can only get in Shanghai—no surprise really, as all the chefs hail from there, guaranteeing authenticity. Lunch is unbelievably economical; for just \$98 per person, you get to enjoy a buffet spread of cold dishes (the sweet bamboo shoots, Chinese cucumbers and drunken chicken are must-tries), congee and soup du jour. And then—believe it or not—you get unlimited hot dishes and dim sum from the a la carte menu. But don't go crazy and order too many stodgy xiaolongbao and fried buns—save room for the petit portion stir-fries and sample everything the menu has to offer. For dinner, don't miss their signature white eel Shanghai-style served with rice wine, or the simple yet divine stir-fry of shredded nappa cabbage and pork. Mon-Fri, noon-2:30pm; 6pm-10:30pm. Sat-Sun, 11:30am-11:30pm. \$-\$\$



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Price Guide

\$	Less than \$200
\$\$	\$200-\$399
\$\$\$	\$400-\$599
\$\$\$\$	\$600-\$799
\$\$\$\$\$	\$800 and up

Price per person, including one drink, appetizer, main course and dessert. Prices do not include bottles of wine unless stated.

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Ratings

★	Never Again
★★	Completely forgettable
★★★	Pretty good
★★★★	Excellent
★★★★★	Unbelievable