



LUNCH MENU

SERVED

12:00pm - 21:00pm

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DIETARY REQUIREMENTS:

C Crustacean | D Dairy | E Eggs
F Fish | G Gluten present
N Nuts present | V Vegetarian | VE Vegan

THUDAKAM

Basket of Poppadoms D	£3.95
Served with homemade pickles	
Masala Papadum	£3.50
Served with red onion, tomato, chillies	
Masala Cashew Nuts N	£8.95
Served with onions, coriander, tomatoes and chillies	
Netholi Fish Fry	£9.95
Dahi Puri D G	£5.95
Mini Puri shells stuffed with potato, chickpeas and drizzled with sweet yogurt and chutneys	
Dahi Vada D	£6.95
Lentil doughnut served with sweet yoghurt and chutneys	
Gupchup Shooters G	£6.95
Hollow puri, filled with potato, chickpeas and served with flavoured water	
Samosa Chaat D G	£6.95
Stuffed vegetable and peas, served with chickpeas, sweet yogurt, mint and tamarind chutney	
Thayir Vada D	£5.95
Lentil doughnut served with spiced yoghurt	
Sri Lankan Rolls	
A Lankan street food fave - combined with spices, chilli and potato, rolled in breadcrumbs and fried to perfection MUTTON £8.50 CHICKEN £7.95 VEGETABLE £7.25	

ELAI PAN ASIAN

Chole Bhatura D E G	£8.95
A very popular Indian fried bread served with chickpeas masala	
Kothu Parotta D G	
A shredded flaky multi layered Indian flatbread stir fried with Vegetables/Chicken/Lamb - A popular Tamilnadu street food CHICKEN £9.95 LAMB £11.95 EGG £8.95 VEG £7.95	
Roomali Roti Rolls D E G	
Roomali roti rolls are made with delicate 'handkerchief' bread, baked and filled BEEF £9.95 CHICKEN £8.95 PANEER £8.50	
Malaysian Murtaba	
LAMB £14.95 CHICKEN £12.95	
Chilli Chicken DRY / GRAVY E G	£9.95
Lightly batter fried chicken tossed with homemade chilli sauce, peppers, onion and fresh chillies	
Chicken 65 E G	£9.95
Madras style fried chicken marinated with ginger, garlic and black pepper	
Gobi Manchurian DRY / GRAVY V	£8.95
Batter fried cauliflower cooked with fresh ginger, garlic, chillies, coriander, rich flavour of soy	
Chilli Paneer DRY / GRAVY D V	£9.95
Indian cottage cheese, onion, peppers, spring onion and dark soya sauce tossed in a wok	
Meen Kuzhambu F	£13.95
Fish of the day cubes soured in chilli and puli, tempered with ginger, garlic, mustard seeds and curry leaves and and finished with coconut	
Prawn Thokku Masala C	£10.95
South Indian, prawns cooked in a tongue-tickling chef spices	
Poori Masala	£8.75
Deep fried Indian bread served with potato masala	
Butter Chicken D N	£12.95
Tandoori chicken tikka in a rich tomato sauce flavoured with fenugreek leaves	
Karaikudi Mutton Curry	£14.95
Aromatic roasted spices slow cooked with meat and vegetable	
Kathirikai Puli Kulambu	£9.95
Tangy spicy eggplant curry	
Vegetable Kurma Curry	£9.95
Delicious home-style vegetable curry with roasted coconut, spices and tempered with shallots and curry leaves	
Parippu Kadanjathu V VE	£9.95
Five lentils cooked with tomatoes, onion, garlic tossed with mustard and curry leaves	
Kadala Curry	£9.95
Black chickpeas cooked with onions, tomatoes and chef's blend of spices	

RICE / BREAD

Steamed Basmati Rice	£3.50
Red Rice	£4.50
Zafran Pilav Rice	£3.95
Puttu Steamed ground rice made in cylinder shape with coconut shavings	£3.95
Schezwan Chicken Fried Rice E	£8.95
Schezwan Chicken Noodle E	£8.95
Schezwan Vegetable Fried Rice	£7.95
Schezwan Vegetable Noodle	£7.95
Chapathi x2	£3.95
Appam x2 Hopper made with fermented rice batter	£2.50

SET 2 COURSE MENU

Curry and Rice or Chapathi	£17.50
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ELAI DUM BIRYANI

Our biryani is created in the authentic Dum style for maximum flavour and tenderness enhanced by fragrant spices, accompanied by homemade raita and curry sauce

Chicken Biryani D	£13.95
Lamb Biryani D	£14.95
Prawn Biryani C D	£16.95
Beef Biryani D	£15.95
Vegetable Biryani D	£11.95

BHOJANAM

Elai Special Vegetarian Thaali D G V VE	£10.95
Served with assorted dish like curries, rice, bread and poppadum	
Elai Special Non Vegetarian Thaali	£12.95
Fish, or chicken or lamb, served with assorted curries	
Chatti Choru	£14.95
Famous and traditional keralan meal with choice of vegetarian or non vegetarian served in clay pot	

SOUTHERN FAVOURITES

Any extra sambar £2.50 and chutney £1.00

Idli V VE	£5.95
Steamed rice and lentil dumpling served with Sambar and chutneys	
Vada V VE	£6.95
Golden fried spiced doughnut made with lentils served with chutneys and Sambar	
Sambar Vada V VE	£5.50
Spiced doughnut dipped in lentil soup	
Idli Vada V VE	£5.95
Served with sambar and chutneys	
Dosa V VE	
Dosa is a crispy pancake lentil dish which is immensely popular in South India, made with urid and rice flour, it is usually served with aromatic sambar and chutney	
Plain Dosa	£6.95
Chicken Chukka Dosa N	£10.50
Masala Dosa	£7.95
Paneer Bhurji Dosa D	£9.95
Rava Dosa G	£8.95
Podi Dosa D	£7.50
Egg Dosa E	£7.95
Mysore Masala Dosa	£8.95
Onion Dosa	£7.50
Uttappam V VE	
PLAIN £6.95 VEGETABLE £7.50 ONION £7.50	
Soft savoury crepe made with rice and lentils	

DRINKS

South Indian Coffee D	£3.95
Mango Lassi D	£4.50
Sweet Lassi D	£4.50
Salt Lassi D	£4.50
Butter Milk D	£3.95

