





Plano, Texas is a vibrant and thriving city located just north of Dallas, known for its blend of modern amenities and rich suburban charm. As one of the fastest-growing areas in the state, Plano boasts a strong economy, excellent schools, and a diverse community. The city is home to several major corporate headquarters, including Toyota North America and Frito-Lay, making it a hub for business and innovation. Visitors and residents alike enjoy its expansive parks, upscale shopping centers like The Shops at Legacy, and a dynamic food scene that ranges from Texas barbecue to international cuisine. With its mix of family-friendly neighborhoods and urban sophistication, Plano offers a high quality of life and a welcoming atmosphere.

# **Fast Facts**

**Counties:** Collin

**Population:** 293,286 (2024)

Median Age: 39

Average Household Income: 109K Housing: 56.6% own / 43.4% rent

**Average Home Price: 504K** 

**The City of Plano** 1520 K Avenue 972- 941-7000 plano.gov

## **Municipal Court**

900 E. 15th Street 972-941-2199 plano.gov

# plano.gov/732/Neighborhood-Services

plano.gov/1661/Senior-Resources

Residential Trash & Recycling plano.gov/628/Residential-Services

# **Plano Water Resources**

plano.gov/403/Plano-Water-Resources

## **Voter Registration** collincountytx.gov

**Vehicle Registration** collincountytx.gov

## **Public Libraries** plano.gov/9/Library

# **Davis Library** 7501-B Independence Pkwy 972-208-8000

## **Haggard Library** 2501 Coit Road 972-769-4250

## **Harrington Library** 1501 18th Street 972-941-7175

# 6200 Windhaven Pkwy 972-769-4300

# **Schimelpfenig Library** 5024 Custer Road 972-769-4200



# Attractions in Plano

## ArtCentre of Plano

A "home for the arts" in Plano, the historic and newly renovated Saigling House offers something for everyone. Browse through the art galleries for displays of local artists, as well as national shows.

902 East 16th Street, Plano | 972-423-7809 | artcentreofplano.org

## The Boardwalk at Granite Park

A new 30,000 square foot restaurant park in Granite Park called The Boardwalk. There you can find the following unique restaurants: Chips Old Fashioned Hamburgers, Hookline, Union Bear, The Biscuit Bar, B. Frank & Relish, Edith's French Bistro, and Pearl Cup Coffee. Each restaurant has a patio, and there are beachy deck chairs to enjoy the view of the water feature.

5601 Granite Parkway, Plano | 972-952-5555 | boardwalkgranitepark.com

## Crayola Experience

A colorful, interactive family attraction with 22 hands-on activities like naming your own crayon, creating digital art, and melting crayons into shapes.

The Shops at Willow Bend

6121 W Park Blvd, #A100, Plano | 469-642-2901 | crayolaexperience.com/plano

## The Courses at Watters Creek

Nestled in the heart of Plano, Texas, The Courses at Watters Creek offers a dynamic and inclusive golf experience with a unique 33-hole layout designed to suit players of all skill levels. The facility features three distinct courses: the Traditions Course, an 18-hole championship layout with wide fairways and MiniVerde greens; the Players Course, a quick 9-hole option ideal for casual rounds; and the Future Course, a 6-hole short course perfect for beginners and youth golfers. Surrounded by lush woodlands and scenic water features, the Traditions

7201 Chase Oaks Blvd, Plano | 214-509-4653 | watterscreekgolf.com

## **Courtyard Theatre**

This 321-seat, proscenium-style theater is best known as the home of the Courtyard Texas Music Series, but you can also catch plays, musicals, concerts, and recitals here throughout the year. Various rotating art exhibits are on display in the theatre year-round, as well.

1509 H Avenue | Plano | 972- 941-5600

## **Dark Hour Haunted House**

A year-round haunted attraction with theatrical-quality sets, lighting, and sound. Features seasonal themes and professional actors.

701 Taylor Dr, Plano | 469-298-0556 | darkhourhauntedhouse.com

## **Downtown Plano Arts District**

A historic area with art galleries, boutiques, restaurants, and public art. Hosts events and live music throughout the year.

1013 E 15th St, Plano | 972- 941-7151 | visitdowntownplano.com

## Go Ape Zipline & Adventure Park

Located in Oak Point Park, this treetop adventure includes zip lines, rope ladders, and 39 crossings across five sections.

5901 Los Rios Blvd, Plano | 800-971-8271 | goape.com

## Heritage Farmstead Museum

A living history museum on a 4-acre farm with Victorian buildings, livestock, and educational exhibits about 19th-century farm life.

1900 W 15th St, Plano | 972-881-0140 | heritagefarmstead.org

## Interurban Railway Museum

A free museum in a historic train depot showcasing Plano's electric railway history with interactive exhibits and a restored railcar.

901 E 15th St, Plano | 972-941-2117 | interurbanrailwaymuseum.org

## Legacy Hall & The Box Garden

Legacy Hall, one of the nation's largest and most unique food halls, is dedicated to serving the best-of food trends prepared by premier chefs and local artisans. The three-story, 55,000-square-foot European-style food hall, brewery and live music and entertainment venue is located at Plano's acclaimed Legacy West development 7800 Windrose Ave, Plano | 972- 846-4255 | legacyfoodhall.com

## **PINSTACK**

Plano's premier venue for indoor family activities. From state-of-the-art bowling lanes to its unique LED Rock Climbing Wall, PINSTACK has indoor games for the whole family. The one-of-a-kind indoor family activity venue features a full-service restaurant offering a modern American menu, a full bar and a private dining area. 6205 Dallas Parkway, Plano | 972-781-2695 | pinstackbowl.com

## Plano African American Museum

The museum celebrates the vibrant heritage and contributions of African Americans in the community, and frequently hosts exhibitions and special events. 900 13th St, Plano | 972-423-7226 | planoafricanamericanmuseum.org

Plano boasts a vibrant and diverse dining scene that caters to every palate. From upscale experiences, to the rustic charm, Southern-inspired dishes are served on a multi-level patio with fire pits and live music, there's something for everyone. Whether you're craving Mexican, Asian, or classic American cuisine, Plano's restaurant scene is rich with flavor and hospitality. Here is just a small sampling of the many food experiences available in Plano.



Bavarian Grill
Serving authentic Bavarian Food, Bier, Wein, Schnapps & Fun since 1993. 3425 Premier Dr, Plano | bavariangrill.com

Bavette Grill
Experience the perfect blend of upscale cuisine and casual ambiance.
8100 Dallas Pkwy Suite 115, Plano | bavettegrill.com

The Biscuit Bar Counter service spot featuring a vast array of all-day biscuit sandwiches, plus a full bar and patio.

5880 State Hwy 121 #102b, Plano | thebiscuit.bar

The Bloom Lounge Breakfast, brunch and dinner spot with a chic decor, serving waffles, omelettes and pancakes, plus steaks, salads, salmon and pizza. 6145 Windhaven Pkwy, Plano | thebloomloungebistro.com

The Boardwalk Restaurants
Stylish development featuring casual eateries & bars with outdoor seating on a waterside boardwalk.

5880 State Hwy 121, Plano | boardwalkgranitepark.com

Brasão Brazilian Steakhouse Brazilian steakhouse offering all-you can eat meats and a salad bar in an upscale setting with a bar.

5741 Legacy Dr #100, Plano | brasaousa.com

Casual bar serving burgers, tacos, and other comfort eats plus sports on

1032 E 15th St, Plano | cocobeachplano.com

Darna Mediterranean Eatery Casual, Moroccan eatery boasting a menu of Mediterranean classics. 7700 Windrose Ave., Plano | darnaeatery.com

DeEva Kitchen & Bar Laid-back eatery that specializes in authentic Italian eats and pizza, plus cocktails and an extensive wine list.

6505 W Park Blvd #320, Plano | deevakitchenandbar.com

The District at Willow Bend
A premeir destination for a variety of delicious and unique restaurants. 2405 Dallas Pkwy, Plano | dineatthedistrict.com

## The Dream Taco

Chic eatery crafting tacos featuring global flavors beyond the usual, plus cocktails.

8245 Preston Rd #400, Plano | thedreamtacos.com

## E. B. Latin Bistro

Latin American fare served in a vibrant, art-lined room with cocktails, draft beer & sidewalk seats.

6505 W Park Blvd suite #136, Plano | eblatinbistro.com

Edmond's Burgers & More
Burgers, cheeseburgers, fries and thick-cut tomato slices served in a humble eatery with a relaxed vibe.

2919 W 15th St, Plano | edmondsburgers.com

A European live fire cocktail bar and bistro. Rooted in the culinary traditions of Portugal, Spain, France, and Italy, Flamant brings bold, seasonal flavors to life over open flame.

5880 State Hwy 121 #103-b, Plano | 469-422-6784

Car-themed burger joint serving Black Angus patties, fish, and salads, plus craft beer and cocktails.

3904 Dallas Pkwy, Plano | fordsgarageusa.com

The Holy Grail Pub Laid-back pub offering over 150 beers, including craft brews, plus burgers & other bar bites.

8240 Preston Rd #150, Plano | holygrailpub.com

Jorgs Cafe Vienna A hidden gem that brings authentic Austrian cuisine to the local dining

1037 E 15th St, Plano | jorgscafevienna.com

**L&L Hawaiian Barbeque** Island-themed fast-food chain whose menu features traditional Hawaiian plate lunches.

8404 Preston Rd #200, Plano | Inlhawaiianbbqplano.com

From slices to steaks, healthy to hearty, dig into something for everyone.
5908 Headquarters Dr, Plano | legacywest.com/dine

Maple Bacon Restaurant
Unfussy option whipping up local & Canadian comfort food classics,
sweet treats & breakfast staples. 6009 W Parker Rd, Plano | maplebacon.toast.site

Mahjong Chinese Kitchen A contemporary Chinese restaurant focusing on Chinese classics but with a refined touch.

4025 Preston Rd #604, Plano | mahjongkitchen.com

Mexican Sugar Cocina
Stylish, hacienda-style location featuring upscale Mexican plates & a variety of tequila cocktails.

7501 Lone Star Drive, Plano | mexicansugarcocina.com

Miami Vibes Dining
Day-to-night venue serving Southern fare and cocktails in an upscale space with a Miami vibe.

6505 W Park Blvd #150, Plano | miamivibesdining.com

Meso Maya Comida y Copas Contemporary Mexican eatery serving Oaxaca- & Puebla-inspired recipes

4800 W Park Blvd, Plano | mesomaya.com

Mo' Bettahs Hawaiian Style Food Laid-back chain restaurant serving Hawaiian dishes such as chicken katsu, Spam musubi and tempura shrimp.

1801 Preston Rd B, Plano | mobettahs.com

## **Original Cho**

A neighborhood eatery crafting food from whole ingredients. 5717 Legacy Dr. #185, Plano | original chopshop.com

Savory, sweet & seasonal soufflés are a specialty of this cozy, full-service French cafe with wines.

2444 Preston Rd Ste 100, Plano | risesouffle.com

Seager & Sons
Spacious eatery with a patio & bar, serving crispy pizza and fried chicken. 5864 State Hwy 121, Plano | seagerandsons.com

Shops of Legacy Restaurants
Dine at over 20 delicious restaurants and eateries! 5741 Legacy Drive, Plano | shopsatlegacyeast.com

Casual New American kitchen & wine bar offering bites & wines on tap in spacious, modern surrounds.

3701 Dallas Pkwy, Plano | sixtyvines.com

Multilevel wood-fired pizzeria in a historic building with a buzzy rooftop

1006 E 15th St, Plano | urbancrust.com

Whiskey Cake Kitchen & Bar
Contemporary industrial-style venue for New American plates, along with a whiskey cocktail menu.

3601 Dallas Pkwy, Plano | whiskeycake.com





## Historic Downtown Plano

Historic Downtown Plano offers a charming and walkable shopping experience, where locally owned boutiques, artisan shops, and specialty stores line the streets of this beautifully preserved district. With its blend of old-town charm and modern flair, Downtown Plano is a delightful destination.

Downtown Plano is located just east of US-75 on 15th St. | visitdowntownplano.com

## Allen Premium Outlets

Allen Premium Outlets, located just a short drive north of Plano, is a popular shopping destination offering a wide array of brand-name and designer stores at discounted prices. Conveniently situated off U.S. Highway 75, this open-air outlet center attracts shoppers a mix of fashion, accessories, and home goods.

820 W Stacy Rd, Allen | premiumoutlets.com/outlet/allen

## Lakeside Market

An upscale, open-air shopping center, Lakeside Market features well-known names like Sur La Table and GNC alongside locally owned establishments like Weir's Furniture Village. 5801 Preston Rd, Plano | 469-232-3400

## **Legacy West**

A 255-acre open-air development with luxury shopping, upscale dining, and entertainment. Home to brands like Gucci, Louis Vuitton, and Tesla.

5908 Headquarters Dr, Plano | 469-609-1500 | legacywest.com

### **Lonestar Mercantile**

Lone Star Mercantile is a family owned and operated business. We offer a wide selection of quality products from over 250 local vendors. At Lone Star Mercantile it's more than shopping, it's an experience!

2031 W McDermott Dr #295, Allen | Ismercantile.com

## Plano Antique Mall

A range of Antiques, Vintage, Shabby Chic & Modern. With 200+ Vendors & more for you to shop at your pleasure. Walk down memory lane with unique treasure finds.

6505 W Park Blvd, Plano | planoantiquemall.com

## Preston Park Village

Calm shopping center featuring upmarket fashion chains, beauty services & casual local restaurants.

1900 Preston Rd, Plano | (610) 215-7939

## **Preston Village Shopping Center**

Outdoor shopping complex with varied stores & restaurants, surrounded by multiple parking lots.

8600 Preston Rd #108, Plano | (214) 252-1154 | prestonvillageshoppingcenter.com

## Preston Towne Crossina

Full-size mall with apparel & electronics retailers, plus groceries, fast food, salons & services.

4801 W Park Blvd, Plano

The Shops at Legacy East
The Shops at Legacy East is a lively and sophisticated destination in the heart of Plano, offering an exceptional mix of upscale retail, eclectic dining, and vibrant entertainment. This dynamic district showcases a thoughtfully curated lineup of boutiques, well-known national brands, and restaurants that cater to every palate. With its energetic ambiance and frequent community events, The Shops at Legacy East delivers a memorable experience for both residents and visitors-making it a premier spot for shopping and dining.

5741 Legacy Dr, Plano | (469) 467-9995 | shopsatlegacyeast.com

## The Shops at Legacy North

A business-lunch locale during the day and a hopping nightlife scene at night, The Shops at Legacy is loaded with great spots to eat, drink, meet, and people-watch and is anchored by the Dallas/Plano Marriott at Legacy Town Center.

7300 Lone Star Drive, Plano | 214-473-8880 | shopsatlegacynorth.com

## The Shops at Willow Bend

Sometimes referred to as Willow Bend Mall, is a shopping mall located in Plano, Texas, with 61 stores and three anchor stores. The mall features the traditional retailers Dillard's, Neiman Marcus, and Crate & Barrel, in addition to the Crayola Experience and Equinox.

6121 W Park Blvd, Plano | (972) 202-4900 | shopwillowbend.com

## West Plano Village

You'll find a high-density live-work-play urban setting right in the heart of suburban Plano. The line-up of specialty restaurants includes concepts you won't find anywhere else outside of Dallas' hippest areas. West Plano Village's contemporary, walkable setting creates its urban vibe by combining retail, office, and residential space punctuated with plazas and colorful fountains.

3300 Dallas Pkwy, Plano | (214) 954-0600 | wplanovillage.com



# Parks & Rec

# **PLANO PARKS & RECRATION**

5901 Los Rios Blvd, Plano 972-941-7250 plano.gov/749/Parks-and-Recreation

Plano, Texas is a haven for outdoor enthusiasts, boasting more than 80 parks and over 100 miles of scenic trails. Among its standout green spaces is Arbor Hills Nature Preserve, a 200-acre gem offering paved and natural trails, a mountain bike loop, and an observation tower with sweeping city views. For a more expansive experience, Oak Point Park & Nature Preserve spans 800 acres and features kayaking, zip-lining, and access to the popular Bob Woodruff Park, which is ideal for fishing, playground fun, and family picnics. The Bluebonnet Trail and Legacy Trail weave through neighborhoods, connecting parks and showcasing seasonal wildflowers and creekside views. With a commitment to accessibility—over 80% of residents live within a 10-minute walk of a park—Plano continues to rank among the top cities nationwide for its investment in public green spaces.





Plano's recreation centers are vibrant community hubs offering a wide range of amenities and programs for residents of all ages. Popular facilities like Oak Point Recreation Center, Carpenter Park Recreation Center, and the Sam Johnson Recreation Center for Adults 50+ feature indoor tracks, fitness areas, swimming pools, racquetball courts, and spaces for group classes and social gatherings. These centers host seasonal camps, sports leagues, wellness programs, and adaptive recreation, ensuring inclusive access to healthy and active lifestyles. Whether you're looking to swim laps, join a dance class, or simply connect with neighbors, Plano's recreation centers provide a welcoming space to stay fit, have fun, and build community.

## **Parks**

## Arbor Hills Nature Preserve

A 200-acre preserve with scenic trails, wildflower meadows, and wooded areas. Ideal for hiking, biking, birdwatching, and photography. 6701 W Parker Rd, Plano | 972-941-7250 plano.gov/1397/Arbor-Hills-Nature-Preserve

## **Bob Woodruff Park**

A serene park with a lake, trails, playgrounds, and picnic areas. Great for family outings, fishing, and nature walks.

2601 San Gabriel Dr, Plano | 972-941-7250 plano.gov/1411/Bob-Woodruff-Park-North

## Covote Creek Park

A peaceful park with trails, picnic areas, and a creek. Ideal for quiet walks and nature appreciation.

5801 Communications Pkwy, Plano | 972-941-7250 plano.gov/1457/Coyote-Creek-Park

## Haggard Park

Located in Downtown Plano, this charming park features a pond, playground, sculptures, and shaded picnic areas.

901 E 15th St, Plano | 972-941-7275 | plano.gov/1518/Haggard-Park

## Jack Carter Park

A spacious park with a splash pad, trails, pond, and inclusive playground. Great for families and outdoor fun.

2800 Maumelle Dr, Plano | 972-941-7250 plano.gov/1458/Jack-Carter-Park

## Oak Point Park and Nature Preserve

Plano's largest park at over 800 acres, featuring trails, wetlands, kayak rentals, and a nature preserve.

5901 Los Rios Blvd, Plano | 972-941-7250 plano.gov/1476/Oak-Point-Park-Nature-Preserve

## Russell Creek Park

A large park with sports fields, trails, a pond, and picnic areas. Popular for soccer, baseball, and family gatherings.

3500 McDermott Rd, Plano | 972-941-7250 plano.gov/1489/Russell-Creek-Park

## Windhaven Meadows Park

A family-friendly park with an all-abilities playground, splash pad, walking trails,

5400 Windhaven Pkwy, Plano | 972-210-2936 plano.gov/1514/Windhaven-Meadows-Park

## Recreation Centers & Pools

## Carpenter Recreation Center

A vibrant, family-friendly facility, offering a wide range of recreational and fitness amenities for all ages. Located next to the expansive Carpenter Park, the center includes a full-size gymnasium with basketball and volleyball courts, a well-equipped fitness center, and an indoor walking/jogging track on the second floor. Visitors can also enjoy a multi-use indoor pool featuring a lazy river, water slide, and lap lanes, as well as racquetball and squash courts. The game room offers ping pong, foosball, and billiards, while multipurpose rooms host a variety of classes, events, and community programs. The center also provides youth and adult programs, and summer camps.

6701 Coit Road, Plano 972-208-8087

## **Douglass Community Center**

The Boys and Girls Clubs of Collin County provides programs for children ages 8 to 16 at the Douglass Community Center during the school year and summer. 1111 H Ave, Plano | 972-424-6301 |

plano.gov/1455/Douglass-Community-Center

## **Jack Carter Pool**

A premier aquatic destination in Plano, Texas, perfect for families and fitness enthusiasts alike. This expansive facility features a variety of amenities, including a large swimming pool, children's splash area, and ample lounging space; making it an ideal spot for relaxation and recreation. Open seasonally.

2601 Pleasant Valley Drive, Plano | 972-208-8081 plano.gov/1456/Jack-Carter-Pool

## Liberty Recreation Center

Offering a wide range of fitness and recreational activities for all ages, featuring a well-equipped gym, indoor basketball courts, group fitness classes, and a swimming pool. The center is a community hub for families and individuals looking to stay active, offering programs like youth sports, senior activities, and open gym sessions.

2601 Glencliff Drive, Plano | 972-769-4234 plano.gov/1460/Liberty-Recreation-Center

## Oak Point Recreation Center

Offering a variety of fitness and recreational amenities, including an expansive indoor pool, gym, fitness classes, and an indoor walking track. 6000 Jupiter Road, Plano | 972-941-7540 plano.gov/1465/Oak-Point-Recreation-Center

## Plano Aquatic Center

The Plano Aquatic Center is a family-friendly indoor facility offering year-round swimming and aquatic programs.

2301 Wildcat Way, Plano | 972-769-4232 plano.gov/1433/Plano-Aquatic-Center

## Sam Johnson Recreation Center for Adults 50+

A welcoming and active space dedicated to the well-being of older adults. Offering a variety of fitness classes, social activities, educational programs, and recreational opportunities, the center encourages community engagement and healthy living. 401 W 16th Street, Plano | 972-941-7155

plano.gov/1477/Sam-Johnson-Recreation-Center-for-Adults

## Tom Muehlenbeck Recreation Center

A state-of-the-art facility offering a wide range of amenities, including indoor and outdoor pools, fitness areas, sports courts, and group exercise classes. 5801 W Parker Road, Plano | 972-769-4404 plano.gov/1478/Tom-Muehlenbeck-Recreation-Center

