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Suggested bar plans for 1, 2 or 3 nights: a 3-Night Athens Bar Itinerary

From our guide **Top 10 Best Bars in Athens**. Print it or save it to your phone.



Night 1: Plaka, Syntagma and Monastiraki

Begin with a tasting flight at Brettos in Plaka, then walk to The Clumsies for a first cocktail. Finish at The Bar in Front of the Bar, which is a short walk away. All three are in the centre, so no transport is needed.

Night 2: Rooftops and rum

Watch the sunset at Couleur Locale or A for Athens, then move to 360 Cocktail Bar if you want a second view. End at Baba au Rum for a rum nightcap, a short walk towards Psyrri. This is the best night for photographs.

Night 3: Petralona and Monastiraki

Take a taxi to Petralona for dinner at a local taverna, then drink at Line, with a later stop at Upupa Epops if there is time. If you prefer something livelier, finish at Six d.o.g.s in Monastiraki for music and the garden.

The 10 places at a glance

1. Line

How to get there: Take a taxi from the centre, or walk from Petralona metro station, about 10 to 15 minutes.
How long to spend: 1.5 to 2 hours.
Best time to go: Early evening on a weeknight, for the best chance of a seat.
Tip: Check the official site for the current booking policy before you go.
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2. The Bar in Front of the Bar

How to get there: Walk from Syntagma metro station, about 5 minutes, along Mitropoleos Street towards Petraki Street.
How long to spend: About 1.5 hours.
Best time to go: Early evening, before the crowd arrives.
Tip: Ask whether the speakeasy at the back is taking guests, and check booking rules on the official page.
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3. Baba au Rum

How to get there: Walk from Monastiraki metro station, about 5 to 10 minutes, into the streets towards Psyrri.
How long to spend: 1.5 to 2 hours.
Best time to go: Early evening, for a quieter table.
Tip: Tell the bartender what flavours you like and let them choose a rum for you.
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4. The Clumsies

How to get there: Walk from Panepistimio or Monastiraki metro station, about 10 minutes.
How long to spend: 1 to 1.5 hours.
Best time to go: Early evening, or a weekday afternoon for a calmer visit.
Tip: Check the official page for reservations, and ask for the bartender's recommendation.
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5. Couleur Locale

How to get there: Walk from Monastiraki metro station, about 3 minutes, to Normanou Street and look for the arcade entrance.
How long to spend: 1 to 1.5 hours.
Best time to go: Late afternoon, for sunset.
Tip: Arrive early for a table with a view, and check the weekend music schedule.
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6. A for Athens

How to get there: Walk from Monastiraki metro station, about 2 minutes, to Miaouli Street.
How long to spend: About 1 hour.
Best time to go: Sunset, in clear weather.
Tip: Book ahead if possible, and check the current opening hours before you go.
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7. 360 Cocktail Bar

How to get there: Walk from Monastiraki metro station, about 1 minute, to Ifestou Street.
How long to spend: 1 to 1.5 hours.
Best time to go: Late afternoon or sunset.
Tip: Check the official site for opening hours and booking, and bring a layer for the terrace.
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8. Six d.o.g.s

How to get there: Walk from Monastiraki metro station, about 5 minutes, to Avramiotou Street.
How long to spend: 1.5 to 2 hours.
Best time to go: Early evening for the garden, or later for events.
Tip: Check the event programme before you go, and bring cash in case of card issues.
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9. Brettos

How to get there: Walk from Monastiraki or Syntagma metro station, about 10 minutes, into Plaka and along Kydathineon Street.
How long to spend: About 1 hour.
Best time to go: Early evening, before dinner.
Tip: Order a tasting flight and ask the staff to explain each spirit.
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10. Upupa Epops

How to get there: Take a taxi from the centre, or walk from Petralona metro station, about 10 to 15 minutes.
How long to spend: 1 to 1.5 hours.
Best time to go: Early evening, in good weather for the courtyard.
Tip: Pair it with dinner in Petralona, and check opening days before you go.
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Getting around Athens at night

Most of the bars in this guide are within a short walk of Monastiraki or Syntagma metro station. Check the official metro operator's current timetables, including late-night services on weekends, before you plan a night out. Taxis are the easiest way to reach Petralona, and it is wise to use official taxis or a reputable app late at night. Walk in groups after dark, and keep to well-lit streets in the old centre.

Opening times, prices and transport change often, so check with each venue or operator before you go. For the full guide, photos and FAQs, see https://toptravelinsider.com/top-10-best-bars-in-athens/.