



Trabzon is an important hub of both cultural and local cheese varieties, and baked on wood fire, along with the regional breakfast delicacy named Kuyruk, of course, a glass of Turkish tea!

The city is home to some iconic landmarks that are a must-see. Nestled on a steep cliff at an altitude of 1200 meters above the sea, the historical Sümele Monastery is significant for its beautiful frescoes depicting the story of Jesus and the Virgin Mary. Spectacular examples of civil architecture, and a fantastic landscape. Trabzon offers some of the locals elevated the most authentic breakfast experiences in the region, accompanied by tasty Turkish tea. The famous Vakkıbeir bread, with its thick outer crust, and soft inner part is originated in this city. Sample a slice of this delicious bread

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To brew the best cup of Turkish tea, all you need is:

- Turkish teapot (çaydanlık)
- Slim waist tea glasses
- Black tea leaves (1 tbs per person)
- Water
- Table sugar (optional)

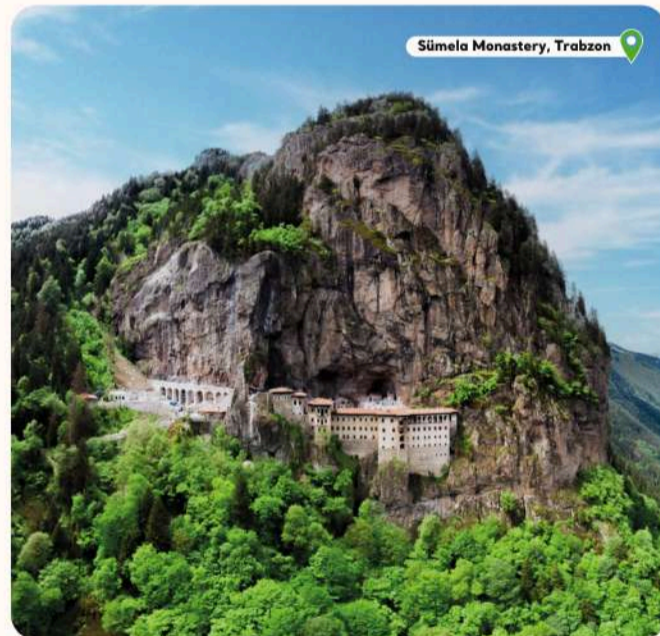
Step-by-step Turkish tea making:

- Boil water on the bottom part of teapot.
- Add loose tea leaves to the top part of teapot. Add some boiled and slightly cooled water.
- Let the tea steep for 15-20 minutes before serving with sugar if preferred.

What is the best time for a glass of Turkish tea?

Simple answer: Anytime!

- At breakfast
- After lunch and dinner
- Tea breaks during the day
- Accompanying desserts



**Artvin**

Artvin is a symphony of colours! This authentic, culturally-rich and diverse city has many historical monuments, including monasteries, churches, castles, mosques, bridges and mansions. With an awe-inspiring climate, flora and fauna, valleys, canyons, and lakes, Artvin offers countless alternatives for nature aficionados.

Hiking, skiing, snowboarding in the Kaçkar and Karçal mountains, trekking in Kafkasör highland and Hatila Valley National Park, camping by the Cehennem Deresi (Hell's Creek) Canyon and rafting at Çoruh River are some of the most adventure-filled experiences to have in Artvin. After all these exhilarating escapades, it is always a great idea to top off the day with a glass of Turkish black tea to revitalize you.

**Did you know?**

- In Rize there is a tea glass shaped 30-meter tall, 7-storey building that includes a culture complex surrounded by local shops where you can buy tea, tea products, tea glasses and equipment, as well as handmade copper items, regional delicacies, Rize cloth, and more.
- Türkiye is the number one country in tea consumption, with 3.16 kilos per person yearly.
- Drinking Turkish tea with a slice of lemon helps with digestion and immunity.

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- Trabzon



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