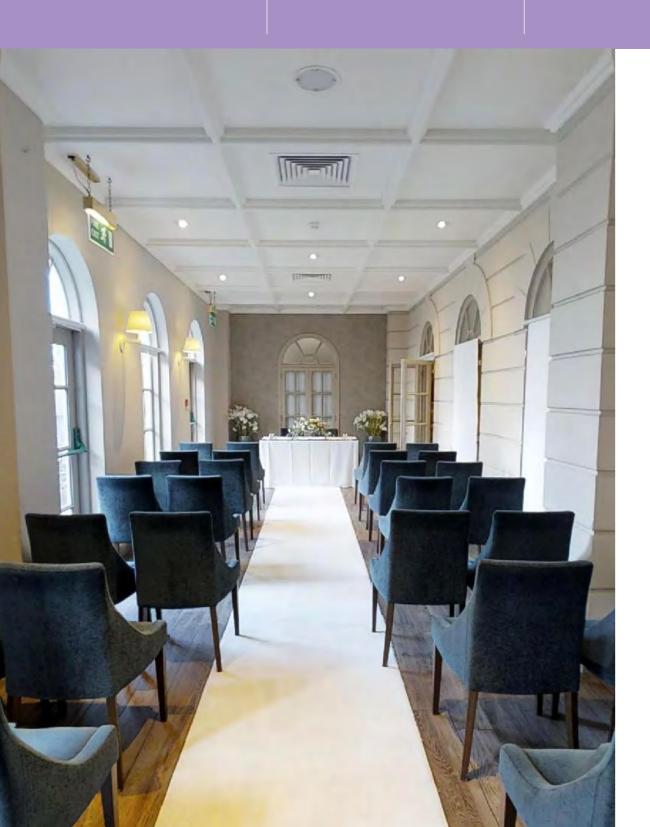




# Congratulations From Us All At Mercure Exeter Southgate Hotel

Now you're planning your big day, Mercure Exeter Southgate Hotel is the perfect setting for your wedding. The enchanting city of Exeter, surrounded by the historic Exeter Wall, blossom trees and a stone's throw from the Catehdral provides a unique backdrop to make your photographs stunning and day unforgettable.

As you enter our historic hotel you will be greeted by a warm welcome and confidence that every detail will be catered for. We know that choosing the right venue is one of the biggest decisions for your wedding, so allow our experienced team to help you plan every detail perfectly. We're proud to host all types of weddings from marriages to civil partnerships to the renewal of vows. Whether you're planning an intimate reception for your closest family and friends, or a lavish multi-day celebration with 150 guests, we're here to ensure you get hitched without a hitch.



# Venue & Ceremony

Located in the heart of Exeter, with our outstanding comfort, excellent facilities and contemporary decor, the Mercure Exeter Southgate Hotel offers the perfect backdrop for weddings all year round.

We have three delightful rooms for you to choose from.

The exceptional Seymour Suite, which can be adapted to suit a smaller wedding party, this room has its own private bar and private outside terrace which overlooks the Exeter City Wall, making it a perfect backdrop.

Lounge Terrace and Seymour Suite One are perfect for smaller more intimate weddings and private dining.

### Registrar

You will need to contact the Registry Office to book your date.

Please note: you will need to pay the Registrar's fees directly as we are unable to arrange this on your behalf.

### Registrar's Office

0345 1551002

### Seymour Suite

Licensed for 100 to 150 people for ceremonies. Licensed to 50 to 120 people for banquets.

### Seymour Suite One

Licensed for 80 to 90 people for ceremonies. Licensed for 50 to 70 people for banquets.

### **Seymour Suite Two**

Licensed for 10 to 40 people for ceremonies. Licensed for 20 to 30 people for banquets.



# Wedding Celebrations

'Laughter is brightest where food is best' - IRISH PROVERB

### The Wedding Breakfast

We are here to make your first meal as a married couple special. Our chefs are passionate about serving the finest, freshest food. We can suggest seasonal menus as a starting point, and go from there to design three courses that will delight your guests – including catering for any dietary requirements, such as vegetarian, vegan and gluten free. Whether you begin with a drinks reception and canapés or start the celebrations with your wedding breakfast, we have three rooms available.

### Evening Celebrations

The Seymour Suite provides the perfect backdrop for your evening celebrations.

Depending on your plans, you can either relax and enjoy the remainder of your day in our Seymour Suite or we can organise a DJ, and provide a dance floor. You can also keep your guests fed throughout the evening with a finger food buffet. Your Wedding Planner will be on hand to advise, coordinate and prepare even the smallest of details for you, making sure your day goes exactly as you want it to.

### Seymour Suite

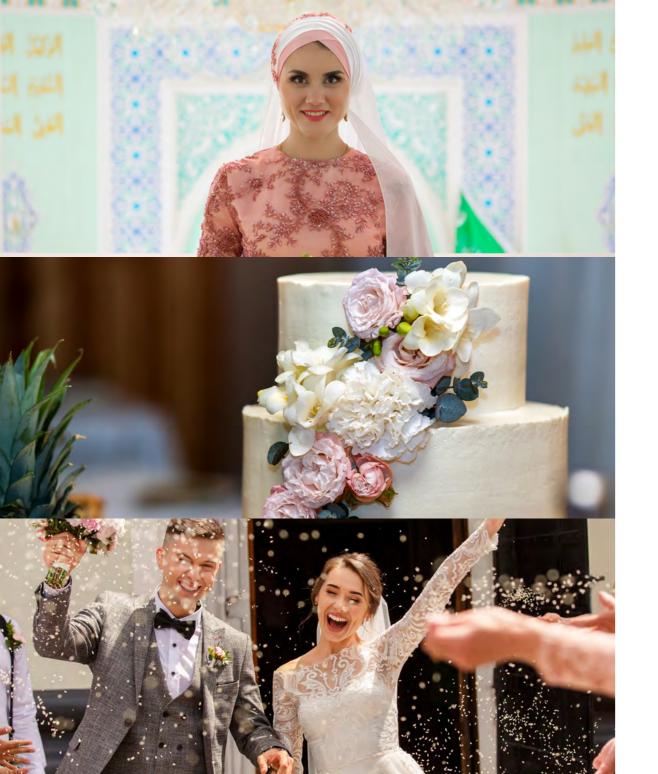
Licensed for 50 to 120 people for banquets.

### Seymour Suite One

Licensed for 50 to 70 people for banquets.

### **Lounge Terrace**

Licensed for 20 to 30 people for banquets.



# Your Perfect Day

To ensure your dreams become a reality, our venue and team is dedicated to making your special day as perfect and individual as you are.

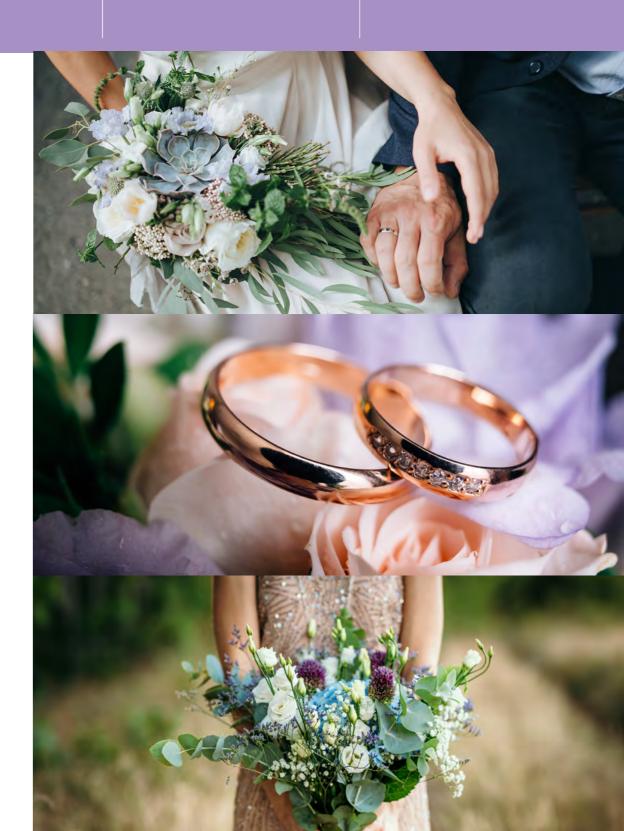
There are endless possibilities when choosing our venue for your special day. We will help you plan your perfect, bespoke wedding down to even the finest of details. We will help you organise your wedding day with the minimum of fuss and maximum enjoyment, to ensure your wedding is just how you imagined it, from your wedding breakfast to your evening reception.

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Thank you for making our wedding day so seamless and beautiful. Everything was perfect and the service we received was second to none.

We are so pleased that we chose to hold our reception at your hotel and we will definitely recommend to our friends.

Dawn & John



# Your Perfect Day





# Wedding Packages

From a red-carpet arrival to Champagne for toasting and even a knife for cutting your cake, our packages are designed to help make your special day memorable.

Tailor-made packages with attention to every detail, where you and your guests can enjoy a menu of seasonal, locally inspired flavours. Our Wedding Planner will get to know you, and understand what matters most to you on your wedding day. You can relax knowing every item on your to-do list is taken care of.

Sample Packages

# Sample Menu

#### STARTERS

**Duck & Green Peppercorn Terrine,**Charcoal Sliced Brioche And Red Onion Marmalade

Roasted Red Pepper And Tomato Soup (V)

#### MAINS

### Pan Fried Chicken Breast Stuffed With Sun Blushed Tomato & Mozzarella.

Thyme And Sea Salt Roasted New Potatoes, Fine Green Beans And Chantenay Carrots (Gf)

#### Herb Crusted Cod,

Crushed Potato, Baby Charred Leeks And Lemon And Caper Sauce

**Cumin Butternut Squash & Lentil Wellington,**Mixed Leaf Salad And Baby Potatoes (Vegan)

#### DESSERT

### Mixed Berry Pavlova,

Fresh Cream And Mango Coulis

White Chocolate & Raspberry Cheesecake
And Fruit Compote

# Why Wait Package

- Room hire for wedding breakfast and evening reception
- Ceremony room hire
- Set 2 course wedding breakfast including tea & coffee
- Arrival drink
- Small glass of house wine per person
- Sparkling wine for the toast
- 6 item evening finger buffet
- Chair cover with coloured sash
- Use of cake stand and knife
- Cream or red carpet

- Dedicated Wedding Co-ordinator
- Dedicated Banqueting Manager during the day
- Use of PA system and microphone
- Use of dance floor
- A night in one of the hotels Privilege rooms night of the wedding
- Preferential rates for accommodation for your family and friends

	2023	2024	2025*
Sunday to Thursday	£100.00 per person	£115.00 per person	£130.00 per person

Package based on a minimum of 50 day guests and 50 evening guests

Excludes Saturdays from May – September

Additional evening guests charged at £22 per person. Includes evening buffet

Children 0-5 complimentary and 6-12 charged at £50 per person

Package inclusions are set and cannot be altered. All prices include VAT at the prevailing rate and are subject to change

To host your ceremony here is subject to room hire charges dependent on Civil Ceremony room chosen

\*2025 pricing as a guide only and subject to quote from August 2023

# Sample Menu

#### STARTERS

**Duck & Green Peppercorn Terrine,**Charcoal Sliced Brioche And Red Onion Marmalade

Roasted Red Pepper And Tomato Soup (V)

#### MAINS

### Pan Fried Chicken Breast Stuffed With Sun Blushed Tomato & Mozzarella,

Thyme And Sea Salt Roasted New Potatoes, Fine Green Beans And Chantenay Carrots (Gf)

#### Herb Crusted Cod,

Crushed Potato, Baby Charred Leeks And Lemon And Caper Sauce

**Cumin Butternut Squash & Lentil Wellington,**Mixed Leaf Salad And Baby Potatoes (Vegan)

#### DESSERT

Mixed Berry Pavlova,

Fresh Cream And Mango Coulis

White Chocolate & Raspberry Cheesecake
And Fruit Compote

# The City Package

- Room hire for wedding breakfast and evening reception
- Ceremony room hire
- 4 choices of canapés
- 3 course set wedding breakfast with tea & coffee
- Arrival drink of Prosecco
- **▼** 1/2 bottle of wine per person
- Prosecco for the toast
- 6 item finger buffet or BBQ
- Chivari chairs for ceremony
- Chair cover with sash for wedding breakfast
- Use of cake stand and knife

- Cream or red carpet
- Dedicated Wedding Co-ordinator
- Dedicated Banqueting Manager during the day
- Use of PA system and microphone
- DJ and dance floor
- ▼ Menu tasting for 2 people
- A night on one of the hotels suites on your wedding night
- Preferential rates for accommodation for your family and friends

2023	2024	2025*
£140.00 per person	£155.00 per person	£175.00 per person

Package based on a minimum of 50 day guests and 50 evening guests

Excludes Saturdays from May – September

Additional evening guests charged at £22 per person. Includes evening buffet

Children 0-5 complimentary and 6-12 charged at £50 per person

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# Sample Menu

#### STARTERS

**Duck & Green Peppercorn Terrine,**Charcoal Sliced Brioche And Red Onion Marmalade

**Roasted Red Pepper And Tomato Soup** (V)

#### MAINS

### Pan Fried Chicken Breast Stuffed With Sun Blushed Tomato & Mozzarella,

Thyme And Sea Salt Roasted New Potatoes, Fine Green Beans And Chantenay Carrots (Gf)

#### Herb Crusted Cod,

Crushed Potato, Baby Charred Leeks And Lemon And Caper Sauce

Cumin Butternut Squash & Lentil Wellington,

Mixed Leaf Salad And Baby Potatoes (Vegan)

#### DESSERT

#### Mixed Berry Pavlova,

Fresh Cream And Mango Coulis

White Chocolate & Raspberry Cheesecake
And Fruit Compote

# The Cathedral Package

- Room hire for wedding breakfast and evening reception
- Ceremony room hire
- 4 choices of canapés
- 4 course set wedding breakfast with tea & coffee
- ◆ 2 Arrival drinks of Prosecco
- **♥** 1/2 bottle of wine per person
- Prosecco for the toast
- 6 item finger buffet or BBQ
- Chivari chairs for ceremony
- Chair cover with sash for wedding breakfast
- ◆ Use of cake stand and knife
- Cream or red carpet
- ♥ Dedicated Wedding Co-ordinator

- Dedicated Banqueting Manager during the day
- **♥** Use of PA system and microphone
- DJ & dance floor
- Menu tasting for 2 people
- Two nights in one of the hotels suites for your wedding
- ♥ Preferential rates for accommodation for your family and friends
- **♥** Lit backdrop
- Pre-Wedding dinner for 6 people

2023	2024	2025*
£180.00 per person	£200.00 per person	£230.00 per person

Package based on a minimum of 50 day guests and 50 evening guests

Excludes Saturdays from May – September

Additional evening guests charged at £22 per person. Includes evening buffet

Children 0-5 complimentary and 6-12 charged at £50 per person

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### Bedroom & Suites

For your first night as a married couple, your package includes a complimentary overnight stay including breakfast the following day. Start your new life together in style.

We are also pleased to offer preferential accommodation rates for your guests which can also be extended prior to and after your wedding for those guests wishing to take advantage of a longer stay and explore the beautiful city of Exeter.

### A Chance To Relax

As an added bonus, guests have complimentary use of the health club, which includes a swimming pool, gym, Jacuzzi and sauna.



# Your Wedding Planner

We'd love to be your partner for your big day.

So why not come and meet us?

We'll show you around the hotel, answer the many questions you're sure to have at this exciting time and offer you our wealth of advice on everything from the most beautiful backdrops for photos to room dressing that brings your dream to life.

To arrange your visit and discuss your plans with our Wedding Planner, please call **01392 412812** 

or email H6624-sb@accor.com

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### Parking:

The hotel has space for 100 cars which are available on a first come, first serve basis. Charges apply.



### Can I provisionally hold a wedding date?

Yes, we can hold the date for up to two weeks

### What is the cancellation policy?

Please refer to our terms & conditions or speak to your wedding planner for more details

### Who organises the registrar?

The couple will need to liaise directly with the local registry office. Details can be found in our wedding brochure or please ask your wedding planner

## Are there areas for both of us to get ready in the morning?

Yes, we have the Leisure Club available for you and your bridal party

### Should I take out wedding insurance?

Yes, we strongly recommend you do so, however it is at your own discretion

### Can you recommend a local photographer, cake maker and entertainment?

Yes, please speak to your wedding planner to send across a list of our local recommended suppliers

### Can we have our own DJ or band?

Yes, however they must provide us with public liability insurance

# Are we allowed to bring external caterers to do the food for the wedding?

No, we do not allow external caterers

### Do you offer a wedding tasting?

Yes, please speak to your wedding planner to organise this

### Is there a charge for the bridal suite?

The bridal suite is complimentary on the night of the wedding on selected packages. If you would like the suite the night before the wedding this will be subject to charge

### Is there onsite parking?

Yes, we have 100 spaces available free of charge

#### Is there wheelchair access?

We do have accessible bedrooms and access throughout the venue



# Making a difference... Sustainability

This is something that is extremely important to all of us here at Mercure Exeter Southgate Hotel. We are aware of our responsibility towards the environment and have made several efforts to reduce our carbon footprint and give back to the local community. We are conscious about trying to recycle as many materials as possible from our office paper to plastic bottles and our wasted food products – we are dedicated to a more sustainable way of working.

For further information please speak to your Wedding Planner.