



THE UNION SQUARE FARMER'S MARKET

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The [Union Square Farmers Market](#) is the largest and most popular open-air food market in New York City. While there are farmers markets throughout the entire city the one at Union Square operates year round, four days a week, and is really is at its peak in the summer and fall. A visit is a real New York experience that couples the city's obsession with food, with top notch people watching. In addition to numerous stands displaying heaps of fresh fruits and veggies you can find daily caught seafood, eggs, hand-made cheeses, baked goods and beautiful flowers - all sourced from local farms and for the most part, organic. The market is certainly THE most reasonable place to shop for food in the city and it is a wonderful place to take a child to explore. The people who work the stands are always up for a chat about what they are selling and are thrilled to introduce new things that you don't see in your average American supermarket. I am starving just thinking about it. (Image from [Flickr](#))

Also worth noting is that one of the city's newest and most modern playgrounds (called "The Evelyn") just opened so when you are done surfing the food stands there is a place to climb and play.

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Union Square - 14th Street between Park Ave and Union Square East

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