



Clockwise from top: Soby's Restaurant in downtown Greenville; strawberry basil margaritas at Cantina 76; specialty brews at Methodical Coffee; Rent a bike at Reedy Rides or along the Swamp Rabbit Trail; Swamp Rabbit Café's beet salad.

## Taking a Bite Out of

# Greenville, South Carolina

TRAVEL BLOGGER AND SOCIAL INFLUENCER RACHELLE LUCAS OF **THE TRAVEL BITE** HEADED TO GREENVILLE TO DO THE THREE THINGS SHE LOVES MOST—EAT, EXPLORE, AND EAT SOME MORE.



**Within a few hours of arriving** in Greenville, Rachelle

Lucas quickly realized one weekend wasn't enough to taste it all. With just 48 hours to work with, she charted out a whirlwind tour of the buzzing food scene. "Greenville is such a hidden gem full of delicious surprises!" she says.

### BRING COMFY SHOES

There is so much to see and do in Greenville, and the best part? Everything is walkable. Working up an appetite was easy: "The food scene is on par with any major city. There are artisan coffee shops, gourmet markets, and every kind of cuisine you can think of," says Lucas. The Peruvian shrimp tacos at Cantina 76 are a must. Lucas adds, "It was really fun riding a bike to Swamp Rabbit Café and Grocery where they had local produce and handmade goods."

### GET INSPIRED

On the hunt for local faves, Lucas got her coffee fix at Methodical Coffee after a walk through Falls Park. Among residents, this popular café is loved for its down-to-earth style and creative drinks like the raspberry tres leches

cappuccino. It was the perfect way to recharge for a bike ride on the Swamp Rabbit Trail.

### ENJOY THE FRESH ENERGY

Living up to the "green" of its name, Greenville is all about soaking up the outdoors (there's a waterfall right in the center of town!). Throughout the city, chefs have embraced farm-to-table culture. At Soby's Restaurant, fresh seasonal ingredients transform Southern favorites into something new. Lucas enjoyed dinner at The Anchorage where "they focus on using local and sustainable food in everything they do."

## 3 Ways to Enjoy the Best of Greenville

• Savor food, wine, and music at **euphoria** (September 21-24).

• Explore local flavors on a **BBQ Trail Tour**.

• Sample 40 local eateries at **Fall for Greenville** (October 13-15).