

11 can't-miss new family resorts opening in 2024

Find everything from flight simulators to lagoon experiences at these new hotel options debuting in 2024.

I previously told you about <u>14 family-friendly hotels and resorts opening</u> in <u>2024</u> that you should add to your want-to-go-there list. Since then, I've learned about even more new family-friendly properties that have opened or will open this year. Offering tropical beachfront getaways, mountain escapes, and cool features and amenities galore, these new hotels and resorts create even more options for <u>memorable family</u> <u>vacations</u>.

We're talking everything from paddleboarding on a manmade lagoon and swimming with tropical fish to learning cooking skills using farm-fresh ingredients and gazing up at the stars while roasting marshmallows for s'mores. Here are 11 more new family-friendly hotels and resorts that have got me dreaming of a stay.

3. Firefall Ranch

Yosemite, California



Enjoy indoor/outdoor fireplaces in the cottages at Firefall Ranch. (Photo: Firefall Ranch/Tracy Barbutes)

There's a new way to stay for a trip to experience the popular <u>Yosemite</u> <u>Valley</u> and Yosemite National Park. <u>Firefall Ranch</u> offers 55 stand-alone one-, two-, and three-bedroom cottages and villas, which all feature a double-sided indoor/outdoor fireplace, spacious covered deck, and high-style design elements. Located within minutes of Yosemite's northwest entrance, the property's built for rest and relaxation after busy days of outdoor exploration.

A Recreation Desk helps guests arrange guided excursions that range from snowshoeing outings to a private airplane ride over the park. But there's also lots to enjoy at Firefall Ranch itself, like a heated pool and hot tubs, hiking trails, games in the Guest Lounge, and outdoor activities including bocce ball and horseshoes. A seasonally rotating activities calendar offers fun for the whole family, with options like nightly fireside s'mores, crafts, stargazing, and wine tastings.