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The 20 Best Fall Fragrances to Make you Feel Chic and Cozy

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The best fall fragrances are about more than the notes, and that's especially true as the season sets in. Wearers can experiment with bolder compositions and audacious ideas without the heatwaves to worry about. Autumn is when scents focused on gourmand elements, spices, and powerhouse florals come to the fore, but this year it's also allowed for great storytelling. The inspirations behind the newest releases range from the personal—a perfumer's love letter to her poet father—to the historical, including tributes to queens, pirates, explorers, and courtesans.

The range of what is offered speaks to the creativity that goes into each bottle. Even fragrances that don't nod to specific people have impressive backstories; with a single spritz, you can celebrate the joys of city life or trade the concrete jungle for a trip through the Amazon. One can also revisit the classics through new, eco-friendly incarnations of well-loved perfumes. Scroll through the best fall fragrances, below.

Matiere Premiere Parisian Musc

Matiere Premiere keeps it simple; each scent by founder Aurelien Guichard focuses on a single raw ingredient, then takes it to the next level using organic, ethically sourced materials. Parisian Musc is all about Peruvian ambrette seed, aka musk mallow, a plant in the hibiscus family used in place of traditional musk. Paired with cedar oil and ambroxan, the ingredient comes to the fore, its softness and woody qualities amplified.



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