## **TEA TASTING STEPS**



## FOR THE DAILY TEA ENTHUSIAST

- 1. Assemble and setup brewing station and table what will you need
  - Hot water to specified temp
  - Teapot and Cup
  - Tea
  - Tea Infuser
  - Timer
  - Additives (milk, sugar)
- 2. Place a small amount of the loose leaf tea in a bowl or plate. Smell the tea and note flavors or scents of the loose leaf tea.
- 3. Steep the tea according to the directions.
- 4. In a fresh cup, pour a portion of tea. Observe the color and the smell of the steeped tea.
- 5. First sip the tea with no additives.
- 6. Then begin with additives -
  - Sugar alone
  - Milk alone
  - Sugar and milk
- 7. Discuss impressions likes, dislikes, possible pairings with food.
- 8. Repeat process for additional tastings, using fresh cups and pot



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