

## The Origins of Fish & Chips

There is nothing more British than fish & chips eaten with salt & vinegar, fish & chips is one of our Great British Institutions.

But, where did this famous culinary delight originate?

The simple answer is that no one really knows. We do know that fish & chips were developed separately. The French invented chips or "chipped pommes de terre a la mode" (from the humble potato commonly believed to have been brought to Europe by Sir Walter Raleigh in the 17th Century) and in 1839 Charles Dickens referred to a "fried fish warehouse" in Oliver Twist.

The great British fish & chips trade grew out of these existing small businesses which sold fish & chips separately in the streets and alleys of London, and some of Britain's industrial towns in the 1850's.



Both Lancashire and London stake a claim to the origin of our most famous meal. Chips were the staple fare of the industrial north whilst fried fish was introduced in London's East End.

Even in this, the 21st Century, there is nothing quite so tasty, satisfying, wholesome, and evocative, as freshly prepared top quality fish & chips.

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*(Est. 1932)*

## Take Away Menu

