

Where to buy retro sweets in the UK

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Retro sweets are the sweets of past childhoods, and you can still buy them online at [sweeties.net](#), where the homepage is the shop and every sweet is sold by the 100 g: see [what are retro sweets?](#)

Old names in our pick and mix

Our pick and mix includes these traditional sweets, each with its own price per 100 g:

- [SW032](#)
- [SW033](#)
- [SW034](#)
- [SW035](#)
- [SW036](#)
- [SW037](#)
- [SW038](#)
- [SW039](#)
- [SW040](#)

Each card opens up to show the full ingredients and allergens for the sweets we actually stock. Delivery is £3.99 for orders up to 2 kg, by Royal Mail 48.

For the stories behind the names, see [old fashioned sweets, the A to Z](#) and [traditional English sweets](#)

Buying in person

Traditional sweet shops still sell retro sweets, some from rows of glass jars. The oldest, in Pateley Bridge in North Yorkshire, has traded since 1827 in a building from 1661: see [the oldest sweet shop in England](#) and [what is a quarter of sweets?](#)

Some sweets you may remember are no longer made at all: see [what sweets have been discontinued in the UK?](#)

What to check before you buy

- **Allergens.** Pick and mix is sold loose, and loose food must still come with allergen information. Online, it must be available before you buy and again at delivery: see [pick and mix and allergies](#)
- **Colours.** Some recipes use colours that must carry a warning for children: see [the Southampton six colours](#)

- **Hard sweets.** Some retro sweets are hard boiled sweets, which can be a choking risk for young children: see [hard sweets and young children](#)

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