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Affordable Small Hotels in Paris

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The ideal Parisian hotel is like a macaron—small, colorful, and bursting with individual flavor. But in reality, too many **boutique properties** here miss the mark. We sent our reporters across the city—testing mattresses; climbing staircases; sampling petits déjeuners—to come up with this list of intimate bolt-holes, in styles from traditional (a Neoclassical retreat near the Panthéon) to contemporary (an art-filled hangout by the Louvre). The sweetest part: all have rates starting under \$250 a night.