

Eating out.

Activity One: Put the types restaurants, listed below, in order of your personal preference.

Fast food	Italian	Organic	
French		Chinese	
	American		Indian
Nouvelle Cuisine	English Pub food	Hamburger	Pizza
			

Activity Two: With your partner - ask and answer the following questions:

1. Do you like eating out in restaurants or do you prefer take away food?
2. What's your favourite restaurant in your home town?
3. What kind of food do you like to eat in restaurants?
4. What usually determines your choice of restaurant? (List in order of importance).
 - The service
 - The view
 - The type of food
 - The price

Activity Three: Eating in or eating out...

Verbs in English can change their meaning when you add a preposition. This is called a **phrasal verb**. For now you just need to recognize that fact...

Study the following sentences and then try using the phrasal verbs in a different sentence...

- **Eat in** - I prefer to eat in on weekdays because I don't like to go to bed too late.
- **Eat out** - I prefer to eat out at the weekend so that I don't have to do the washing up.
- **Eat up** - Eat up, we have to leave in 5 minutes.

Activity Four: In your team give instructions for the following actions, using as many phrasal verbs as possible. Team 1, gives instructions for one of the following actions, whilst the Team 2 acts it out (charades style). Then swap. Each team gains a point for every phrasal verb used. And loses a point for every wrong action.

The phrasal verbs: **Pick up Put down Cut up Stir in Chop up Turn on**
Turn off Clean-up Stick together Take out Throw away Warm up Open Up

The activities to describe:

Using chopsticks Making a sandwich Making spaghetti
Warming up a ready meal Eating a piece of fruit Heating a can of beans

Activity Five: Look at the menu below and then read the following dialogue filling in the gaps with your own choices.

<p>Starters Chicken Soup £2.50 Caesar Salad £3.25 Carrot and Coriander soup £2.50</p>
<p>Sandwiches & Main Courses Ham and cheese sandwich £3.50 Tuna mayonnaise and salad sandwich £3.00 Vegetarian sandwich £4.00 Cheese on toast £2.50 Slice of Pizza (4 cheese, Hawaiian or Peperoni) £2.50 Cheeseburger £4.50 Hamburger deluxe £5.00 Spaghetti Bolognese £5.50</p>
<p>Drinks Coffee £1.25 Tea £1.25 Soft Drinks - Coke, Lemonade etc. £1.75</p>

Waiter: Hello, Can I help you?

Customer: Yes, could I have a look at the menu please?

Waiter: Certainly, are you **eating in** or **taking away** today?

Customer: I'd like to _____ please.

Waiter: Certainly, Sir/Madam.

Waiter: Would you like a starter?

Customer: Yes, I would like _____ please.

Waiter: And for your main course?

Customer: For my main course I would like (a) _____ please.

Waiter: And would you like anything to drink?

Customer: Yes, I would like _____ please.

Waiter: Wonderful, your food will be with you shortly.



Activity Six: Look at the pictures and descriptions below, discuss with a partner or with your teacher, what you think each delicacy is? And where does it comes from?



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- 1) Bull calf testicles, peeled, flattened and deep fried.
- 2) The heart, liver and lungs of a sheep stuffed inside a sheep's stomach.
- 3) A sheep milk cheese containing live insect larvae.
- 4) Deep fried tarantula
- 5) Eggs preserved in a mixture of ash, salt and clay for several weeks or months.

Activity Seven: A culinary revelation!

Taking your inspiration from Activity 5, with a partner, or with your teacher, get creative and think up a brand new weird and wonderful culinary delicacy. You will have to be able to convince everyone that this is a dish that they MUST try! Include the following details in your description:

- **Where** does your dish come from?
- **What** is it made of?
- **What** does it taste like?
- Does it have any special **nutritional value**?
- Is it an **everyday** dish, or is it for a **special occasions**?
- If it is for a special occasion, **which** occasion?