

Kitchen Rules! Instructions & Advice

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GRAMMAR · ¿CÓMO DAMOS INSTRUCCIONES, REGLAS Y CONSEJOS?

IMPERATIVE (instrucciones / órdenes)

✓ **Wash** your hands. ✗ **Don't run** in the kitchen.
= verbo sin "to", sin sujeto. Negativo: Don't + verbo.

HAVE TO / DON'T HAVE TO (obligación)

Waiters **have to** wear a uniform. You **don't have to** cook.
don't have to = no es necesario (¡no es prohibido!)

MUST / MUSTN'T (reglas, normas)

You **must** wear an apron. You **mustn't** smoke here.
must = es obligatorio · mustn't = está prohibido

SHOULD / SHOULDN'T (consejos)

You **should** smile at the customers. You **shouldn't** be late.
should = deberías (es buena idea)

CAN / CAN'T (permiso / prohibición): You **can** take a break at 4. You **can't** use your phone. · Después de un modal: verbo sin "to" → You must wash ✓ You must ~~to wash~~ ✗

PALABRAS CLAVE

wash – lavar

boil – hervir

set the table – poner la mesa

apron – delantal

knife – cuchillo

chop – picar

fry – freír

clear the table – recoger

hairnet – redecilla

tray – bandeja

peel – pelar

taste – probar

take the order – tomar nota

gloves – guantes

the bill – la cuenta

stir – remover

serve – servir

wipe – limpiar (con trapo)

chopping board – tabla

fridge – nevera

1 Match the verbs with the Spanish. Une cada verbo con su significado.

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1. chop

a. remover

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5. wipe

e. tomar nota

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2. peel

b. probar

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6. boil

f. limpiar con un trapo

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3. stir

c. picar

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7. take the order

g. recoger la mesa

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4. taste

d. pelar

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8. clear the table

h. hervir

2 The chef's instructions. Complete with the imperative. Usa las palabras del recuadro.

wash · wear · don't touch · peel · don't run · stir · taste · put

1. _____ your hands, please!

5. _____ the oven. It's very hot!

2. _____ your hairnet and apron.

6. _____ in the kitchen. It's dangerous.

3. _____ the potatoes and the onions.

7. _____ the sauce. Is it good?

4. _____ the soup with a spoon.

8. _____ the fish in the fridge.

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3 Restaurant rules. Write **must** or **mustn't** . ¿Obligatorio o prohibido?

- You _____ wash your hands after the toilet.
- You _____ smoke in the kitchen.
- Cooks _____ wear a hairnet.
- You _____ use the same knife for meat and fish.
- Waiters _____ be polite to customers.
- You _____ put hot food in the fridge.
- You _____ clean the chopping board.
- You _____ touch food with dirty gloves.

4 A new waiter has problems. Give advice: **should** or **shouldn't** . Da consejos.

- "I'm always late for work." → You _____ get up earlier.
- "The customers are angry. The food is cold." → You _____ serve the food quickly.
- "I use my phone in the restaurant." → You _____ use your phone at work.
- "I don't understand the tourists." → You _____ learn English!
- "I carry eight plates at the same time." → You _____ use a tray.

5 Read the signs. Choose the correct meaning. Rodea a o b.

▲ STAFF ONLY

- Customers **can't** go in.
- Customers **can** go in.

🔥 HOT SURFACE – DO NOT TOUCH

- You **should** touch it.
- You **mustn't** touch it.

🧤 GLOVES REQUIRED

- You **have to** wear gloves.
- You **don't have to** wear gloves.

🧼 WASH YOUR HANDS

- It's an instruction.
- It's a question.

🚭 NO SMOKING

- You **can** smoke here.
- You **mustn't** smoke here.

UNIFORM: FREE ON FRIDAYS

- On Fridays you **don't have to** wear the uniform.
- You **mustn't** wear it.

6 Recipe: **papas arrugadas** . Put the instructions in order (1–6). Ordena la receta.

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| ☐ Boil the potatoes for 20 minutes. | ☐ Serve them with red mojo. Enjoy! |
| ☐ Wash the small potatoes. Don't peel them! | ☐ Take out the water and dry the potatoes in the pot. |
| ☐ Put the potatoes in a big pot. | ☐ Add water and a lot of salt. |

7 Your turn! Write 3 rules or tips for your kitchen or restaurant. Usa **must**, **mustn't**, **should**...

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