ARE YOU A FOODIE?

Before watching

1. Discuss these questions.

- How often do you eat out?
- What's your favorite place to eat out?
- Do you ever buy take-out food? Why (not)?

2. Describe these pictures.

- Are there similar places in your city / town?
- What kind of food is served in each place (a-d)?

a



b



c



d



3. Match the pictures (a-d) with the names from the box.

fancy restaurant - fast food restaurant / diner street food - food truck

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4. Answer these questions using some of the phrases below.

- Do you like trying new food? Or are you a picky eater?
- Which one(s) do you like the most?
- Which one(s) do you like the least?



While watching

5. Watch the video with sound off until 00:49" and answer.

a. Who can you see in the video?
b. Where is this person getting into?
c. Write, at least, three things you can see in the place.
d. What do you think he is taking from his bag?

6. Complete these sentences with the words from the box.

paintings - vegetables - forks – hostess – chandeliers waiter – specials - sauces

I was at this super posh restaurant. The type of place that has (a)_____, and (b)_____ on the walls, and way too many (c)_____.
The (d)_____ walks up to me and she says. "Mr. Sheeran, is this your first time dining with us? And I say "Yep"
The (e)_____ comes over, he's telling me about the (f)_____."Super fancy, fancy (g)_____, fancy (h)_____..."

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7. Watch the full video with the sound on and check your answers in exercises 5 and 6.



After watching

8. Discuss these questions.

- Why did the people in the restaurant react in that way?
- Have you ever been in a similar situation?
- How would you feel if you were the cook?
- Do you think Ed Sheeran has a weird food habit? Why (not)?
- Do you have any weird food habit? If so, which one(s)?
- Choose the weirdest food habit in the class.

Focus on lexis

9. Read these excerpts from the video.

1) Waiter: Super **fancy**, **fancy** vegetables, **fancy** sauces...

   Ed: **Sounds fancy**.

2) Waiter: We are proud to present this **farm-to-table** bla bla bla, posh and fancy bla bla bla, with a side of bla bla bla...

   Ed: You know, the food **looked good**, I just thought there was something missing...

a. What does the expression "sounds fancy" in excerpt 1 mean?
b. Think of another example using the verb "sound" + adjective.
c. What does the adjective "farm-to-table" in excerpt 2 mean?
Choose the correct definition below and use the adjective in a meaningful sentence:

- Processed food
- Fresh locally produced food
- Home-made food

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d. Ed's food looked good.

Think of two positive and two negative adjectives to describe some food you've eaten recently.

Follow-up task



10. You will talk about the last time you went out for dinner lunch.

Use these questions:

- Where did you go?
- How was the place? Use some adjectives from the box to describe it or use an online dictionary, if necessary.

casual - posh - empty - crowded clean - messy - noisy - quiet

- Who did you go with?
- What did you order?
- Were there any leftovers? Did you ask for a doggy bag? Why (not)?
- Who paid for the meal? Did you split the bill?
- Would you recommend / go back to that place? Why (not)?

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