

Use the word given in capitals to form a word that fits the gap.

BRITISH FOOD



Many people are under the **1)** _____ [IMPRESS] that British food is awful. It is said to be **2)** _____ [TASTE] and cooked **3)** _____ [BAD], so the idea that Britain has some of the best restaurants in the world is **4)** _____ [USUAL] met with roars of **5)** _____ [LAUGH]. However, perhaps this is a little **6)** _____ [FAIR].

There have been some wonderful **7)** _____ [IMPROVE] in recent years. There are now many **8)** _____ [EXCEL] restaurants serving high quality dishes that have been very **9)** _____ [SKILL] prepared. Also, many British chefs now have Michelin stars, which are only awarded to the world's very best chefs.

A good **10)** _____ [VARY] of food is available these days, too. In other words, the food being served isn't just French gourmet. There has been a huge rise in the **11)** _____ [POPULAR] of **12)** _____ [tradition] British dishes. **13)** _____ [FORTUNE], gone are the days when the only things on the menu were boiled vegetables and stewed meat!

So, the next time you get a chance, be **14)** _____ [ADVENTURE] and try some real British food. You just might find that it no longer deserves its terrible **15)** _____ [REPUTE].