

F: Father
M: Mother
Gr: Grandmother
CS: Chubby son
G: Greg, skinny son
C: Clerk

CS: Dad, isn't there a button or something **you could¹ push** to let the guy...
F: If there was a button I could push, don't you think I would've pushed it **by now²**?
M: This **will only** take a minute.
F: That's right.
M: So... Before we get the **man on the box** everyone³ should⁴ decide what they want.
F: No, no, no. No way. No sir. We're getting **five burgers and five cokes**, okay? Quick and simple.
C: Welcome to Burger Barn. **How may I serve you?**
F: Huh... Yeah. We would⁵ like five burgers, please.
C: How do you want them? They come with **mustard, ketchup, pickle** and **onion**.
F: That's what we want.
M: Oh, honey. Could I get mine **without** onions, please?
F: Ok, alright. One without onions.
CS: And... extra pickles on **mine⁶**?
F: And extra pickles.
C: So one **with no onions and extra pickles**.
F: No, no. Three all the way⁷, one with no onions, one **all the way** with extra pickles.
C: Okay.
F: And five cokes!
C: **What size?**

Everyone speaking indistinctively

F: **Medium! Medium!** Please.
Gr: I don't, I don't want a coke, I **want a glass of water**.
F: Okay... Four medium cokes, one glass of water.
C: I can give you the water but I'll have to **charge⁸** you for a coke.
F: Fine, I'll pay for it.
C: **How about fries?**
F: Uhm, yeah. Yeah, make it five orders of fries.
G: Wait... If, if he's gon' charge you for a coke anyway **I'll just have a coke**.
F: Ok, ok, uhm, uhm. Make it five medium cokes and **just forget** the water.
C: Yeah.
G: Hey, hey dad, look! If you order a Buster Burger, the fries come with it and that's **cheaper** than a regular hamburger and fries.

F: Hmm.. Ok, wait a minute, wait a minute. Yeah. Make it five Buster Burgers, **three all the way**. One without onions, one with onions and extra pickles, and now... **That all comes with fries**, right?

C: Yes, sir! And with **lettuce** and **tomato**.

F: Ok, good. Put **it on all** five.

M: Honey **if I'm getting** lettuce and tomato then I don't want mustard.

F: Ok, ok. Hold on. We have a change here. We want five Buster Burgers. Two all the way, **one all the way** with extra pickles, one with **ketchup, pickles, lettuce** and **tomato** and one with mustard, ketchup, pickles and onions.

Gr: Excuse me. Excuse me, but **I've been thinking**. If I'm having a cola I can't have **red meat**. Now it's just gon' be too much **acid in my stomach**. Can I get a piece of **fish** or something?

F: Alright, cancel one of the all the way Buster Burgers and give me a... **Fish sandwich**.

Gr: Without fries.

F: Without fries.

C: It comes with fries, no charge.

F: Oh. Now wait a minute, wait a minute. Who has the burger **without** lettuce and tomato?

G: I, I do, I do, dad.

F: Okay. **Bear with me⁹**, please. Give me three Buster Burgers. One all the way with extra pickles, one with ketchup, pickles, lettuce and tomato, one fish sandwich and one **regular burger** with mustard, ketchup, pickles and onions.

C: Mmhmm.

F: And when the order gets here you can have **grandma's** french fries.

G: Cool!

M: Okay.

Gr: I can't eat **fried food**.

M: Oh, mother! The fish is fried!

Gr: What?! Well then, can I just get a **couple slices of bread**?

C: What was that?

F: Uh, can we cancel the fish and get **two pieces** of bread, please?

C: We don't have bread. I can give you a **bun¹⁰**.

F: Fine, fine!

C: I'll have to charge it for a fish sandwich.

F: Well. Hey, **why don't you** charge me for a burger? It's cheaper.

C: I **thought¹¹** the old lady **wanted** a fish sandwich.

F: Well, she wants a burger now. **Have you got that¹²?**... Hello?!

C: I'm **confused**.

F: Okay... Three Buster Burgers. One all the way, one all the way with extra pickles. One with ketchup, pickles, lettuce and tomato. One regular burger with mustard, onions, pickles and ketchup. One burger **plain¹³ with no meat**.

CS: Dad! **If¹⁴** grandma doesn't get, huh, her fish sandwich, **then¹⁴** Doug doesn't get **any** fries.

F: Okay, whoa, whoa, whoa, whoa! Hold it! Hold it, hold it. **Cancel the burger.**

C: Uhm... Huh... **Would** you people like to maybe come in? **Take all the time you want,** you know, maybe visit our **salad bar**¹⁵.

M: Oh, a salad bar!

Everyone speaking indistinctively again

F: No, no, no, NOOOOOOOOOOO! Okay, **starting over**¹⁶! Five burgers with everything, five medium cokes! The end!

C: Right. \$11,65. **Drive around.**

M: Well, see? There you are. That was easy, **wasn't it?**

1. Could

Could - modal verb. Used to talk about possibility, ability in the past, or to make polite requests.

Examples:

1. I **could** swim when I was five years old.
 2. We **could** go to the movies tonight.
 3. **Could** you help me with my homework?
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2. By now

By now - expression. Means "at this moment" or "before the present time." It refers to something that is expected to have happened already.

Examples:

1. She should be home **by now**.
 2. They have probably finished the project **by now**.
 3. **By now**, everyone knows the news.
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3. Everyone

Everyone - indefinite pronoun. Refers to all people in a group.

Examples:

1. **Everyone** enjoyed the party.
 2. **Everyone** needs a break sometimes.
 3. **Everyone** was laughing at the joke.
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4. Should

Should - modal verb. Used to give advice, make recommendations, or talk about what is expected.

Examples:

1. You **should** drink more water.
 2. We **should** leave early to avoid traffic.
 3. She **should** finish the report today.
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5. Would

Would - modal verb. Used for polite requests, hypothetical situations, preferences, and future actions in the past.

Examples:

1. I **would** like a cup of coffee.
 2. What **would** you do in this situation?
 3. He said he **would** call later.
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6. Mine

Mine - possessive pronoun. Used to show that something belongs to the speaker.

Examples:

1. This book is **mine**.
 2. That car isn't yours. It's **mine**.
 3. The blue backpack is **mine**.
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7. All the way (referring to food)

All the way - expression. When referring to food, it means with all available toppings or ingredients.

Examples:

1. I'd like my burger **all the way**.
2. She ordered a hot dog **all the way**.
3. He likes his sandwich **all the way**, with every topping.

8. Charge

Charge - verb. To ask someone to pay a certain amount of money for a product or service.

Examples:

1. The restaurant **charged** us \$20 for the meal.
 2. They **charge** extra for delivery.
 3. The hotel **charged** my credit card automatically.
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9. Bear with me

Bear with me - expression. Means "please be patient with me" while I finish something or solve a problem.

Examples:

1. **Bear with me** while I find the information.
 2. Please **bear with me** for a moment.
 3. **Bear with me**; I'm still learning how to use this system.
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10. Bun

Bun - noun. A small, soft piece of bread used for hamburgers, hot dogs, and sandwiches.

Examples:

1. The burger comes with a sesame seed **bun**.
 2. She removed the **bun** to make the meal lower in carbs.
 3. The hot dog was served in a warm **bun**.
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11. Thought

Thought - noun. An idea, opinion, or something that comes to your mind.

Examples:

1. I had a **thought** about our project.
 2. That's an interesting **thought**.
 3. Her first **thought** was to call her family.
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12. Have you got that?

Have you got that? - expression. Used to check if someone understood information or instructions.

Examples:

1. Turn left, then right. **Have you got that?**
 2. We meet at 7 p.m. **Have you got that?**
 3. Write your name at the top. **Have you got that?**
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13. Plain (referring to food)

Plain - adjective. Refers to food without additional ingredients, toppings, sauces, or seasoning.

Examples:

1. I'd like a **plain** hamburger.
 2. She ordered a **plain** bagel.
 3. My son only eats **plain** pasta.
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14. If... Then

If... then - conditional structure. Used to show that one action or situation depends on another.

Examples:

1. **If** it rains, **then** we will stay inside.
 2. **If** you study, **then** you will improve your English.
 3. **If** they arrive early, **then** we can start the meeting.
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15. Salad bar

Salad bar - noun. A section in a restaurant where customers serve themselves from a variety of salads, vegetables, and toppings.

Examples:

1. The restaurant has a large **salad bar**.
 2. She filled her plate at the **salad bar**.
 3. We visited the **salad bar** before ordering dinner.
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16. To start over

To start over - phrasal verb. To begin again from the beginning after making a mistake or deciding to try again.

Examples:

1. I made a mistake, so I had to **start over**.
2. Let's **start over** and explain it one more time.
3. After the computer crashed, she had to **start over**.