Online Worksheet 2

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Food fights can go much further than an argument over who makes the best sauce or soup, or whether or not you should eat something with your fingers or use utensils. Sometimes they involve disputes between entire nations. And as recently as 2018, two countries were locked in a dispute over the name of a certain kind of dairy product.

Spanish Manchego is the name for a regional cheese, which comes from the part of Spain called La Mancha. Spanish Manchego is made following strict rules: it must come from the milk of a sheep, be produced in the La Mancha region, and be aged for a minimum of 60 days and a maximum of two years. Mexico also has a cheese called Manchego. However, Mexican Manchego is made with cow's milk and follows a different procedure in its manufacture. Clearly, the two cheeses look and taste very different.

In 2018, a dispute erupted between Spain and Mexico. Spanish cheesemakers claimed that the name of the cheese should be protected and reserved only for them, since the name itself is based on the local region where the cheese comes from. The President of the Spanish Brotherhood of Manchego Cheese even went as far as to say that Manchego was the equivalent of 'the Rolex watch of world cheeses, the most imitated and most abused'. Mexican cheesemakers disagreed, arguing that it wasn't piracy and that it is impossible to copy a cheese. The dispute went right up to the national level, where it became part of negotiations for a trade deal between Mexico and the European Union.

Luckily, a solution was found that both parties could agree on. Mexican cheesemakers could still call their cheese Manchego, but had to specify on the label that it was a domestic product and made from cow's milk. For now, at least, there won't be a cheese war between the Old World and the New.

LISTENING

4 63 **Listen to a podcast about another food fight and choose the best title.**

a) Love 'em or hate 'em
b) Hands off, that's mine
c) Mind your manners
d) Only for kids?
e) Now it's healthy, now it's not
f) Vegetarians and vegans

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5 Listen again and choose the correct answer.

1 Which of the following is a characteristic of Spanish Manchego cheese?
   a) It comes from sheep's milk.
   b) It's a soft cheese.
   c) It's often the source of conflict between countries.

2 What do the Spanish and Mexican cheeses have in common?
   a) They share the same manufacturing process.
   b) They share the same name.
   c) They have nothing in common.

3 Why did Spanish cheesemakers argue over the cheese?
   a) They wanted to keep their cheese expensive.
   b) They thought the Mexican cheese was bad quality.
   c) They wanted Mexicans to change the name of their cheese.

4 What was the defence of the Mexican cheesemakers in the dispute?
   a) That Spanish cheesemakers had brought Manchego cheese to Mexico in the first place.
   b) That it's not possible to imitate a cheese.
   c) That their Manchego had a longer history.

5 Which of the following forms part of the compromise between the two countries?
   a) Mexican Manchego cheese has to have a Mexican flag on the label.
   b) Mexican Manchego cheese needs to specify that it comes from cow's milk.
   c) Mexican Manchego cheesemakers need to pay Spanish cheesemakers for the use of the name.

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4 Choose the correct options to complete the text.

Think of spaghetti or lasagne or any kind of pasta, and immediately one thinks of Italy. Pasta is Italian, right? [1]_____ it is!

Yet the origins of pasta are actually less certain. Some say that Marco Polo, the Italian explorer, introduced pasta to Italy after his travels to Asia during the thirteenth century. [2]_____, this is a possibility, as pasta and noodles are remarkably similar in appearance and production. [3]_____, many Americans use the term 'noodles' to mean 'pasta'. Italians are extremely proud of their pasta, so, [4]_____, references to their beloved food actually pre-date Marco Polo's adventures. The first written references to pasta were made long before Marco Polo. In fact, historical records suggest that pasta was even eaten in Italy during the pre-Roman era.

The biggest consumers of pasta by country are the Italians themselves. It is also particularly popular in America, because, [5]_____, waves of Italians settled there in the late 19th century. However, it was [6]_____ president Thomas Jefferson who brought back pasta from Europe in the late 1700s. In any case, Italian food – that is pasta and pizza – is the most popular cuisine in the world, and is regarded by many as classic 'comfort food'.

1	a) Foolishly	b) Fortunately	c) Obviously
2	a) Theoretically	b) Essentially	c) Stupidly
3	a) Clearly	b) Strangely	c) Luckily
4	a) fortunately	b) weirdly	c) obviously
5	a) theoretically	b) foolishly	c) basically
6	a) luckily	b) supposedly	c) obviously

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VOCABULARY // Comment adverbs

6 a Look at these two sentences from the podcast. Underline the comment adverbs and match them with their meanings.

a) Clearly, the two cheeses look and taste very different.

b) Luckily, a solution was found that both parties could agree on.

1 It was a good thing that ...

2 It's easy to understand that ...

b Find four pairs of words with similar meanings.

clearly	foolishly	supposedly	fortunately
luckily	obviously	stupidly	theoretically

clearly –

foolishly –

– theoretically

– luckily

Match these adverbs with the phrases below.

clearly	foolishly	fortunately	luckily	obviously
basically	strangely	stupidly	supposedly	
theoretically	essentially	weirdly		

1 In theory, but perhaps not in practice, _____ _____

2 It is easy to understand that ... _____ _____

3 It was a good thing that ... _____ _____

4 It was very surprising that ... _____ _____

5 Without thinking enough, _____ _____

6 This is the most important thing. _____ _____

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1 Complete the missing letters of the comment adverbs. Each pair has a similar meaning.

1 __ b v _ _ _ _ s l y c l _ _ _ _ l y
2 _ _ p p _ _ _ _ d l y t _ _ _ r _ t _ c _ l l y
3 s t _ p _ _ l y _ o _ l _ _ h l y
4 _ t r _ _ g _ l y w _ _ _ _ d l y
5 e _ s _ _ t _ _ _ l y _ _ s _ c _ l l y
6 _ _ r t _ _ _ t _ l y l _ _ k _ l y

2 a Write the adverbs from exercise 1 in the correct category in the table according to their word stress pattern.

1 Oo	2 Ooo	3 Oooo	4 oOoo	5 ooOoo

b 53 **Listen and check your answers.**

3 Complete the dialogues with an appropriate comment adverb from exercise 1. Use a different adverb each time. There may be more than one possible answer.

1 A: My brother puts tomato ketchup on practically everything he eats!
B: Well, _____ it's not too unhealthy, so it doesn't do him any harm.

2 A: The label says this yogurt is fat-free. So how come it tastes so good?
B: _____, they put loads of sugar in instead!

3 A: To celebrate Ingrid's birthday, we went to that new Polish restaurant.
B: I know the one. _____, all the staff are Scottish, which I found quite confusing!

4 A: Shall we get the bill?
B: Err, yes. I was intending to pay, but _____ _____ I've left my wallet at home.

5 A: I can't say I like the taste of this chicken. What about you?
B: It's tasteless. _____, they've forgotten to put any seasoning or herbs in.

6 A: Do you think you could become a vegan, then, not just a vegetarian?
B: _____, it's possible for any of us, but I have to say that I'd find it very hard.

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