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Use Your Skills

1 Complete each sentence with a word in the box.

home-made, raw, spicy, diet, steak, takeaway, frozen

- 1 His ... is terrible: he eats too many sweet things.
- 2 ... vegetables have more vitamins than when they are cooked.
- 3 I love ... food but I don't have much time to cook.
- 4 She likes her ... well done.
- 5 I'm very busy so I often just buy a ... meal and heat it up in the microwave.
- 6 She doesn't like Mexican food because it is too
- 7 We often buy ... food on Fridays — either Chinese or Indian food.

2 Complete the sentences by changing the form of the verbs in brackets to make 2nd Conditionals.

- 1 If I ... (*have*) lettuce, celery, cucumbers and parsley I ... (*make*) a tasty green salad.
- 2 We ... (*can serve*) a wonderful cake if he ... (*not spoil*) it.
- 3 She ... (*stay hungry*) if she ... (*be*) in Mexico because she hates spicy food.
- 4 If dinner ... (*be*) ready we ... (*sit*) around the table at once.
- 5 If I ... (*have*) an English Cookery Book I ... (*prepare*) some delicious specialties of English cuisine.

3 Work in pairs. Take turns asking and answering the questions.

- Have you ever tried English tea?
- Have you ever tried Chinese food?
- What do you know about traditional British food?
- What do you get if you order traditional English breakfast?
- Do you know what people in America usually eat for Thanksgiving?

4 Make a list of food or dishes you associate with the countries below. Compare it with a partner.

The USA, China, France, Italy, Japan, Mexico