

COOKING AND EATING

VOCABULARY

1 Match the names of foods to the descriptions. There are more words than you need.

caper cod kidney nutmeg oyster venison

- 1 _____ – a powerful spice used to give flavour especially to cakes and sauces
- 2 _____ – an animal body organ which can be cooked and eaten
- 3 _____ – a large sea fish
- 4 _____ – a kind shellfish with a shell in two parts that can be eaten
- 5 _____ – a small green flower bud, pickled in vinegar, added to various dishes and sauces for extra flavour

2 Choose the correct option.

- 1 You will need a _____ of butter, some garlic and various fresh herbs.
A knob B pinch C sprig
- 2 The dish was so hot that I needed a _____ of water.
A sip B lump C clove
- 3 I found a _____ of cheese in the fridge.
A pinch B lump C spoonful
- 4 Chop up a small onion and two _____ of garlic.
A sprigs B sticks C cloves
- 5 Make sure you only add a _____ of salt, no more.
A drop B pinch C knob

3 Complete the sentences with the words from the box. There are more words than you need.

clinking dietary fine hate starched tones

- 1 Overcooked vegetables are my pet _____.
- 2 Do you have any special _____ requirements?
- 3 My uncle and aunt are into smart restaurants, _____ dining, expensive wines and so on.
- 4 Everyone was speaking in hushed _____ as if they were at a funeral.
- 5 I put a spotless, _____ tablecloth on the table and a moment later someone pushed over a glass of red wine.

