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Read the restaurant reviews.

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Veggie Cafe
Causeway Bay

By Pam Wong
Score: 0/10

I went there last year and the food was terrible — my soup noodles with mushrooms were bland. They were like string ! For the prices, I expected better. These tasteless noodles cost over \$200! It was my vegetarian brother's birthday last week so I decided to give Veggie Cafe another go. The food was still bad — my brother found a fly in his (over-priced) veggie hot pot. The service was worse! We waited almost an hour for our food. Then the waiter was rude — he tried to take away our plates before we finished eating! This was definitely not a meal to savour! We will not go there again. It is the worst vegetarian place in town!

Top Curry House
Tsim Sha Tsui

By Wendy Lee
Score: 9/10

I wanted something spicy — and I got it! Top Curry House makes the best chicken curry in town! It was rich, tasty and very fragrant — my mouth started watering as soon as I smelt it! The beef curry was tender and very, very hot! I asked the waiter for a glass of water to cool my mouth and he helpfully suggested a banana lassi. I had three glasses of this delicious yoghurt drink! The price was reasonable too. My family spent around \$80 each for dinner there.

Peter's Place
Mong Kok

By May Chan
Score: 7/10

Yesterday was very hot so I wanted something cold — and sweet! That's why I decided to try Peter's Place. My cherry pie with home-made chocolate ice cream was great. Unfortunately my friend's apple pie was dry and far from fresh. Peter was friendly and gave us a \$50 discount coupon to say sorry. I will come again to use the coupon and try other things on the menu.

Date: _____

**B** Read the restaurant reviews again and answer the questions.

- 1 Was Pam happy with the service at Veggie Cafe? Why / Why not?

- 2 Will May Chan go to Peter's Place again? Why / Why not?

- 3 Who was happy with the price of their food? _____

Underline the sentence that tells you this.

**C** Blacken ● the circles.

- 1 Where can you see these restaurant reviews?

- ☐ A. in a newspaper
 ☐ B. in a children's magazine
☐ C. on a menu
 ☐ D. on the Internet

- 2 What type of food does Peter's Place serve?

- ☐ A. curry
 ☐ B. hot dishes
☐ C. desserts
 ☐ D. noodles

What type of food did May mention?



- 3 Read Wendy's review. What does 'hot' mean?

- ☐ A. (adj) very high temperature, e.g. *It's hot in here. Can I turn on the fan?*
☐ B. (adj) spicy, e.g. *My mouth felt on fire after eating the hot food.*
☐ C. (adj) very popular, e.g. *Jim Stewart is one of the hottest actors in New York.*
☐ D. (adj) very good and skilful, e.g. *Sally is hot at ice-skating.*

- ★ 4 Which of the following is true?

- ☐ A. Pam went to Veggie Cafe for the first time last week.
☐ B. Wendy's family paid \$80 for their meal at Top Curry House.
☐ C. May paid \$50 for her meal at Peter's Place yesterday.
☐ D. All of the reviewers wrote something about the service.



Check the sentences against the reviews.