

Look at the menu and do the exercises to practise your reading skills.

### Preparation

Write the correct word in the boxes below the picture.



|                     |               |               |              |
|---------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| pasta               | cheese burger | ice cream     | grilled fish |
| fruit salad         | sausage       | omelette      | vegetables   |
| cheese and biscuits | chips         | roast chicken | tomato soup  |

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# THE BOAT RESTAURANT

## STARTERS

|                                               |       |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------|
| Tomato Soup                                   | £2.00 |
| French Onion Soup                             | £2.50 |
| Tomato Salad                                  | £2.90 |
| Chicken Salad                                 | £3.30 |
| All starters are served with bread and butter |       |

## MAIN COURSES

|                               |       |
|-------------------------------|-------|
| German sausage and chips      | £6.50 |
| Grilled fish and potatoes     | £6.25 |
| Italian cheese & tomato pizza | £4.85 |
| Thai chicken and rice         | £5.95 |
| Vegetable pasta               | £4.85 |
| Roast chicken and potatoes    | £5.95 |

## DRINKS

|                    |       |
|--------------------|-------|
| Mineral water      | £1.00 |
| Fresh orange juice | £1.25 |
| Soft drinks        | £1.30 |
| English Tea        | £0.90 |
| Irish Cream Coffee | £0.90 |

## SNACKS

Lunchtime only

Vegetable omelette  
£3.25

Cheese Burger  
£3.20

Chocolate cake  
£2.25

Cheese & tomato sandwich  
£3.25

Burger  
£2.90

Chicken sandwich  
£3.50

Cheese omelette  
£3.50

All snacks are served with salad and chips

## DESSERTS

|                                                        |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| Fruit salad and cream                                  | £2.25 |
| Ice cream<br>(choose from chocolate, coffee, or lemon) | £2.00 |
| Lemon cake                                             | £2.25 |
| Chocolate cake                                         | £2.25 |
| Cheese and biscuits                                    | £2.50 |

**Lunch** served 12:30 - 2:30pm / **Dinner** served 6:00 - 9:00pm

## 1. Check your understanding: true or false

Circle *True* or *False* for these sentences.

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|----|------------------------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| 1. | Lunch is served for two hours only.                  | <i>True</i> | <i>False</i> |
| 2. | Dinner starts at 2:30pm.                             | <i>True</i> | <i>False</i> |
| 3. | Bread and butter comes free with the starters.       | <i>True</i> | <i>False</i> |
| 4. | The snacks are available for lunch and dinner.       | <i>True</i> | <i>False</i> |
| 5. | If you order a snack the salad and chips cost extra. | <i>True</i> | <i>False</i> |
| 6. | There are three flavours of ice cream.               | <i>True</i> | <i>False</i> |

## 2. Check your understanding: gap fill

Complete the gaps with the correct number from the box.

|         |      |        |         |       |        |
|---------|------|--------|---------|-------|--------|
| Italian | Thai | French | English | Irish | German |
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|------------------------|--------------------|
| _____ onion soup       | _____ tea          |
| _____ sausage          | _____ cream coffee |
| _____ chicken and rice | _____ pizza        |

## 3. Check your understanding: recommendations

Recommend and write a dish or drink for these customers on the line below.

|                           |                 |                  |
|---------------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Grilled Fish and Potatoes | Tomato Salad    | Vegetable Pasta  |
| Mineral Water             | Cheese Biscuits | Chicken Sandwich |

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| 1. | <div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 15px; padding: 10px; display: inline-block;">           I'm a vegetarian and I want a starter but I don't like soup. What starter should I choose?         </div> | _____ |
| 2. | <div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 15px; padding: 10px; display: inline-block;">           I want a main course but I only have £5 and I don't like cheese. What do you suggest?         </div>      | _____ |

3. I really love seafood. Which main course do you suggest? \_\_\_\_\_
4. I want a dessert but I don't like sweet things. What can I choose? \_\_\_\_\_
5. I don't like eggs or cheese and I only have £4. What snack can I choose? \_\_\_\_\_
6. It's a really hot day and I need a cold drink. I only have £1, though. What can I have? \_\_\_\_\_

**Discussion**

What would you order from this menu?

What type of food do restaurants in your country have?