

In a restaurant

I can order food and drink in a restaurant.

1 Complete the menu with the words below.

beef cheesecake chocolate pepper pie rice

menu	
starters	
Tomato and red ¹ _____	soup
Mini fishcakes	
Thai ² _____	salad
main courses	
Beef and mushroom ³ _____	
Chicken curry and ⁴ _____	
Prawn stir-fry	
desserts	
Strawberry mousse	
Lemon ⁵ _____	
Home-made ⁶ _____	ice cream

2 Complete the dialogue with five of the phrases below. There are two extra phrases.

And for you, sir? And for your main course?
 And what would you like, madam? Are you ready to order?
 Let's leave a tip. The same for me.
 Would you like anything to drink?

Waiter ¹ _____
 Man Yes, we are. I'd like the fishcakes to start, please.
 Waiter Certainly. ² _____
 Man Can I have the chicken curry, please?
 Waiter Of course. ³ _____
 Woman To start, the soup. Followed by the prawn stir-fry.
 Waiter Very good. ⁴ _____
 Woman Can I have water, please?
 Man ⁵ _____
 Waiter Of course.

3 Rewrite the sentences in a polite way using *would like*, affirmative or interrogative. Use *please* if necessary.

- Do you want some rice?

- What do you want for dinner?

- I want a cup of coffee.

- Where do you want to sit?

- We want the bill.

4 1.27 Listen to three dialogues in the same restaurant. When does each dialogue take place? Choose the correct words.

Dialogue 1 takes place **before** / **during** / **after** a meal.

Dialogue 2 takes place **before** / **during** / **after** a meal.

Dialogue 3 takes place **before** / **during** / **after** a meal.

5 Read and complete these lines from the dialogues. Write one word in each gap. Then write 'Waiter' and 'Customer' next to the correct lines.

- Waiter: _____ everything OK for you?
_____: Yes, _____ fine, thanks.
- _____: Can I have _____ water, please?
_____: Yes, _____ course, sir.
- _____: Can we have a table _____ two, please?
_____: Certainly, sir. Follow _____.
- _____: Would you _____ to order some drinks?
_____: _____, please.
- _____: Can we _____ the bill, please?
_____: Certainly. _____ moment.
- _____: _____ it include service?
_____: No, it _____.

6 1.27 Listen again and check your answers to exercise 5.

7 Look at the menu below. Imagine you are eating alone at this restaurant. Choose and circle a starter, a main course and a dessert.

menu	
STARTERS	
French onion soup	
Salmon mousse	
Olive pâté	
MAIN COURSES	
Chicken and mushroom pie	
Fish pie	
Vegetable curry	
DESSERTS	
Melon with strawberries	
Coffee cake with ice cream	
Lemon mousse	

8 Now act out a dialogue in a restaurant. Use your menu in exercise 7 and phrases from exercises 2 and 5.