

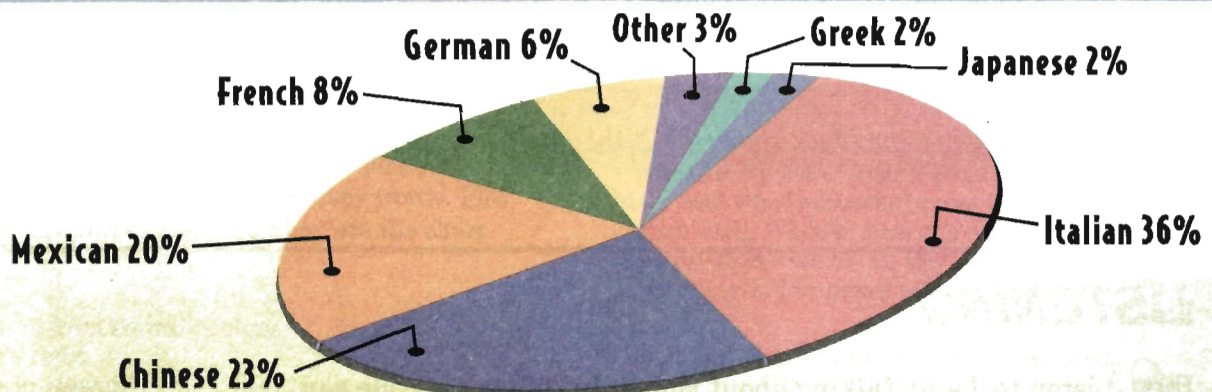
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May I take your order, please?

1 SNAPSHOT

Favorite Kinds of Ethnic Foods in the United States

Percentage of people preferring each kind of food



Source: National Restaurant Association

Talk about these questions.

Are there restaurants in your city that serve these kinds of foods?
Which of the foods have you tried? Which would you like to try?
What other kinds of foods do you like?

2 CONVERSATION Going out for dinner

A Listen and practice.

Sandy: Say, do you want to go out to dinner tonight?

Bob: Sure. Where would you like to go?

Sandy: Well, what do you think of Indian food?

Bob: I love it, but I'm not really in the mood for it today.

Sandy: Yeah. I'm not either, I guess. It's a bit spicy.

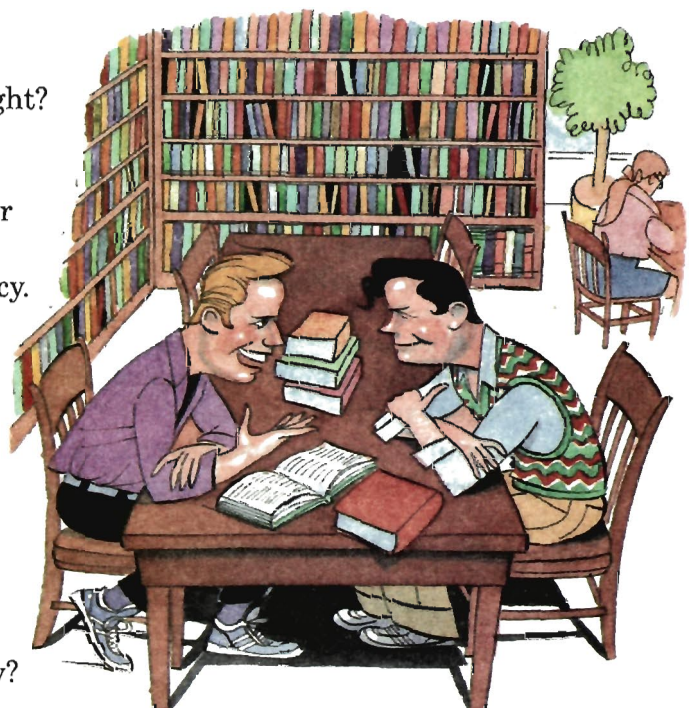
Bob: Hmm. How do you like Japanese food?

Sandy: Oh, I like it a lot.

Bob: I do, too. And I know a nice Japanese restaurant near here – it's called Iroha.

Sandy: Oh, I've always wanted to go there.

Bob: Terrific! Let's go!



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B Listen to the rest of the conversation.

1. What time do they decide to have dinner? Why?
2. Where do they decide to meet?

3 GRAMMAR FOCUS

So, too, neither, either

I like Japanese food a lot.
So do I. / I do, **too**.
 Really? I don't like it very much.
 I'm crazy about dessert.
So am I. / I am, **too**.
 Oh, I'm not at all.
 I can eat really spicy food.
So can I. / I can, **too**.
 Oh, I can't.

I don't like greasy food.
Neither do I. / I don't **either**.
 Oh, I like it a lot.
 I'm not in the mood for Indian food.
Neither am I. / I'm not **either**.
 Really? I am.
 I can't stand fast food.
Neither can I. / I can't **either**.
 Oh, I love it!



healthy

greasy

salty

rich

spicy

delicious

bland

A Write responses to show agreement with these statements.
 Then compare with a partner.

1. I'm not crazy about French food.
2. I can eat any kind of food.
3. I think Mexican food is delicious.
4. I can't stand greasy food.
5. I don't like salty food.
6. I'm in the mood for something spicy.
7. I'm crazy about Korean food.
8. I don't enjoy rich food very much.
9. I always eat healthy food.
10. I can't eat bland food.

B Pair work Take turns responding to the statements in part A again.
 Give your own opinion when responding.

C Write statements about these things. (You will use the statements
 in Exercise 4.)

1. two kinds of food you like
2. two kinds of food you can't stand
3. two kinds of food you are in the mood for

4 PRONUNCIATION *Stress in responses*

A  Listen and practice. The last word of each response is usually stressed.

So do **Í**. I do, **tóo**. Neither am **Í**. I'm not **éither**.
 Neither do **Í**. I don't **éither**. So can **Í**. I can, **tóo**.
 So am **Í**. I am, **tóo**. Neither can **Í**. I can't **éither**.

B Pair work Take turns reading the statements you wrote in part C of Exercise 3. Pay attention to the stress in your responses.

A: I don't really like greasy food.

B: I don't **éither**. (Neither do **Í**.) It's not very healthy.

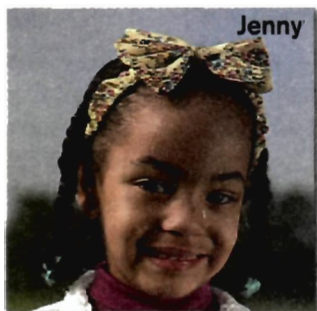
5 WORD POWER *Restaurant orders*

A Pair work Complete the chart with words from the list. Then add two more words to each category. What's your favorite food in each category?

apple pie cold pasta salad chicken broth chocolate cake coffee
 cole slaw onion soup grilled salmon hamburger & fries ice cream
 iced tea milk mixed greens roast turkey clam chowder

Soups	Salads	Main dishes	Desserts	Beverages
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B What foods do you think these people like best? Use items from the chart above or your own ideas.



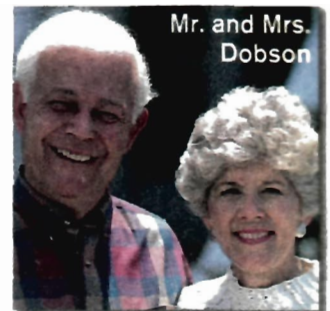
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3.



4.

C  Listen to each of the people above talking about their favorite foods and take notes. How similar were your guesses?

6 CONVERSATION *Ordering a meal*

 Listen and practice.

Waiter: May I take your order?
 Customer: Yes. I'd like a hamburger and a large order of french fries, please.
 Waiter: All right. And would you like a salad?
 Customer: Yes, I'll have a mixed green salad.
 Waiter: OK. What kind of dressing would you like? We have vinaigrette, Italian, and French.
 Customer: Italian, please.
 Waiter: And would you like anything to drink?
 Customer: Yes, I'd like a large soda, please.



7 GRAMMAR FOCUS

Modal verbs *would* and *will* for requests

What would you like to eat?	I'd like a hamburger. I'll have a small salad.
What kind of dressing would you like?	I'd like Italian, please. I'll have French.
What would you like to drink?	I'd like a large soda. I'll have coffee.
Would you like anything else?	Yes, please. I'd like some water. No, thank you. That will be all.

Contractions

I will = I'll
 I would = I'd

Complete this conversation. Then practice with a partner.

Waitress: What you like to order?
 Customer: I have the fried chicken.
 Waitress: you like rice or potatoes?
 Customer: Potatoes, please.
 Waitress: What kind of potatoes would you ?
 Mashed, baked, or french fries?
 Customer: I like french fries.
 Waitress: OK. And what will you to drink?
 Customer: I guess I have a cup of coffee.
 Waitress: Would you anything else?
 Customer: No, that be all for now, thanks.

Later

Waitress: Would you dessert?
 Customer: Yes, I like ice cream.
 Waitress: What flavor you like?
 Customer: Hmm. I have chocolate, please.
 Waitress: OK. I'll bring it right away.



8 ROLE PLAY In a coffee shop

Student A: You are a customer in a coffee shop.
This is what you want to order for lunch:

tomato and cucumber salad	garlic bread
spaghetti and meatballs	iced tea with lemon

Student B: You are the waiter or waitress.
Take your customer's order.

Change roles and try the role play again. Make up your own information.



9 LISTENING

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A Listen to Tom and Tina ordering in a restaurant. What did each of them order? Fill in their orders.

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B Listen to the rest of the conversation. What happened?

Phil's Diner

No. 399825

Date _____

Thank You!

Total _____

10 WRITING Restaurant reviews

A Have you eaten out at a restaurant recently? How was it? Write a review of the restaurant and the meal you had there.

The Surf and Turf Restaurant

I had lunch at the Surf and Turf Restaurant last week. It's a steak and seafood restaurant. I ordered a steak and a Caesar salad. For dessert, I had chocolate cake and coffee. My meal cost about \$24 with the tip.

The waiter was helpful. The coffee wasn't very good, but the salad and steak were delicious. I'd go back to the Surf and Turf.

B Group work Take turns reading your reviews to the group. Is there a restaurant you would like to try?

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Are you ready to order?

Have lunch at The Corner Cafe. Student A turns to page IC-17. Students B and C turn to page IC-18.

11 READING

To Tip or Not to Tip?

Do you tip for services in your country? When?



Canadians and Americans usually tip in places like restaurants, airports, hotels, and hair salons because many people who work in these places get low salaries. A tip shows that the customer is pleased with the service.

At airports, porters usually get a dollar tip for each bag. Hotel bellhops usually get a dollar for carrying one or two suitcases. A hotel door attendant or parking valet also gets about a dollar for getting a taxi or for parking a car. Many people also tip hotel room attendants, especially when they stay in a hotel for several days. They usually leave a dollar for each day.

The usual tip for other kinds of services – for example, for taxi drivers, barbers, hairdressers, waiters, and waitresses – is between 10 and 20 percent of the bill. The size of the tip depends on how pleased the customer is. In most restaurants, the check does not include a service charge. If the group is large, however, there may be an added service charge. There is no tipping in cafeterias or fast-food restaurants.

A Pair work Read the article. Then talk about these questions.

- How much should you tip someone in North America who:
 - takes your bag at an airport?
 - parks your car at a hotel or restaurant?
 - serves you in a fast-food restaurant?
- What tip should you leave for the following:
 - a \$27 haircut?
 - a \$50 restaurant check?
 - a \$14 taxi fare?

B Group work Do you think tipping is a good or bad custom? Why?