

File Test 9

Grammar, Vocabulary, and Pronunciation B

GRAMMAR

1 Choose the correct word or phrase.

Example: How much tea does your dad drink? a) **A lot** b) **A lot of**. a

- 1 Bethany buys **a) many b) a lot of** vegetables. She's very healthy.
- 2 My wife doesn't have **a) much b) many** free time. She works very hard.
- 3 We weren't hungry so we didn't eat **a) any b) no** breakfast.
- 4 Put **a) a few b) a little** pepper in the omelette.
- 5 How **a) much b) many** spoons of sugar do you have in your coffee?
- 6 Can you buy some rice? There's **a) any b) none** in the cupboard.

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2 Complete the sentences with the comparative form of the adjective in brackets.

Example: It's colder (cold) in winter than in autumn.

- 1 She's _____ (tired) in her new job than in her old job.
- 2 It's _____ (hot) in Italy than in the UK.
- 3 Antonella's a _____ (good) musician than her brother.
- 4 Her tablet is _____ (expensive) than mine.
- 5 Gerry's a _____ (bad) cook than Peter.
- 6 Fruit is _____ (healthy) than fast food.
- 7 I think cities are _____ (interesting) than villages.
- 8 Swimming in a pool is _____ (safe) than swimming in the sea.

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3 Complete the sentences with **a, an, some, or any**.

Example: He's a vegetarian. He doesn't want any meat.

- 1 There's _____ apple in my bag.
- 2 'I'm hungry.' 'Do you want _____ biscuit?'
- 3 Let's cook _____ rice this evening.
- 4 'Can I have a sandwich, please?' 'Sorry. There isn't _____ bread.'
- 5 There are _____ carrots in the fridge.
- 6 Are there _____ sweets in the cupboard?

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VOCABULARY

4 Write the words in the correct places.

fruit juice	strawberries	onions	pineapples
mineral water	oranges	lettuce	peppers
coffee			

Fruit

oranges

1 _____

2 _____

Vegetables

3 _____

4 _____

5 _____

Drinks

6 _____

7 _____

8 _____

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5 Tick (✓) the correct word.

Example: a **box** ☒ **can** ☐ of cereal1 a **jar** ☐ **bottle** ☐ of jam2 a **carton** ☐ **can** ☐ of fizzy drink3 a **packet** ☐ **tin** ☐ of crisps4 a **bottle** ☐ **packet** ☐ of fresh milk5 a **tin** ☐ **carton** ☐ of tuna6 a **carton** ☐ **jar** ☐ of pineapple juice

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6 Write the numbers as words.

Example: 999 nine hundred and ninety-nine

1 200,000 _____

2 132 _____

3 7,450 _____

4 21,000,000 _____

5 37,200 _____

6 1,005 _____

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Vocabulary total 20

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PRONUNCIATION

7 Which is the stressed syllable? Tick (✓) 1, 2, or 3.

Example: thou|sand 1 ☒ 2 ☐

1 po|ta|toes 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐

2 car|ton 1 ☐ 2 ☐

3 con|tai|ner 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐

4 mill|ion 1 ☐ 2 ☐

5 hun|dred 1 ☐ 2 ☐

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8 Match the words with the same sound.

egg	pasta	crisps	cake	mushroom
cheese				

Example: meat *cheese*

1 steak _____

2 butter _____

3 bread _____

4 sugar _____

5 olive oil _____

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Reading and Writing B

READING

1 Read the text and tick (✓) A, B, or C.

Our class – the food we eat and when we eat it

The students in our English class are from three different countries: Italy, Japan and Brazil. After talking about typical food and our daily routines at home, we found that we all have breakfast, lunch and dinner. But we were surprised about how different these meals are!

Italy

A typical Italian breakfast, or *pranzo*, isn't very big; just coffee and some kind of cake. Our delicious cappuccino coffee is famous all over the world. Another Italian food that everybody knows is pasta, but this isn't the main part of lunch. We have two dishes: the first is pasta and then the second is meat or fish with vegetables. Lunch is usually from 1—3 p.m. and it's often bigger than dinner which starts at 7 or 8 p.m.

Japan

In Japan we really like rice and in the past everybody ate it for breakfast. Now, a lot of Japanese people have European-style food instead when they get up. We are big fans of fish and seafood, and a lot of Japanese people prefer green tea to coffee. In general, our meals are smaller than in Brazil or Italy and we think they're healthier too. One popular thing in Japan is *bento*. This is a kind of lunch box which you can make at home or buy at the shop on the way to the office. It's very beautiful and sometimes takes a long time for a chef to make it.

Brazil

Like Italians, Brazilian people eat a lot of food at lunchtime. A favourite place for lunch in Brazil is called a *churrascaria*. In this kind of restaurant, you can enjoy steak and other meat, but you need to be hungry! If you don't like eating a large lunch, you can buy some street food like *pastel de queijo*, which is a hot snack with cheese inside. We have dinner later than the Italians at around 8.30 p.m. and it's family time.

Example: All the students eat 3 meals a day at home.

A True ☒ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

- 1 Italian people eat a lot of food for breakfast.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
- 2 They don't usually eat pasta for dinner.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
- 3 Dinner is a smaller meal than lunch in Italy.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
- 4 Italian meals are healthier than Japanese meals.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
- 5 You can get a *bento* lunch box when you're travelling to work.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

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6 Brazilian and Italian people like small lunches.

A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

7 *Pastel de queijo* is expensive food.

A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

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2 Read the text again. Tick (✓) the correct answer.

Example: Breakfast, lunch and dinner are **the same** ☐ **different** ☒ in the 3 countries.

1 People in Italy ☐ **all over the world** ☐ know about Italian coffee and pasta.

2 Lunch in Italy usually finishes at **3 p.m.** ☐ **7 p.m.** ☐.

3 For breakfast, most Japanese people have food from **their country** ☐ **Europe** ☐.

4 Japanese meals are **smaller than** ☐ **the same as** ☐ Brazilian meals.

5 *Bento* is something you have for **dinner** ☐ **lunch** ☐.

6 People get *pastel de queijo* **in a restaurant** ☐ **outside** ☐.

7 Brazilian people have dinner with their **friends** ☐ **family** ☐.

8 Dinner in Italy starts **before** ☐ **after** ☐ dinner in Brazil.

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WRITING

Describe the meals in your country. Answer these questions, then write a text. (75–100 words)

1 What meals do people have? When do they have their meals?

2 What do people usually have for breakfast / lunch / dinner?

3 What types of food / drink are popular in your country?

4 Where do people shop for food?

5 Do people often eat out in restaurants?

We usually have ... meals a day in my country: ...

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Listening and Speaking B

LISTENING

1 Listen to three people discussing a food quiz. Tick (✓) A or B.

- 1 Joseph and Pippa are language students.
A True ☐ B False ☐
- 2 Orange juice has more sugar than apple juice.
A True ☐ B False ☐
- 3 Bread with 'wholemeal' on the packet is better than brown bread.
A True ☐ B False ☐
- 4 Britta and Poppy think that fresh vegetables taste nicer than vegetables in tins.
A True ☐ B False ☐
- 5 Italian food is more difficult to cook than Indian food.
A True ☐ B False ☐

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2 Listen to five conversations between two friends who are talking about cooking. Tick (✓) A or B.

- 1 Suzanne's first cake was _____.
A good ☐ B bad ☐
- 2 They need to buy some _____.
A butter ☐ B oil ☐
- 3 The friends need to buy _____.
A a few ingredients ☐ B one ingredient ☐
- 4 Suzanne adds _____ milk to the cake.
A a lot of ☐ B a little ☐
- 5 Frankie didn't eat his birthday cake because _____.
A he can't eat sugar ☐ B he didn't like it ☐

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Listening total		10
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SPEAKING

1 Answer your partner's questions.

Now ask your partner these food and drink questions.

- 1 What time do you usually have meals at the weekend?
- 2 Do you enjoy cooking? Why? Why not?
- 3 What's your favourite meal? Why?
- 4 Do you think your diet is healthy? Why? Why not?
- 5 How often do you eat in restaurants?

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Listening and Speaking B**2 Ask your partner about what Georgina ate and drank on Sunday.**

How much / How many ... ?

- coffee / drink • bananas / eat
- chocolate / eat • water / drink
- eggs / eat • tea / drink
- cola / drink • packets of crisps / eat

3 Read Viktor's food diary and answer your partner's questions.**Viktor's food diary**Sunday

cola	1 can
sandwiches	3
coffee	X
water	2 glasses
oranges	1
coffee	1 cup
biscuits	5
apples	X

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