**«The English Food»**

For breakfast English people often have porridge with milk and sugar. They don’t eat much bread. They usually have toasts. They enjoy drinking strong tea with milk.

At one o’clock English people have lunch. They usually have lunch in a restaurant or a cafe.

On a warm sunny day you can see people under the trees on the grass eating their sandwiches.

English people don’t eat much soup. There is only one kind of soup on the menu: onion, tomato or mushroom. For the main course they have fish, steak or roast beef with vegetables: carrots, cabbages, beans or potatoes.

Five o’clock tea is a national habit. English people have tea with biscuits, apple pie, fruit or fruit salad or sandwiches. At about seven or eight o’clock they have dinner or supper. It can be soup, sometimes meat and vegetables, macaroni (pasta) and cheese.

The English people drink little coffee. Tea is their favourite drink.

Vocabulary (Λεξιλόγιο)

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| Porridge | Χυλός | Toast | Φρυγανισμένο ψωμί |
| Onion | Κρεμμύδι | Main course | Κυρίως πιάτο |
| Cabbage | Λάχανο | Beans | Φασόλια |
| Supper | Ελαφρύ δείπνο | Pasta | Ζυμαρικά |

Exercises

*1. Read the text and decide if the sentences are True or False.*

a. The English eat a lot of bread. \_\_\_\_

b. On warm days they enjoy their lunch at parks. \_\_\_\_

c. Soup isn’t one of their favourite courses. \_\_\_\_

d. Five o’clock tea is a habit only in London. \_\_\_\_

e. The English love coffee. \_\_\_\_

*2. Find 10 food nouns and write them in the correct column, as in the example.*

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| Countable nouns | Uncountable nouns |
| 0. Onion | 0. Soup |
| 1. | 1. |
| 2. | 2. |
| 3. | 3. |
| 4. | 4. |
| 5. | 5. |

*3. Use a/an or some:*

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| 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_ money  2. \_\_\_\_\_\_ pond  3. \_\_\_\_\_\_ cup of tea  4. \_\_\_\_\_\_ sugar  5. \_\_\_\_\_\_ bar of chocolate  6. \_\_\_\_\_\_ ice-cream  7. \_\_\_\_\_\_ rice | 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_ coffee  9. \_\_\_\_\_\_ cake  10. \_\_\_\_\_\_ eggs  11. \_\_\_\_\_\_ orange  12. \_\_\_\_\_\_ apple  13. \_\_\_\_\_\_ salt  14. \_\_\_\_\_\_ glass of water |

*4. Ask questions using* ***how much*** *or* ***how many*** *as in the examples*

**How much** + uncountable noun E.g. How much ham?

**How many** + countable noun E.g.: How many sausages?

1. (eggs ) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

2. (meat) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

3. (jam) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

4. (people) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

5. (flour) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

*5. Complete with* ***how much*** *or* ***how many****.*

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sandwiches have you got?

2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ milk is there in the fridge?

3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ time do you need?

4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ fruit can you see on the table?

5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ friends have you got?

*6. Fill in* ***little*** *or* ***few****.*

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| 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ lemonade | 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ men | 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ milk |
| 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sweets | 5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ women | 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ money |
| 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ friends | 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ houses | 9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ snow |

*7. Choose the correct item.*

1. Have you got \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ friends?

A) many B) much C) a lot of

2. There are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ people in the room.

A) much B) a little C) a lot of

3. Can I have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sugar, please?

A) a few B) a little C) little

4. How \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ oranges are on the table?

A) many B) a few C) much

5 How \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ money has Fred got?

A) many B) little C) much

6. There are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ monkeys at the zoo.

A) much B) a few C) a little.