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Working at the restaurant

Englisch-Aufgaben aus dem
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This is Isabel. She likes cooking and baking. With her grandma she learned how to prepare simple, but delicious meals.

On weekends, she often bakes nice sweet cakes with her granny. Grandma's apple pie is Isabel's favourite cake.

Now Isabel has started her internship in a restaurant. The head cook Mr. Pumpernickel comes from Great Britain. Isabel is

very excited because Mr. Pumpernickel doesn't understand German. That's why Isabel has to speak English with him.

- 1** Help Isabel to translate the words of the kitchen equipment.
If you are not sure, you can use the words from the box.



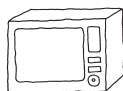




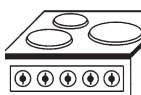


















toaster – spoon – frying pan – oven – bowl – cup – saucer – saucepan
– hotplate – plate – fork – coffee maker – knife – microwave – tea spoon

2 There are lots of activities in a kitchen. Match the German and English phrases.

das Essen kochen

das Fleisch braten

das Geschirr waschen

das Gemüse putzen

den Teig zubereiten

die Zutaten vermengen

das Mehl sieben

den Teig glattstreichen

das Wasser kochen

die Eier zugeben

to add the eggs

to smooth the dough

to blend the ingredients

to fry the meat

to clean the vegetables

to cook the meal

to wash the dishes

to prepare the dough

to sieve the flour

to boil the water

3 There are only a few people in the restaurant who speak English and Mr. Pumpernickel is glad that he can talk to Isabel. And Isabel is happy that the British cook understands her. One day a Chinese guest asks for the recipe of the cheese soup. He doesn't speak German, but he speaks English. Write down how to prepare the soup. Write complete sentences.

What you need:

500 g minced meat

6 leeks

2 onions

1,5 l water

6 stock cubes

1 tin mushrooms

300 g processed cheese

What to do:

- minced meat: fry – big saucepan

- leek: wash – cut – small pieces

- onions: cut – small cubes

- leek, onions: add – minced meat

- water: fill in – add – stock cubes, mushrooms

- everything: stir

- soup: boil – 10 minutes

- cheese: put – into soup – stir – boil for another 2 minutes

hotplate – barbecue – cook – oven – saucepan – microwave – stir

- 5 Mr. Pumpernickel asks Isabel for an old family recipe of a cake. A travel group is going to come to the restaurant tomorrow for coffee and they have to bake a pie for this event. Isabel helps with grandma's apple pie recipe. Here is the recipe in German. Help Isabel to translate it into English. Write down "What you need" and "What to do".**

250 g Butter	}	→ verrühren
150 g Zucker		
4 Eier		
250 g Mehl	}	→ dazu geben und verrühren, in Kuchenform füllen
1 Päckchen Backpulver		
6 Äpfel	→	schälen, in Stücke schneiden und in den Teig drücken
Kuchen	→	20 min. bei 175°C backen, abkühlen lassen

What you need:	What to do:

6 The waiter needs Isabel's help. An Australian guest doesn't understand the menu and the waiter's English isn't good enough to translate. Talk to the guest and help him choose his meal. **Note:** You don't have to know all dishes, you can also explain them.

Isabel: Good evening, Sir. How can I help you?

Guest: I have got some problems with your menu, I'm afraid. Could you tell me what "Hähnchengeschnetzeltes" is?

Isabel: _____

Guest: And Rösti?

Isabel: _____

Guest: Which side dish would you recommend with the spinach casserole?

Isabel: _____

Guest: And what are "grüne Tomaten"? Green tomatoes? How are they prepared?

Isabel: _____

Guest: Well, thanks for your help. I will take those fried green tomatoes as a starter. For the main course, I would like to eat the "Hähnchengeschnetzeltes". And please bring me the "Rösti", they seem to be a good side dish.

Isabel: _____

Guest: Yes, I'd like to taste the "Mini-Käsekuchen". And I'd like to drink a dry white wine, please.

Isabel: Thanks for your order.

Speisekarte
Vorspeisen
Krabbencocktail mit Salaten der Saison
Gebratene grüne Tomaten
Kalbsragout
Hauptspeisen
Schwertfisch mit gewürfelten Zucchini
Zartes Rumpsteak (250 g) mit Beilage und kleinem Salat
Hähnchengeschnetzeltes mit frischem Rosenkohl
Spinatauflauf
Beilagen
Ofenkartoffel
Reis
Rösti
Nachtsch
Apfelstrudel mit Vanilleeis
Drei Mini-Käsekuchen
Schokoladenmousse mit Orangensauce

7 Translate the whole menu. Design a menu card and write everything down. Use your menu and play a role play with your classmates. Some of you are waiters, some are guests. Then change roles.

Uncountable nouns

Achtung! Viele Lebensmittel, z. B. cheese, bread, butter, milk, ... sind im Englischen **nicht zählbar**.

Um diese Wörter mit dem unbestimmten Artikel **a/an** bzw. mit Zahlwörtern und Mengenangaben zu benutzen, müssen wir daher ein **zählbares Nomen** und die Präposition **„of“** hinzufügen:

Beispiel: a pound/litre/kilo **of** ... (butter, meat, milk)
two pieces/slices **of** ... (butter, cheese)

Match the elements and write down full sentences.

Example: Alice buys a bottle of lemonade.



of

bacon
bread
meat
mustard
tomato puree
milk
ice-cream
lemonade
cheese
chocolate

Rule

Exercise

At the restaurant: Some help for you & Answers

Exercise 1

Use a dictionary or a pictorial dictionary for the translations.
You can also talk to your classmates.

Some help
for you

Exercise 2

Here are some of the answers for you:

das Essen kochen = to cook the meal

das Fleisch braten = to fry the meat

das Geschirr waschen = to wash the dishes

das Gemüse putzen = to clean the vegetables

Exercise 3

For the soup you need ...

Fry the minced meat in a _____. Then wash the _____ and cut it into
_____. Cut _____ into small cubes. Add the leek and
_____ to the minced meat. Then _____ the water
and _____ the stock cubes and _____. Stir _____.
Let _____ boil for 10 minutes. Then put _____ into the
soup, _____ it, and let it _____ for another 2 minutes.

Exercise 5

What to do:

Put the butter, sugar, and eggs into a ...

Then add the ...

Fill the dough ...

After that pare the apples and press ...

Bake the pie ...

Exercise 7

Use a dictionary and talk to your classmates. You will also find menus of many
restaurants in the internet which you can read. Read the conversation between
Isabel and the Australian guest. You will find some of the terms
you need in it.

Answers

Exercise 1

Teelöffel	tea spoon	Tasse	cup	Ofen	oven
Löffel	spoon	Untertasse	saucer	Herdplatte	hotplate
Messer	knife	Kochtopf	saucepan	Toaster	toaster
Gabel	fork	Pfanne	frying pan	Kaffee- maschine	coffee maker
Teller	plate	Schüssel	bowl	Mikrowelle	microwave

Exercise 2

das Essen kochen	to add the eggs
das Fleisch braten	to smooth the dough
das Geschirr waschen	to blend the ingredients
das Gemüse putzen	to fry the meat
den Teig zubereiten	to clean the vegetables
die Zutaten vermengen	to cook the meal
das Mehl sieben	to wash the dishes
den Teig glattstreichen	to prepare the dough
das Wasser kochen	to sieve the flour
die Eier zugeben	to boil the water

Exercise 3

Fry the minced meat in a big saucepan. Then wash the leek and cut it into small pieces. Cut the onions into small cubes. Add the leek and the onions to the minced meat. Then fill in the water and add the stock cubes and the mushrooms. Stir everything. Let the soup boil for 10 minutes. Then put the cheese into the soup, stir it, and let it boil for another 2 minutes.

Exercise 4

1. cook
2. microwave
3. hotplate/oven
4. stir/frying pan
5. barbecue

Exercise 5

What you need:

- 250 g butter
- 150 g sugar
- 4 eggs
- 250 g flour
- 1 package of baking powder
- 6 apples

What to do:

- Put the butter, sugar and eggs into a bowl and stir everything.
 - Then add the flour and the baking powder and stir until you have a smooth dough.
 - Fill the dough into a pie tin.
 - After that, pare the apples and cut them into pieces.
 - Press the pieces into the dough.
 - Bake 20 minutes at 175°C.
 - Take the pie out of the oven and let it cool.
- Then you can take it out of the pie tin.

Exercise 6

- (1) "Hähnchengeschnetzeltes" is chicken which is cut into strips, fried in a pan and served in a sauce. Our "Geschnetzeltes" is served in a cream sauce with onions, a bit of bacon and fresh herbs.
- (2) "Rösti" are very small potato slices that are fried. They look like small triangles. I think they are called "hash browns" in English.
- (3) With the spinach casserole I could recommend the "Rösti" or the baked potato.
- (4) Yes, Sir, "grüne Tomaten" are green tomatoes. They are fried and really delicious.
- (5) Would you like to choose a dessert as well?

Answers

Exercise 7

Menu	
Starters	
Shrimps cocktail with seasonal salads	
Fried green tomatoes	
Ragout of veal	
Main courses	
Swordfish with diced courgettes	
Tender rump steak (250 g) with one side dish and a small salad	
Chicken strips in cream sauce with fresh Brussels sprouts	
Side dishes	
Baked potato	
Rice	
Hash browns	
Dessert	
Apple strudel with vanilla ice-cream	
Three small cheesecakes	
Chocolate mousse with orange sauce	

I have seen a tube of mustard in the fridge.
Could you bring a loaf of bread for the next breakfast?
For the recipe we need a small can of tomato puree.
There is a bottle of milk on the table.
Please buy three tubs of ice-cream when you go to the supermarket.
Would you give me a glass of lemonade?
Annie always eats two slices of bacon.
There is only one bar of chocolate in the drawer.
I would like to have one kilo of meat and 500 grams of cheese, please.

Answers:
Rules and exercises