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EA15. Food and Drink Preferences

Student Name: _____ Student ID Number: _____

Instructor: _____ Level: _____ Date: _____

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Section 1: Introduction

When you go out to eat for breakfast, has your server ever asked you, “How do you want your eggs?” The server is asking you how you like your eggs cooked. There are actually many different ways that you can order your eggs. In this SDLA, you’ll learn about food and drink preferences. A preference is a greater liking for one alternative over another or others. You’ll learn how to order eggs, coffee, and steak the way you like it. To get started, you’ll need to [open the “Food and Drink Preferences” PowerPoint presentation, or watch the video that goes with this SDLA.](#)

Section 2: Egg Preferences

[Use the PowerPoint or refer to the video](#) to answer the following questions about eggs.

1. What are the three parts of an egg? _____
2. What does it mean when eggs are “runny”? Do you like your eggs runny? _____
3. What type of eggs do each of the following pictures show?



4. After looking at all the different ways to order your eggs at restaurant, how do you think you will order your eggs the next time you go out to eat?





Section 3: Steak Preferences

[Use the PowerPoint or refer to the video](#) to answer the following questions about your steak preferences.

1. What does it mean to sear a steak? What does it mean to broil a steak? _____

2. Look at the images below and label the different degrees of steak doneness.



Searred on the outside, completely red throughout



Searred outside with 25% pink showing inside



Searred outside and still red 75% through the center



Mostly brown, with a slight hint of pink



Searred outside with 50% red center



Broiled until 100% brown

3. How do you like your steak cooked? _____





Section 4: Coffee Preferences

[Use the PowerPoint or refer to the video](#) to answer the questions about coffee preferences.

1. What are the 4 things you should know when you order coffee?

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

d. _____

2. What is decaf coffee?

3. How do you ask for cold coffee?

4. What is one example of the following:

a. Milk: _____

b. Cream: _____

c. Sugar: _____





5. How do you like your coffee?





Section 4: Student Self-Assessment

Complete this table BEFORE meeting with a tutor.

Communication Skill	I can't do this YET. 	I can do this WITH help. 	I can do this WITHOUT help. 	I can TEACH this to a classmate. 
I can talk about the different ways to cook eggs and express my preferences.				
I can talk about the different ways to cook steak and express my preferences.				
I can order coffee based on my preferences.				
Here are some words I need to practice.				

Good Job!

Now make an appointment

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www.mtsac.edu/llc/passportrewards/llctutoring








Section 5: Practice with a Tutor!

Meet with a tutor, and share this activity with the tutor. Be prepared to talk about your answers in this SDLA. You will do a restaurant roleplay with the tutor to make sure you know how to order eggs, steak, and coffee the way you like them. You may also ask the tutor any questions that you might have.

Grading Rubric

Possible Points	Need Practice  (0-1 Point)	Good Job  (2-3 Points)	Excellent Work  (4-5 Points)
Content	Not enough information provided in responses and often does not use correct vocabulary.	Provides most important information in responses and some of the time uses correct vocabulary.	Provides all necessary information in responses and most of the time uses correct vocabulary.
Skill: Speaking	More than 6 mistakes saying words; needs guessing more than 3 times.	Not more than 5 mistakes saying words; needs guessing on 1-2 words or sentences.	Not more than 2 mistakes saying words; needs no guess about meaning.
Oral Fluency	Speaks mostly in phrases, individual words; many pauses.	Sometimes speaks in complete sentences; several pauses.	Speaks in complete sentences; a couple pauses okay.

*Students must receive at least 10 points to move on

Possible Points: _____ / 15

Tutor Comments:

Congratulations! Keep going.

You have successfully completed this SDLA and are ready to continue to the next.

Work on this more.

You have not yet mastered this SDLA. It is recommended that you complete it again.

Tutor Signature: _____

Date: _____

