

Restaurant menu vocabulary and ordering food conversation

Restaurant menu vocabulary

APPETIZERS

- fruit cup/ fruit cocktail
- tomato juice
- shrimp cocktail
- chicken wings
- nachos
- potato skins

SALADS

- tossed salad/ garden salad
- Greek salad
- spinach salad
- antipasto (plate)
- Caesar salad

ENTREES

- meatloaf
- roast beef/ prime rib
- baked chicken
- broiled fish
- spaghetti and meatballs
- veal cutlet

SIDE DISHES

- a baked potato
- mashed potatoes
- french fries
- rice
- noodles
- mixed vegetables

DESSERTS

- chocolate cake
- apple pie
- ice cream
- jello
- pudding
- ice cream sundae

Conversation about ordering food in a restaurant between 2 people

A. May I take your order?

B. Yes, please. For the appetizer, I'd like the _____. Use numbers 1 to 6

A. And what kind of salad would you like? "_____?"

B. I'll have the _____. Use numbers 7 to 11

A. And for the main course?

B. I'd like the _____, please. Use numbers 12 to 17

A. What side dish would you like with that?

B. Hmm. I think I'll have _____. Use numbers 18 to 23

Ordering dessert

A. Would you care for some dessert?

B. Yes. I'll have _____ use numbers 24 to 28

A. Would you care for some dessert?

B. Yes. I'll have an _____ use number 29

Exercise. Answer these questions food in a restaurant where you live

1. Tell about a restaurant you know.
2. What's on the menu?
3. What are some typical foods on the menus of restaurants in your country?