

7c | Fussy eaters

SPEAKING & VOCABULARY: describing food

1 Work in pairs. What do you think of these dishes?

What do you think of sushi?

I like it. / I hate it. / I think it's ... I don't know it.

curry



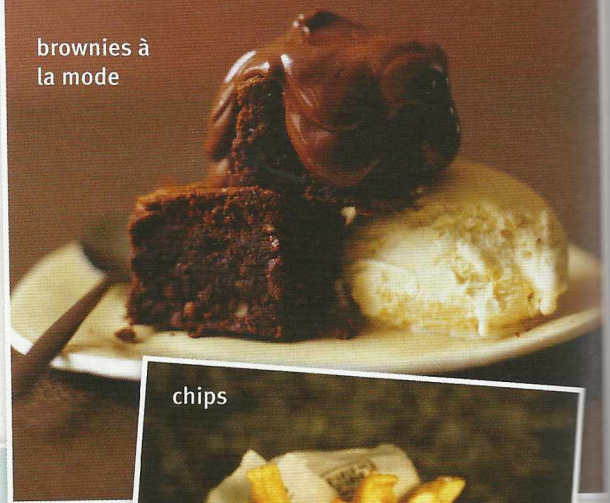
spinach



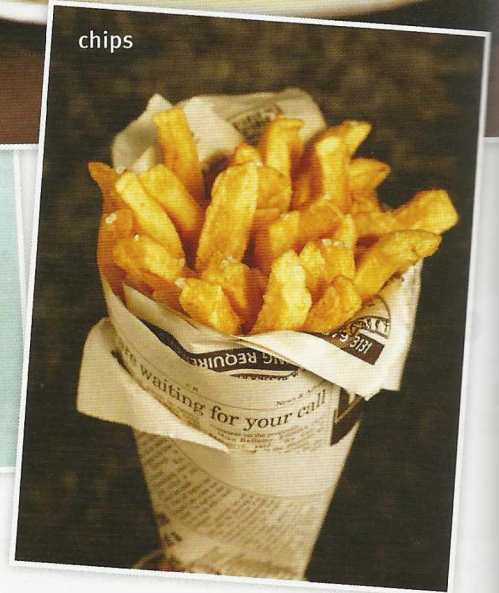
sushi



brownies à la mode



chips



2 2.16 Listen and match the adjectives to the dishes in exercise 1. Say the words. What are these words in your language?

salty spicy sweet raw cooked hot cold

3 Work in groups. Find someone who ...

- likes spicy food.
- doesn't like raw vegetables.
- likes sweet coffee.
- likes cold soups.
- always eats cooked vegetables.
- doesn't eat salty food.

Do you like spicy food? Yes, I do. No, I don't.

LISTENING

1 Read the definition of a fussy eater. Do you know a fussy eater? Who is it? Why?

A fussy eater is a person who eats only some types of food. They don't like trying new food.

My brother is a fussy eater. He doesn't eat vegetables or fruit.

2 2.17 Listen to four dialogues. Put the food and drink words in the order you hear them. There are three extra words.

burgers rice pasta fish wine
beer cake vegetable soup

3 2.17 Listen again and decide if the sentences are true (T) or false (F). Correct the false sentences.

- 1 The woman is a fussy eater.
- 2 The woman's brother is a fussy eater.
- 3 The man likes the wine.
- 4 The woman doesn't want the cake.
- 5 The boyfriend can only eat salty foods.

4 Work in pairs. Discuss these questions.

- What foods don't you like?
- Are you a fussy eater?

GRAMMAR: too

Too + adjective means 'more than we want'
It's **too spicy**.

Too + adjective and *very* + adjective are different.
The tea was **too hot**. I couldn't drink it.
The tea was **very hot**, but I could drink it.


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1 Match the sentences in column A to the sentences in column B.


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| <p>A</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 There's a lot of sugar in this coffee. 2 I can't eat Mexican food. 3 We can't move in this kitchen. 4 Our baby needs to eat more. 5 He can't reach the shelf. 6 The film started ten minutes ago. | <p>B</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a You're too late. b He's too short. c It's too small. d It's too spicy. e It's too sweet. f He's too thin. |
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2 Rearrange the words to make sentences.

- 1 in too it's here hot .
- 2 tired very not I'm .
- 3 easy too this is class .
- 4 very food is expensive in country my .
- 5 too for me chocolate is sweet .
- 6 cloudy it's today very .

3  2.18 Listen to the recording to check your answers. Repeat if it's true for you.

SPEAKING

1  2.19 Read and listen to the dialogue.

Man: Excuse me, waiter?

Waiter: Yes sir?

Man: I can't eat this soup. It's too cold.

Waiter: I'm sorry, sir.

Man: I hate cold soup!

2 Match the dialogue to one of the pictures A–C.

3 Work in pairs. Choose one of the other pictures. Write a similar dialogue.

4 Present your dialogue to another pair.

