**DINING OUT Bucket List**

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| When you eat soup you should scoop away from you and tip it into your mouth. Don’t blow on it to cool it down. Instead scoop from the outer edges. | If you want ice cream with your pie, you will need to tell the server you would like your dessert “a la mode.” | The person who clears the table is called the “bus boy” or in a fancy restaurant is called a table “attendant.” |
| A valet will park your car. Plan to tip them $5.00. | Your main dish is called an entrée. | Your waiter/waitress will take your order. |
| A coat check will hang your coat. Remember to tip them a couple of dollars for it. | The person that greets you and gets you to your seat is called a host/hostess. | Each consecutive part of a meal is called a course. A typical fancy meal will have 5-7 courses. |
| Gratuity is another name for tip. A tip is given to those who serve you in a restaurant and should be 15% of your bill. | Appetizers come at the beginning of a meal and are served to prepare the stomach for the main dish that is why they are salty. | If something is wrong with your food, ***politely*** let your waiter/waitress know. After all, they are not the ones that made it.  |
| When you want to eat something that isn’t necessarily a part of the meal you ordered, you will need to order it separately or as the French say, “a la carte.” | The person who is paying for the date should order first so that their date will know the price range to order in.  | In the past the boy has been the one that places the order; but now it is the person who is paying for the meal, be it the boy or the girl. |
| If you ask for your steak to be:***Rare***– it will be red in side.***Med. Rare*** – it will be pink**Med. Well** – it will be barely  pink**Well** – it will be cooked clean  through | If you need to leave for a few minutes during a dinner to go to the bathroom or answer your cell phone, put your napkin on your chair. | When you are ready to leave at the end of a meal, your napkin should be placed on the left side of your plate. |
| Gum chewing can be quite rude when it comes to a fancy restaurant. Make sure to get rid of it before you get there or ask the waiter/waitress for a paper napkin to deposit it in. | **Boys heads up...**Make sure you stand each time a girl gets up and excuses herself from the table and then again when she returns. | Don’t want hot beverages such as tea/coffee? No problem! Keeping your cup turned upside down on the saucer lets your server know that you are not interested in having either of them |

In the Know About

# Dining Out - Questions

1. Match the following words to the proper term:

 \_\_\_\_\_a la carte a. greeter/seater

 \_\_\_\_\_valet b. successive parts of a meal

 \_\_\_\_\_host/hostess c. tip

 \_\_\_\_\_entrée d. hangs coats

 \_\_\_\_\_waiter/waitress e. main dish

 \_\_\_\_\_gratuity f. parks car

 \_\_\_\_\_course g. each item priced separately

 \_\_\_\_\_coat check h. clears table

 \_\_\_\_\_attendant i. order taker/server

 \_\_\_\_\_al a mode j. served with ice cream

2. How do you know what to order with your date?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. Who should do the ordering?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

4. True/False An appetizer comes at the end of the meal.

5. True/False An appetizer is served to prepare the stomach for the main dish.

6. The waiter/waitress pours water on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, serves on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and

 then picks up dirty dishes on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

7. How do you properly eat soup? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

8. What should you do if there is something wrong with your food? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

9. Describe how the following steaks would look when served.

 a. rare - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 b. medium rare - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 c. medium well - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 d. well - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

10. Where do you put your napkin if you must leave for a few minutes? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

11. Where do you put the napkin when you leave at the end of the meal? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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12. Does the boy need to rise when the girl excuses herself? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

13. What should you do with your gum? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

14. What should you do if you spill, break or drop something? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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15. What should you do with your cup if you do not want a hot beverage (tea/coffee)? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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