



Dining Out: Learning Patience and Politeness



Today, I am going out to eat with my family. I feel excited and a little bit nervous.



When we get to the restaurant, I say, "Hello" to the waiter. The waiter smiles and says, "Hello."



We sit at the table. I use my indoor voice to talk to my family. It feels nice to talk quietly.



I feel hungry, but I know I have to wait for the food. I take a deep breath and wait patiently.



The waiter comes back. I say, "Can you help me, please?" The waiter nods and listens.



I ask politely for my favorite meal. The waiter writes it down and says, "Thank you for asking nicely."



After eating, I say, "Thank you!" to the waiter. The waiter smiles and says, "You're welcome!"



I feel happy and proud. Being patient and polite makes the meal special. I had a good time!

Vocabulary

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1. **Excited**

- Feeling very happy and eager about something new

2. **Nervous**

- Feeling a little worried or unsure about something

3. **Waiter**

- A person who brings food and drinks at a restaurant

4. **Indoor Voice**

- Talking quietly so only the people near you can hear

5. **Patiently**

- Waiting calmly without getting upset

6. **Politely**

- Using kind and respectful words and actions

7. **Favorite**

- Something you like the most

8. **Proud**

- Feeling good about something you did well

Spellings

A: Excited

B: Exciited

A: Restaurant

B: Restarant

A: Waiter

B: Wator

A: Indoor

B: Indor

A: Hungry

B: Hungery

A: Patiently

B: Paitently

A: Polite

B: Polit

A: Proud

B: Prouud

Comprehension Questions

1. How should you talk at the restaurant?

A: Use a loud voice

B: Use an indoor voice

2. What should you do if you feel hungry and have to wait for your food?

A: Take a deep breath and wait patiently

B: Complain loudly

3. What can you say to the waiter if you need help?

A: "Can you help me, please?"

B: "You have to help me now!"

4. How do you ask for your favorite meal?

A: Ask politely and say, "Please"

B: Demand it without saying "please"

5. What should you say after you finish eating?

A: "Thank you!"

B: "I didn't like it!"

6. Why is it important to be patient and polite at a restaurant?

A: It makes the meal special and enjoyable

B: It makes everyone upset

Open-Ended Questions

1. How do you feel when you go out to eat with your family?
2. What can you do to be patient while waiting for your food at a restaurant?
3. Why is it important to use an indoor voice when talking in a restaurant?
4. How can saying "please" and "thank you" make others feel?
5. What do you enjoy most about being polite and patient during a meal?