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A0047: Coffee Time

Introduction

Finally! JP and Liliana reveal the secret of Leo's coffee: a little bit of **leche** – milk, which is also our keyword. Moreover, we learn about Mexican coffee culture. Mmm!

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Dialogue

mujer: ¡Oye! ¿Te apetece un café?

hombre: Claro que sí.

mujer: ¿Solo o con leche?

hombre: Con un poco de leche, por favor.



Dialogue with Translation

mujer: ¡Oye! ¿Te apetece un café?

hear (to) you (it) appetizes a coffee

woman: Hey! Do you want a coffee?

hombre: Claro que sí. clearly that yes

man: Of course yes.

mujer: ¿Solo o con leche?

alone or with milk

woman: Black or with milk?

hombre: Con un poco de leche, por favor.

with a little bit of milk please

man: With a little bit of milk, please.



Vocabulary for Dialogue

la mujer noun (feminine) the woman el hombre noun (masculine) the man oír *verb* (*infinitive*) to hear

(you) listen! ;(tú) oye! verb (imperative)

(informal, singular)

he/she(/it) appetizes

(to) you (informal, indirect object te pronoun singular)

a

verb (infinitive) to appetize apetecer

(él/ella) verb (present

apetece tense) un/una article (m./f.)

el café noun (masculine) the (cup of) coffee

clearly claro adverb

conjunction que that SÍ adverb yes

adjective (m./f.) solo/sola alone

conjunction or preposition with con noun (feminine) the milk la leche phrase a little bit un poco

de preposition of

un poco de phrase a little bit of milk

por favor please phrase

Vocabulary for Audio Lesson

leche

negro/negra *adjective* (*m*./*f*.) black

black coffee café negro phrase café solo black coffee phrase

verb (infinitive) to want querer

verb (present (él/ella) quiere he/she(/it) wants tense)



el café – the cup of coffee



milk



mujer en Chiapas – woman in Chiapas (Mexico)

Colombia	proper noun	Colombia
café suave	phrase	smooth coffee
México/Méjico	proper noun	Mexico
Chiapas	proper noun	Chiapas (a Mexican state)
Antigua	proper noun	Antigua (city in Guatemala)
Guatemala	proper noun	Guatemala
la parroquia	noun (feminine)	the parish (church)
café de la parroquia	proper noun	coffee of the parish
Veracruz	proper noun	Veracruz (city in Mexico)
hasta luego	phrase	see you later

More Vocabulary



This section includes grammatically related words. Some of them are required by the exercise Dialogue Recast.

oír infinitive	to hear
;(tú) oye! imperative	(you) hear! (informal, singular)
¡(usted) oiga!	(you) hear! (formal, singular)
;(nosotros/-as) oigamos!	(let's) hear! (m./f.)
;(vosotros/-as) oíd!	(you) hear! (informal, plural, m./f.)
(ustedes) oigan!	(you) hear! (formal, plural)
me indirect object pronoun	(to) me
te	(to) you (informal, singular)
le	(to) him/her(/it)
le	(to) you (formal, singular)
nos	(to) us

os (to) you (informal, plural)
les (to) them
(to) you (formal, plural)

apetecer infinitive to appetize I appetize (yo) apetezco present tense (tú) apeteces you appetize (informal, singular) (él/ella) apetece he/she(/it) appetizes (usted) apetece you appetize (formal, singular) (nosotros/-as) we appetize (m./f.) apetecemos you appetize (informal, plural, (vosotros/-as) apetecéis m./f.) they appetize (m./f.) (ellos/ellas) apetecen (ustedes) apetecen you appetize (formal, plural)

querer infinitive to want
(yo) quiero present tense I want
(tú) quieres you want (informal, singular)

(él/ella) quierehe/she(/it) wants(usted) quiereyou want (formal, singular)

(nosotros/-as) queremos we want (m./f.)

(vosotros/-as) queréis you want (informal, plural, m./f.)

(ellos/ellas) quieren they want (m./f.)

(ustedes) quieren you want (formal, plural)

Exercises

Dialogue Translation

Cover the right column, translate from Spanish to English and uncover the right column line by line to check your answers. If possible, read the Spanish sentences aloud.

¿Oye! ¿Te apetece un café? Hey! Do you want a coffee?

Claro que sí. Of course yes.

¿Solo o con leche? Black or with milk?

Con un poco de leche, por favor. With a little bit of milk, please.

Dialogue Recall

Now translate from English to Spanish. Remember to say the Spanish sentences aloud.

Hey! Do you want a coffee? ;Oye! ¿Te apetece un café?

Of course yes. Claro que sí.

Black or with milk? **¿Solo o con leche?**

With a little bit of milk, please. Con un poco de leche, por favor.

Dialogue Remix

Translate this variant of the dialogue from English to Spanish.

Would you like a little bit of milk? **Te apetece un poco de leche?**

Coffee with milk? ¿Café con leche?

Of course. One coffee with milk. Claro. Un café con leche.

Hey! ¡Oye! Yes? ¿Sí?

A black coffee, please. Un café solo, por favor. You would like a black coffee? Te apetece un café solo?

Of course yes. Claro que sí.

Of course. Claro.

Dialogue Recast

This translation exercise requires some of the words from the More Vocabulary section.

Hey! Do you want a coffee? (formal) ¿Oiga! ¿Le apetece un café?

Of course yes. Claro que sí.

Black or with milk? **¿Solo o con leche?**

With a little bit of milk, please. Con un poco de leche, por favor.

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