

## ordering a meal

<p><b>Learn with television</b></p> <p><b>Talk German: Programme 5</b></p> <p>Discover the hearty German cuisine, find out which are Germans' favourite dishes, visit one of Munich's best restaurants, order a meal and drool over Apfelstrudel or fresh fruit with whipped cream.</p> <p>Talk German is repeated regularly on BBC Learning Zone (BBC Two). Check out the details on <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/learningzone">www.bbc.co.uk/learningzone</a> then video the programmes to watch at your leisure.</p>	<p><b>Learn online</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/languages/german">www.bbc.co.uk/languages/german</a></p> <p><b>German Steps: Stage 3</b></p> <p><b>Ordering a meal</b></p> <p>Join vegetarian Andrea and her husband enjoying a romantic meal. Watch the slideshow, do the activities, read all about eating out in Germany and check out the links to sites of interest.</p> <p><b>Talk German: Order a meal</b></p> <p>Enjoy the dish of the day in a popular Munich restaurant. Watch the video, read the transcript, do the activities then check your progress.</p>
<p><b>Learning hint</b></p> <p>If you have a dictionary, look up the names of your favourite foods. Then practise asking (out loud) for them using <b>Ich möchte</b> or <b>Ich hätte gerne</b>. Find out too the German for the things you don't like, can't eat or are allergic to, so that you can avoid them on menus.</p>	
<p><b>Key language</b></p> <p><b>Was ist das Tagesgericht?</b> What is the dish of the day?</p> <p><b>Wir haben</b> We have</p> <p><b>Für mich ...</b> I'll have ...</p> <p><b>Haben Sie ...?</b> Have you got ...?</p> <p><b>Ich möchte</b> I'd like</p> <p><b>Ich hätte gerne</b> I'd like</p> <p><b>Möchten Sie auch Brot dazu?</b> Would you like bread with it?</p> <p><b>Was für Nachspeisen haben Sie?</b> What do you have for dessert?</p>	<p><b>die Speisekarte</b> menu</p> <p><b>der Fisch</b> fish</p> <p><b>das Fleisch</b> meat</p> <p><b>das Gemüse</b> vegetables</p> <p><b>die Kartoffeln</b> potatoes</p> <p><b>vegetarisch</b> vegetarian</p> <p><b>die Rechnung</b> bill</p> <p><b>Guten Appetit!</b> Enjoy your meal!</p>
<p><b>Quiz</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. If you wanted a dish without meat would you say <b>mit Fleisch</b> or <b>ohne Fleisch</b>?</li> <li>2. How would you ask the waiter if they have vegetarian dishes?</li> <li>3. Would you eat or drink <b>Knödel</b>?</li> <li>4. What's the German for 'Cheers!'?</li> <li>5. Someone comes up to your table and asks <b>Ist dieser Platz frei?</b> What are they asking?</li> <li>6. Which is the odd one out: <b>Ratskeller, Gasthaus, Bierstube, Schweinebraten, Gasthof?</b></li> </ol> <p>Answers on <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/languages/german/answers.shtml">www.bbc.co.uk/languages/german/answers.shtml</a></p>	