

Unit 11 O-MO-TE-NA-SHI English For Beginners

Review

Put the following Japanese into English.

1. 「天ぷら」て、何ですか？
2. 「天ぷら」は、魚や野菜に、ころもをつけて揚げたものです。
3. 「焼き鳥」て、何ですか？
4. 「焼き鳥」は、串に鶏肉を刺し通して、炭火で焼いたものです。

At a restaurant (2)



CONVERSATION 1

1. Listen to the conversation without looking at the text.
2. Now repeat after the teacher, looking at the text.

(Looking at the display window) (ショウケースの料理の見本を見ながら)

Waiter: Are you ready to order? ご注文はお決まりになりましたか？

Customer: That one looks delicious. あれがおいしそうですね。

Waiter: That's tonkatsu, deep-fried breaded cutlet of pork. あれはとんかつで、豚肉にパン粉をまぶし、油で揚げたものです。

Customer: OK. I'll have the tonkatsu, please. わかりました。とんかつをお願いします。

3. Read the conversation until you memorize it.

4. Role play

Your teacher plays the role of the waiter and you play the role of the customer. Change roles.



CONVERSATION 2

1. Listen to the conversation without looking at the text.
2. Now repeat after the teacher, looking at the text.

Waiter: Would you like something to drink? Would you like some wine? お飲み物はいかがでしょう？ワインはいかがでしょう？

Customer: No, thank you. Can I have some water, please. いいえ、結構です。お水をください。

3. Read the conversation until you memorize it.
4. Role play

Your teacher plays the role of the waiter and you play the role of the customer. Change roles.

LANGUAGE CHECKLIST

1. Would you like some wine? → Yes, please.
→ No, thank you.

'Some', rather than 'any', is used in polite questions when we want to encourage people to say "yes", treating guests with warmth.

2. When you are offering something to drink, which expression would you use? "Would you like anything to drink?" or "Would you like something to drink?"

Answer: The second one because we use some- in polite questions. We expect a positive answer that is why we suggest it by using some in these types of questions.

CONVERSATION 3

1. Listen to the conversation without looking at the text.
2. Now repeat after the teacher, looking at the text.

Waiter: Here you go. Enjoy your meal. はい、ご注文のお料理をお持ちしました。ご堪能ください。

Customer: Thank you. Oh, I can't use chopsticks. Can I have a knife and fork, please? ありがとう。あっ、お箸が使えないのですが。ナイフとフォークをいただけますか？

3. Read the conversation until you memorize it.
4. Role play

Your teacher plays the role of the waiter and you play the role of the customer. Change roles.



USING THE LANGUAGE 1

“Here you go.” = “Here is your food.” = “Here is what you asked for.”

CONVERSATION 4

1. Listen to the conversation without looking at the text.
2. Now repeat after the teacher, looking at the text.

Customer; Can I have the check, please? お勘定をお願いします。

Waiter; Of course. かしこまりました。

3. Read the conversation until you memorize it.
4. Role play

Your teacher plays the role of the waiter and you play the role of the customer.
Change roles.

USING THE LANGUAGE 2

Check and bill should be interchangeable. Check is American, and bill is British.

PRACTICE SENTENCES

Put the following Japanese into English.

1. ご注文はお決まりになりましたか？
2. とんかつをお願いします。
3. お飲み物はいかがでしょうか？
4. お水をください。
5. お勘定をお願いします。

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