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5 Exciting or boring?

A Match the adjectives.

1. __d__ exciting   a. not stressful
2. __b__ easy   b. not difficult
3. __a__ relaxing   c. not dangerous
4. __c__ safe   d. not boring

B Write each sentence two different ways.

1. A flight attendant's job is exciting.

   A flight attendant has an exciting job.

   A flight attendant doesn't have a boring job.

2. A security guard has a boring job.

   A security guard doesn't have an exciting job

   A security guard's job is boring

3. Steven's job is dangerous.

   Steven has a dangerous job

4. A front desk clerk's job is stressful.

   A front desk clerk has a stressful job.

   A front desk clerk doesn't have a relaxing job.

5. Linda has a small apartment.

   Linda doesn't have a big apartment.

   Linda's apartment is small

6. Martha's house is big.

   Martha has a big house

   Martha doesn't have a small house

7. Sarah has a talkative sister.

   Sara doesn't have a quiet sister

   Sara's sister is talkative

8. My job is easy.

   My job isn't difficult

   I have an easy job

CONVERSATION How about some sandwiches?

▶ Listen and practice.

Adam: What do you want for the picnic?
Amanda: Hmm. How about some sandwiches?
Adam: OK. We have some chicken, but we
don't have any bread.
Amanda: And we don't have any cheese.
Adam: Do we have any lettuce?
Amanda: Let's see. . . . No, we need some.
Adam: Let's get some tomatoes, too.
Amanda: OK. And let's buy some potato salad.
Adam: All right. Everyone likes potato salad.

3.2.- Count and noncount nouns

Count and noncount nouns; some and any ▶

Count nouns	Noncount nouns
an egg → eggs	bread
a sandwich → sandwiches	lettuce
Do we need **any** eggs?	Do we need **any** bread?
Yes. Let's get **some** (eggs).	Yes. Let's get **some** (bread).
No. We don't need **any** (eggs).	No. We don't need **any** (bread).

A Complete the conversation with *some* or *any*.

Amanda: The store doesn't have ....any..... potato salad.
Adam: Well, we have lots of potatoes. Let's make .Some... !
Amanda: OK. Do we have ....any...... mayonnaise?
Adam: No. We need to buy .Some.... .
Amanda: We need .some..... onions, too.
Adam: Oh, I don't want ....any..... onions. I hate onions!
Amanda: Then let's get Some...... celery.
Adam: No. I don't want ...any...... celery in my potato salad.
But let's put Some.... apples in it.
Amanda: Apples in potato salad? That sounds awful!

B Complete the chart with foods from Exercise 1. Then compare with a partner.

Count				Noncount		
eggs	potatoes	beans	cream	milk	yogurt	
apples	tomatoes	crackers	rice	cheese	lettuce	
lemons	bananas	blueberries	bread	pasta	broccoli	
oranges	onions	nuts	oil	butter	fish	
carrots	kiwis	noodles	beef	cereal	chicken	

A Put the adverbs in the correct places. Then practice with a partner.

             usually
A: What do you have for breakfast? (usually)
B: Well, I have coffee and cereal. (often)   I often have
A: Do you eat breakfast at work? (ever)   Do you ever eat
B: I have breakfast at my desk. (sometimes) I sometimes hav
A: Do you eat rice for breakfast? (usually) Do yw usually eat
B: No, I have rice. (hardly ever)   I hardly ever have

B Unscramble the sentences.

1. I / have breakfast / on / never / weekends   I never have breakfast on weekends.
2. work / I / snacks / eat / at / hardly ever   I hardly ever eat snacks at work
3. eat / for / pasta / dinner / sometimes / I   I Sometimes eat pasta for dinner
4. have / I / dinner / with / often / family / my   I often have dinner with my family

C Rewrite the sentences from part B with your own information. Then compare with a partner.

A: I always have breakfast on weekends.
B: I hardly ever have breakfast on weekends. I usually get up late.

LISTENING Really? Never?

A ⊙ Paul and Megan are talking about food.
How often does Megan eat these foods?
Listen and check (✓) Often, Sometimes, or Never.

	Often	Sometimes	Never
pasta	✓	☐	☐
hamburgers	☐	☐	☐
fish	☐	☐	☐
eggs	☐	☐	☐
broccoli	☐	☐	☐

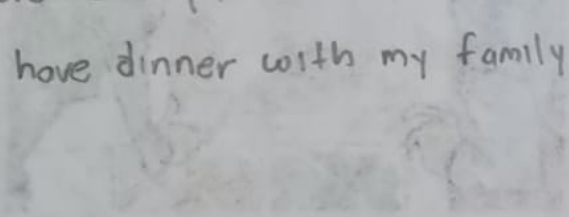**B** GROUP WORK Do you ever eat the foods in part A? Tell your classmates.

A: I often eat pasta.
B: Really? I never eat pasta.
C: Well, I . . .

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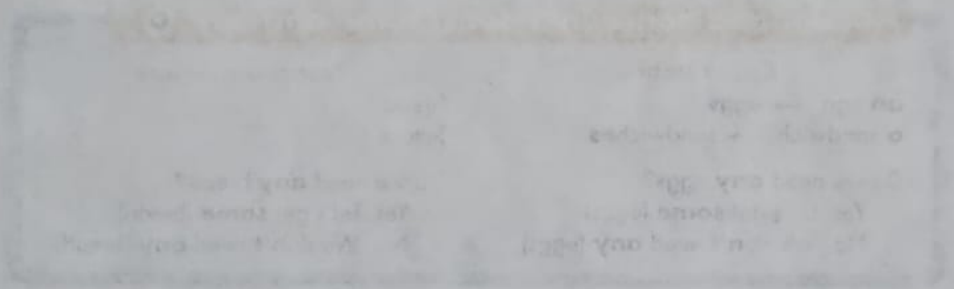A- I always have breakfast on weekends. I usually don't eat at home.

B- I sometimes eat snaks at work. I usually eat fruits.

C- I hardly ever eat pasta for dinner. I often eat cereal or yogurt.

D- I always have dinner with my family. We sometimes eat out.