**UNIT 3: Food**

**Unit Map**

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| **ENDURING UNDERSTANDING:** | **ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS:** |
| * Students understand that they need to learn other languages and learn about other cultures to communicate and interact with people in this interconnected world. | * What and when do Chinese and Americans eat? * How is eating etiquette at a Chinese dinner table different from that of an American one? * What’s on a typical Chinese menu? * What are in those famous dishes? What do they taste like? |

What will students be able to do by the end of this unit?

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| **Speaking/ Listening** (interpersonal and presentational) | * I can express hunger, thirst, and understand the same expressions when I hear them from others. * I can express and understand preferences of food and drinks and explain why. (Because of the tastes.) * I can say and understand basic tastes, such as sweet, spicy, salty, sour, and bitter. * I can order food and drinks at Chinese restaurants. * I can name and understand typical Western and Chinese food and drinks. * I can inquire and express requirements for food and drinks. (For instance, ingredients in dishes, ice in drinks.) * I can offer to pay for a meal. |
| **Reading** (interpretive) | * I can identify main items on food labels. * I can understand basic descriptions of dishes on authentic Chinese restaurant menus. (煎煮炒炸生熟猪牛鸡鸭狗鱼虾肉菜) * I can read common ingredients. * I can identify the tastes of the food from the menu. * I can read the price from the menu. |
| **Writing** presentational | * I can write common Western and Chinese dish names. * I can introduce food and drinks I like. * I can describe one common Chinese dish (tastes, how to prepare, and main ingredients). * I can describe at least one famous or typical dish from the China and Western worlds. |

**Topic 1: Western Food**

Duration: about 10 hours

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| **Vocabulary** | **Phrases/Grammar** |
| 1. Hungry 饿  2. Full 饱  3. Thirsty 渴  4. Eat 吃  5. Drink 喝  6. Western Food 西餐  7. Burger 汉堡(包)  8. French fries 薯条  9. Sandwich 三明治  10. Pizza 比萨(饼)  11. Salad 沙拉  12. Steak 牛肉  13. Pork 猪肉  15. Chicken 鸡肉  16. Spaghetti 意大利面  17. Ice cream 冰淇淋  18. Iced tea 冰茶  19. Iced water冰水  20. Juice 　果汁 | Are you thirsty? 你渴不渴？  I am thirsty./I am not thirsty./I am very thirsty./I am extremely thirsty  我渴了/ 我不渴 / 很渴 / 渴死了。  Are you hungry? 你饿不饿？  I am hungry./I am not hungry./I am very hungry./I am extremely hungry.  我饿了/ 我不饿 / 很饿 / 饿死了。  Have you eaten breakfast/lunch/dinner? 你吃早餐 / 午餐 / 晚餐了吗？  I have eaten./I have not eaten. 我吃了/ 我没吃。  What did you eat? 你吃了什么？  I ate … 我吃了...  What do you want to eat for breakfast/lunch/dinner?  早餐 / 午餐 / 晚餐你想吃什么？  I want to eat/drink\_\_\_. 我想吃/喝\_\_\_\_。  What did you eat for breakfast/lunch/dinner? 早餐 / 午餐 / 晚餐你吃了什么？  I ate/drink\_\_\_\_. 我吃/喝了\_\_\_\_。  When do you eat breakfast in the morning? 你早上几点吃早餐？  When do you eat lunch at noon? 你中午几点吃午餐？  When do you eat dinner at night? 你晚上几点吃晚餐？  **Grammar:**   * 了is used in an affirmative statement, not in a negative statement.   “了”在表述饥渴状态时的用法：肯定句中可使用，否定句及问句中不使用。   * Express and ask hunger and thirst. E.g; 你饿了吗？你渴了吗？ * “死” behind adjective means extremely. E.g; 我饿死了。我渴死了。 |

**Topic 2: Exploring Chinese Cuisine**

Duration: about 10 hours

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| **Vocabulary** | **Phrases/Grammar** |
| 1. Chinese food 中餐  2. Rice 米饭  3. Noodle 面  4. Stir fry 炒  5. Stir fried rice 炒饭  6. Stir fried noodles 炒面  7. Bun 包子  8. Dumpling 饺子  9. Hot pot 火锅  10. Taste 口味  11. Sour 酸  12. Sweet 甜  13. Spicy 辣  14. Bitter 苦  15. Salty 咸  **Supplementary**:   1. 煎/煮/炒/炸/生/熟/麻 2. Color 色 3. Fragrance 香 4. Taste 味 5. Kung Pao chicken 6. 宫保鸡丁 7. Beef Broccoli   芥兰牛肉   1. Sweet & sour pork   咕噜肉   1. Sweet & sour fish/shrimp   糖醋鱼/虾   1. Hot & sour soup   酸辣汤   1. Egg drop soup蛋花汤Corn chowder   玉米浓汤 | 你喜欢中餐还是西餐？  Do you like Chinese food or Western food?  你觉得\_\_\_\_好吃不好吃/好喝不好喝？  Do you think \_\_\_ is tasty or not?  我觉得\_\_\_\_好吃/好喝，因为\_\_\_\_很酸/甜/苦/辣/咸。  I think \_\_\_\_ tastes good, because it is very sour/sweet/bitter/spicy/salty.  我觉得\_\_\_\_不好吃/不好喝，因为\_\_\_\_太酸/甜/苦/辣/咸了。  I don’t think \_\_\_ tastes good, because \_\_\_ is too sour/sweet/bitter/spicy/salty.  我喜欢吃/喝\_\_\_\_， 因为很酸/甜/辣/咸。  I like eating/drinking \_\_\_, because \_\_\_ is very sour/sweet/bitter/spicy/salty.  我不喜欢吃 / 喝\_\_\_\_， 因为太酸/甜/辣/咸。  I don’t like eating/drinking\_\_\_\_\_, because \_\_\_\_ is too sour/sweet/bitter/spicy/salty.  我们吃火锅，怎么样 / 好吗？  How about we eat hot pot?  Grammar:   * Preferences of food and drinks.   你喜欢吃/喝什么？  你喜欢A还是B?   * Describing opinion: Subject 觉得… * Making a suggestion: …，怎么样/好吗？ |

**Topic 3: Eating at a Chinese Restaurant**

Duration: about 10 hours

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| **Vocabulary** | **Phrases/Grammar** |
| 1. Waiter/waitress 服务员  2. Order food点餐/点菜  3. Pay the bill 买单  4. (measure word for guests) 位  5. Wait a minute 稍等/侯  6. Bottle 瓶  7. Cup 杯  8. Pair 双  9. Plate 盘  10. Bowl 碗  11. Portion of 份  12. Chopsticks 筷子  13. Soup 汤  14. Vegetable 菜  15. Fish 鱼  16. Shrimp 虾  17. Spoon 勺子  18. Knife/fork 刀叉  **Supplementary:**   1. Kung Pao chicken   宫保鸡丁   1. Beef Broccoli 芥兰牛肉 2. Sweet & sour pork   咕噜肉   1. Sweet & sour fish/shrimp 糖醋鱼/虾 2. Hot & sour soup   酸辣汤   1. Egg drop soup 蛋花汤 2. Corn chowder   玉米浓汤 | Where do you want to have breakfast/lunch/dinner? 你想去哪吃早/中/晚饭？  I want to have Chinese food/Western food. 我想去吃中/西餐。  I also want to go; let’s go together. 我也要去，我们一起去吧！  May I ask? How many (guests) please? 请问，几位？  What would you like to drink, please? 请问您想喝点什么？  I’d like\_\_\_\_. 我想要\_\_\_\_。（数量+饮料）  Please wait a minute. 请稍等/侯。  Are you ready to order, please? 请问可以点餐了吗？/点菜了  Waiter/waitress, I’m ready to order. 服务员，点餐/点菜。  Waiter/waitress, I’m ready to pay my bill. 服务员，买单。  Would you like the small cup size or the big one? 你点大杯还是小杯？  How about we eat beef? 我们吃牛肉，怎么样/好吗？  **Grammar:**   * Ordering food: 你点A 还是 B? * Food measure words: 食物饮料量词: 盘，杯，碗 |

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| **CULTURAL CONNECTIONS** |
| 1. 八大菜系 Eight Major Cuisines of China.  2. 菜名由来，餐桌礼仪，餐具及用法。（圆桌/方桌，鱼头/鸡头指向，座位和职位）  The origin of famous dishes, table manners, and tablewares.  3. 中西方人用餐后买单习惯（小费，争抢买单）。  Different habits for paying the bill after meals between Chinese and Western cultures.  4. 中西方节日食物 Chinese and Western festival foods. |

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