

WORD BANK 1

What are these words in your language?



buffalo (n)



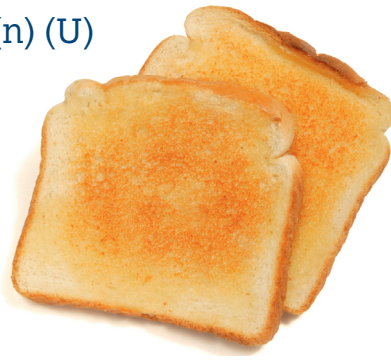
chef (n)



mozzarella (n) (U)



scooter (n)



toast (n) (U)

U = Uncountable

takeaway (n)



There's a Chinese **takeaway** at the end of our road.



On Friday nights, we always have a Chinese **takeaway**. I love **takeaway** food.

expert (n)

An **expert** knows a lot about a subject.

ingredient (n)

Tomatoes are an important **ingredient** in pizza.

invent (v)

Alexander Bell **invented** the phone.

phrasebook (n)

A **phrasebook** has lots of useful words in a foreign language.

port (n)

Ships arrive at and leave from a **port**.

topping (n)

Meat is a popular pizza **topping** in the UK.

CHAPTER 1

From Croydon to Naples!

Do you like takeaway food? Many people in the UK do. Walk down any British shopping street and you will find at least one takeaway shop, and often many more! Pizza is one of the country's most popular takeaway foods. There are thousands of pizza restaurants, but many people prefer to get a takeaway. Pizza Hut, the country's biggest pizza company, now has over 700 restaurants and takeaway shops. Customers can buy pizzas with lots of different toppings. The most popular pizza at Pizza Hut comes with lots of meat toppings – it is called the 'Meat Feast'.

Tonight, *Take Away My Takeaway* presenter Dave Berry has come to Croydon in south London to meet two pizza lovers.

Both seventeen years old, AJ and Daniel don't usually cook anything more difficult than toast! They love football, girls . . . and pizza. AJ likes his pizza with lots of meat on top. Daniel's favourite topping is Chinese Chicken.

'I'm here to surprise two mates, AJ and Daniel,' Dave says.

He is on his way to Daniel's house with a takeaway pizza box, but inside the box there is a surprise! Dave knocks on the door. AJ and Daniel come out to see who it is. It must be a big surprise to see a TV presenter and a camera man, but the boys hide their surprise well.

'AJ, Daniel, how are you, chaps*? Here's your takeaway,' Dave says. 'Don't you cook your own pizza?'

'No,' say both boys.

'Then I think we need to come in!' Dave laughs.

Dave wants to know how much the boys really know about their favourite food and its ingredients, and he has a few questions for them. They go into the dining room.

'Where does Buffalo Mozzarella come from?' he asks.

* Conversational Language. See page 48.

'Italy,' says Daniel.

It's not the answer that Dave was looking for. 'It comes from a buffalo,' he tells them. 'Buffalo milk makes Buffalo Mozzarella.' He tries another question. 'Where was pizza invented?'

The boys are smiling. 'In a little shop in Italy?' tries AJ.

'The answer is Naples,' he tells them. He looks at AJ and Daniel and smiles. 'Imagine that I have a friend called Enzo. He lives in Naples in Italy.' 'Yeah.' Daniel is not sure what Dave is talking about.



Dave continues. 'What would you think if I just reached into my pocket and pulled out two plane tickets?' Then Dave does exactly that. He gives the boys the tickets. 'Tomorrow you chaps are going to fly to Italy and my friend Enzo is going to teach you about pizza.'

The boys can't stop laughing. 'I was just expecting a normal pizza,' AJ says. 'And now I'm going to Italy with my best friend. It's all good!'

The boys practise some Italian from a phrasebook, but they have never spoken any before and they find it very difficult!

At 4.30 am the next morning the teenagers don't look *quite* so excited about their trip. In fact, AJ is so tired that he has forgotten to close his suitcase and all his clothes fall on the floor! Outside, in the dark, a taxi is waiting to take them to the airport. In just a few hours, the boys will be in another world.

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NAPLES

Naples – *Napoli* in Italian – is Italy's third largest city. Its name came from the Greek for 'new city' – but it's now around 2,600 years old! It is on the country's south-west coast and its port has been always important. Many tourists come to see the city's art museums and beautiful buildings. But it is not a rich city and crime has sometimes been a problem for the people of Naples, the Neapolitans.



When AJ and Daniel step outside the airport in Naples, the sun is shining. Dave has arranged a special ride into the city for them. It is an Ape /'æpeɪ/ – a little truck with three wheels that's popular in Italy. The boys have to sit in the back of it in the open air with their bags. It is not what they expected!

'I thought that it would at least be a car with four windows!' says Daniel.

But the boys aren't in Naples to go sightseeing! Their driver is taking them straight to a market where Enzo, a top pizza chef, is waiting for them.



GETTING AROUND

In old cities like Naples, the streets are often too narrow for big cars and trucks. Many Italians prefer scooters as a cheap, fast way to travel. Teenagers can ride them from the age of fourteen.

If you need to carry a lot of things, the Ape truck is perfect. You can put things in the back, but it is still small enough to drive through narrow streets.

Some of the most famous sports cars in the world come from Italy. They are very expensive.



 Now watch Clip 2 and answer the questions on pages 12–13.

 CLIP 2



1 Watch the clip. Are these sentences true or false? Correct the false sentences.

- | | True | False |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| a) The boys are very surprised when Dave arrive at Daniel's house. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b) Dave asks the boys three questions about pizza. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| c) On the morning they leave for Italy, AJ is feeling happy and excited. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| d) The boys are going to Milan in Italy. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| e) Daniel is surprised by their transport from the airport in Italy. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| f) The Ape truck is not a typical form of transport in Italy. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| g) For Neapolitans, there are two types of pizza – cheese pizza and tomato pizza. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

2 How much do you remember? Answer the questions, then watch the clip and check your answers.

- What are the boys' interests?
- What can AJ cook?
- Do the boys usually make their own pizza?
- When was the first pizza made in Naples?
- When are the boys going to Italy?
- What happens to AJ's suitcase?

3 Watch the clip again and complete the table.

Question	The boys' answer	The correct answer
Where does Buffalo Mozzarella come from?		
Where was pizza invented?		

4 Tick the correct meanings of the sentences.

- 'They're **about to get** the biggest surprise of their lives.'
 - Soon they're going to get the biggest surprise of their lives.
 - They are hoping to get the biggest surprise of their lives.
 - They do not know that they're going to get the biggest surprise of their lives.
- 'As you are **pizza addicts**, I'm going to do the test.'
 - As you really love pizza, I'm going to do the test.
 - As you know a lot about pizza, I'm going to do the test.
 - As you only eat pizza, I'm going to do the test.
- 'Imagine if I had a **mate** called Enzo ...'
 - Imagine I have an uncle called Enzo.
 - Imagine I have a friend called Enzo.
 - Imagine I have an old school friend called Enzo.

5 Answer the questions.

- AJ and Daniel have just arrived in Naples in Italy. How is it different from where they live in Britain, do you think?
- Will they have any problems in Italy, do you think? If 'yes', what will they be?