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Before you watch

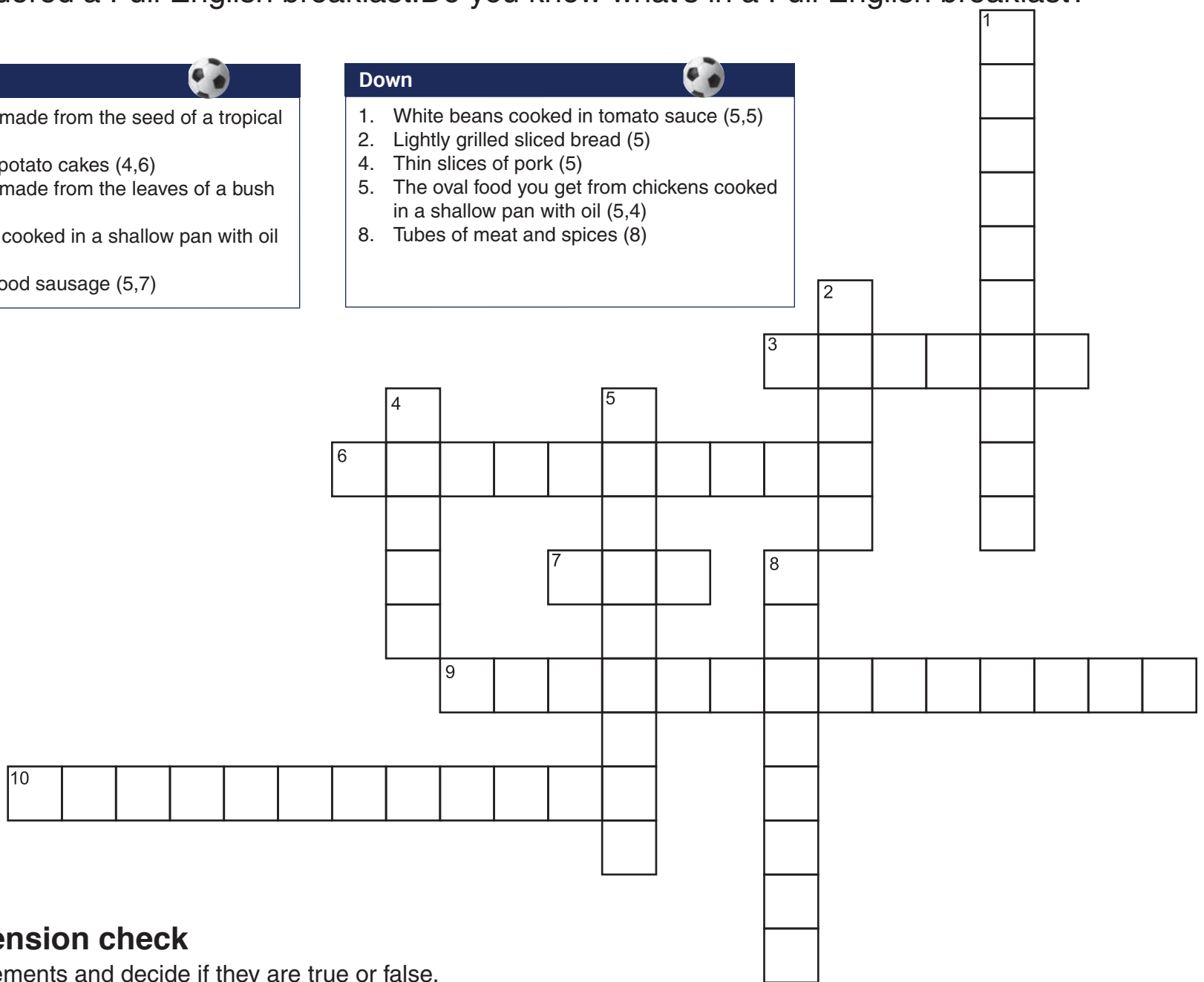
Claudio ordered a Full English breakfast. Do you know what's in a Full English breakfast?

Across

3. A hot drink made from the seed of a tropical bush (6)
6. Small fried potato cakes (4,6)
7. A hot drink made from the leaves of a bush (3)
9. Small fungi cooked in a shallow pan with oil (5,9)
10. A type of blood sausage (5,7)

Down

1. White beans cooked in tomato sauce (5,5)
2. Lightly grilled sliced bread (5)
4. Thin slices of pork (5)
5. The oval food you get from chickens cooked in a shallow pan with oil (5,4)
8. Tubes of meat and spices (8)



Comprehension check

Read the statements and decide if they are true or false.

1. Claudio wants to eat lunch.
2. Claudio asks the waitress what a Full English breakfast is.
3. When Claudio doesn't understand, he uses a dictionary.
4. Shuna is a vegetarian.
5. Shuna orders a BLT sandwich.
6. Claudio is very happy with his food.
7. Shuna is very happy with her food.

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Ordering food

What would you order if you were at Servini's Cafe?

Find a friend and practise ordering food. Take turns playing the role of customer and waiter or waitress.

Servini's Cafe

Breakfasts

Continental breakfast	£ 3
Full English breakfast	£ 4.50
Belly Buster	£ 6

Sandwiches

Roast Chicken	£ 3
Tuna Mayo	£ 2.50
BLT (bacon, lettuce and tomato)	£ 3

Beverages

Tea	60 p
Coffee	90 p
Hot Chocolate	£ 1.20

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Survival English: What to do when you don't understand.

One of the biggest problems learners face when they speak to people in the UK, is the speed that people speak. This can make it very difficult to understand. If you meet someone and they are speaking too quickly, let them know. Here are some polite examples of ways you can ask someone to slow down, and repeat what they have said:

Could you speak more slowly, please?

Would you mind speaking more slowly, please?

I'm sorry, a little slower please?

Could you say that again, please?

Can you repeat that, please?

Survival English: Reorder the dialogue

Here is the transcript from when Claudio asked the waitress to speak more slowly. Put the dialogue in order by writing 1-8 in the spaces.

Claudio: _____ a. What is Full English?

Claudio: 1 b. I would like to get some breakfast.

Waitress: _____ c. Two bacon, two sausage, beans, fried mushrooms, two eggs, two toast and black pudding. Or if you go for the 'Belly Buster' special, Three eggs, four sausages and three bacon, tea or coffee come included either way.

Waitress: _____ d. Of course. Two bacon, Two sausage, beans, fried mushrooms, two eggs, two toast and black pudding.

Claudio: _____ e. Could you speak a little slower, please?

Waitress: _____ f. Two bacon, two sausages, beans, fried mushrooms, two eggs, two...

Claudio: _____ g. I'm sorry, could you say that again?

Waitress: _____ h. Continental or Full English?

Key
Before you watch
Across: 3. coffee, 6. hash browns, 7. tea, 9. fried mushrooms, 10. black pudding
Down: 1. baked beans, 3. toast, 4. bacon, 5. fried eggs, 8. sausages
Comprehension Check
1. false, 2. true, 3. false, 4. true, 5. true, 6. true, 7. false
Survival Skills
Correct order: 1 - b, 2 - h, 3 - a, 4 - c, 4 - g, 6 - f, 7 - e, 8 - d