



## Lesson 63: Baking a Pie

### Exercise 01

### Vocabulary

<b>bake</b>	(V)	to cook something in an oven without extra fat	She's <b>baking</b> some cookies.
<b>uncommon</b>	(ADJ)	unusual	It's <b>uncommon</b> for a dad to play the role of mother.
<b>stereotype</b>	(N)	a fixed idea that many people have about what a particular type of person is like, which is usually untrue and unfair	The obedient Japanese woman is one example of an offensive cultural <b>stereotype</b> .
<b>obviously</b>	(ADV)	in a way that is easy to see or understand	This is <b>obviously</b> the wrong way.
<b>flour</b>	(N)	a powder made by crushing wheat or other grain, used for making bread, cakes, etc.	She's mixing <b>flour</b> , egg, and sugar to make a cake.
<b>dough</b>	(N)	a mixture of flour, water, etc. used to make bread and pastry	We need <b>dough</b> to make bread.
<b>spare time</b>	(N)	free time	I have some <b>spare time</b> today.
<b>oven</b>	(N)	a piece of kitchen equipment with a door used for baking or roasting food	These cookies just came out of the <b>oven</b> .
<b>messy</b>	(ADJ)	untidy or dirty	I'm sorry my room is a little <b>messy</b> . // No problem. You should see mine.



## Exercise 02

### Dialogue Practice

Read the dialogue aloud with your teacher.

Lauren and Zach bake a pie together.



Lauren

Hey, Zach! Would you like to help me bake a pie?



Zach

Sure, why not!



Lauren

Wow! That is so good to hear. I think it's very uncommon for guys to cook.



Zach

That is a stereotype. I love to cook.



Lauren

Okay. First, we need to go shopping. Would you prefer an apple or melon pie?



Zach

I've never baked a melon pie, so let's try that.



Lauren

Okay. Obviously we will need a melon and some flour.





Zach

Okay. What else do we need?



Lauren

I think that's about it. I have everything else for the dough at home. Anyway, we'll have some spare time, so why don't we watch a movie while the pie bakes in the oven?



Zach

Great idea!



Lauren

By the way, I hope you don't mind, but my house is a bit messy at the moment.



Zach

No worries. I know you had exams last week.

### Check your understanding:

- What does Lauren want Zach to do?
- What do Lauren and Zach need to buy when they go shopping?
- Why is Lauren's place a bit messy?

### Exercise 03

#### Role Play

Role-play the following situation with your teacher.

#### Situation:

- You and your best friend want to bake a cake for your mutual friend.
- Decide on a type of cake your friend would like and make a list of things you need to buy.



## Exercise 04

### **Discussion**

- 1) Do you make sweets on your own? If so, what do you make? If not, would you like to try?
- 2) What do you think is more difficult, making meals or desserts? Why do you think so?
- 3) What's the best pie you've ever had? Where did you have it?
- 4) What is the most famous sweets in your country/region?
- 5) Which do you prefer, food prepared in a restaurant or at home? Why?

