

Daily Life - Making A Dinner Reservation (C0357)

A: Bruno Bistro, how may I help you?

B: Yes hello, I would like to make a reservation please.

A: Certainly sir, For which day and time please?

B: Tonight at seven.

A: I'm sorry sir, but we are fully booked tonight until eight.

B: In that case, eight o'clock is fine.

A: Very well, and how many people will attend tonight?

B: Four people.

A: Lastly, may I please know what name I should make the reservation under?

A: Mark.

Key Vocabulary

bistro	<i>N</i>	mid-priced restaurant
make a reservation	<i>P</i>	to make an arrangement to hold something for later
fully booked	<i>P</i>	all sold out or full of reservations
in that case	<i>P</i>	if something said earlier is true
attend	<i>V</i>	go to
reservation	<i>N</i>	Something that is kept back or withheld

Supplementary Vocabulary

steakhouse	<i>N</i>	a restaurant that specializes in beef steaks.
diner	<i>N</i>	A place that offers a wide range of foods, mostly American, a casual atmosphere and late operating hours.

Soup Kitchen	<i>N</i>	a place where food is offered to the hungry for free or at a reasonably low price
saltshaker	<i>N</i>	a container with a perforated top for sprinkling salt
Cutlery	<i>N</i>	Utensils such as knives, forks, and spoons used as tableware