
Describe something you made that you gave to others (friends/family)

You should say:

What it was

What it was like

Who you gave it to

And how you felt about it

Yesterday, I made a western-style salad. I followed my mother's old recipe.

It was creamy, with bits of cheese, jelly, and lots of fruit cocktail. I also added a few kinds of fruits. When I tasted a bit of the salad, it was sweet. I had to put it in the refrigerator for half an hour to chill. Because it was for an occasion, I made enough for ten people.

I made it for my grandmother because she likes all kinds of salad. The recipe has been her favorite for many years. I gave it to her for her birthday. It made her very happy.

I felt very proud of the salad I made. I'm not as good as my mother, but it was my first time trying to make the salad. I felt that I learned a lot by making it. The most rewarding moment was when I saw the smile on my grandmother's face after she ate it. Next time, I won't feel so nervous about salad making again.

Have you received anything that was made by the giver?

Yes, when I was a child, my grand-mother made handmade quilts for me and my cousins. It's been many years since I first received the cute quilts. It's fantastic that I have something handmade by her as a memento.

其他观点

No, I have never received anything that was handmade by the giver. I don't know if I would like it unless it's something very well made. Still, I would appreciate the thought because it's nice to know that somebody thought of me.

Are art classes important in schools?

I'm sad that art classes seem to lose their importance. In my opinion, art classes are essential. In school, I've always enjoyed them as they put me in a completely different mind space compared to other classes. It felt very liberating.

其他观点

I believe that art is something that kids can do outside of school. For example, in my community there are a lot of artistic projects that kids can sign up for. In my opinion, school should be reserved for subjects that are more complicated to learn, like maths.

Which is better. self-made food or food that you buy?

I like a mix of both! There are days when I feel like cooking and it feels good to eat something

that I cooked myself. Other days, I'm in the mood for something different so I'll treat myself to food that I simply buy and eat.

其他观点

For me, self-made food is always better. This way, I know exactly what goes into the dish and how much of it there is, compared to food from the store. It's also comforting to eat homemade food and it smells good around the house.

When receiving a gift, do you prefer something that was self-made, or something bought in stores?

For me, that depends on what I asked or what the situation is. For example, my aunt is a very good knitter and she makes very comfortable slippers, so I'm always glad when she gives me some. It feels special.

其他观点

I would prefer something bought in a store. This way, I'm sure that it's exactly what I wanted and that I'll be able to use it. I believe it's also more convenient for the person who's gifting, as they don't need to be spending time making it.