

Unit 16

rash (n)	an area of small red spots on your skin that is caused by an illness or a reaction to something: <i>I think I'm allergic to that new washing powder because I've got a rash on my legs.</i>
chop (v)	to cut something such as food or wood into pieces: <i>Chop the meat into small cubes.</i>
slice (v)	to cut something into flat pieces: <i>I'll slice some bread.</i>
grate (v)	to rub food against a grater in order to cut it into small pieces: <i>Could you grate some cheese, please?</i>
bake (v)	to cook food such as bread and cakes in an oven: <i>She baked me a cake for my birthday.</i>
grill (v)	to cook something by putting it close to great heat above or below it: <i>Do you want to grill the sausages or fry them?</i>
fry (v)	to cook food in hot oil or fat, or to be cooked in this way: <i>Heat the oil in a large pan and fry the onion and garlic for 5 minutes.</i>
roast (v)	to cook meat or vegetables in an oven: <i>Roast the potatoes next to the chicken.</i>
boil (v)	to cook something in boiling water, or to be cooked in this way: <i>How long does it take to boil an egg?</i>
cook (n)	someone who cooks food, either as their job or for pleasure: <i>Jane's a very good cook.</i>
cooker (n)	a large piece of kitchen equipment that you use for cooking food. It usually includes an oven and a hob: <i>We bought a new electric cooker last week.</i>
chef (n)	someone whose job is to cook food in a restaurant: <i>Aristotelis works as a chef in a big restaurant in Utrecht.</i>
oven (n)	a large piece of equipment in a kitchen that you cook food in: <i>Preheat the oven to 220°C, Gas mark 7.</i>
grill (n)	the part of a cooker where food is cooked under great heat: <i>Can you put the sausages under the grill?</i>
hob (n)	the top part of a cooker that you put pans on: <i>Put the pan on the hob and heat gently.</i>
kitchen (n)	a room where you prepare and cook food, and wash dishes: <i>We sometimes eat in the kitchen.</i>
cuisine (n)	a particular style of cooking: <i>I love Thai cuisine.</i>
lunch (n)	a meal that you eat in the middle of the day: <i>I'll get a sandwich for lunch.</i>
dinner (n)	the main meal of the day, usually eaten in the evening: <i>I haven't had dinner yet.</i>
plate (n)	a flat round dish that you put food on: <i>Let's put all the sandwiches on one plate.</i>
bowl (n)	a round container that you use for eating, serving or preparing food: <i>In a large bowl, mix together the eggs, sugar and butter.</i>

saucer (n)	a small round flat dish that you put a cup on: <i>I bought some matching cups and saucers.</i>
dish (n)	food that has been prepared and cooked in a particular way: <i>Do you have any vegetarian dishes?</i>
vegetable (n)	a part of a plant used as food, for example a potato, bean or cabbage: <i>We grow all our own vegetables.</i>
vegetarian (n)	someone who chooses not to eat meat or fish: <i>My sister has been a vegetarian for ten years.</i>
vegan (n)	someone who chooses not to eat anything made from animals or fish, including eggs, milk and cheese: <i>It must be quite difficult going to restaurants if you're a vegan.</i>
fast food (n)	food that is made and served very quickly, and that you can take away with you: <i>Many people think that fast food like hamburgers is unhealthy.</i>
takeaway (n)	a meal that you buy in a restaurant and take home to eat: <i>Let's get a Chinese takeaway on the way home.</i>
kettle (n)	a container that is used for boiling water: <i>Put the kettle on!</i>
teapot (n)	a container with a handle and a spout (=small tube for pouring) that you use for making and pouring tea: <i>Put three teabags in the teapot and pour in the boiling water.</i>
freezer (n)	a large piece of electrical equipment that is used for freezing food: <i>I'll put the ice cream in the freezer.</i>
fridge (n)	a piece of equipment that is used for storing food at low temperatures: <i>Could you get the milk out of the fridge, please?</i>
frozen (adj)	preserved by being made extremely cold and stored at a very low temperature: <i>I usually buy frozen vegetables.</i>
freezing (adj)	very cold: <i>It's absolutely freezing in here!</i>
mix (v)	to combine two or more substances so that they become a single substance: <i>Mix the flour with the eggs and butter.</i>
stir (v)	to move food or a liquid around using a spoon or other object: <i>Stir the sauce gently over a low heat.</i>
whisk (v)	to mix something such as eggs or cream using a whisk or a fork: <i>Whisk the eggs for two or three minutes.</i>
soft drink (n)	a cold drink that does not contain any alcohol: <i>If you'd like a soft drink, we've got some orange juice.</i>
fizzy drink (n)	a fizzy drink is a sweet drink without alcohol that has bubbles: <i>I don't like fizzy drinks like lemonade.</i>
menu (n)	a list of the food that is available in a restaurant: <i>Do you see anything you like on the menu?</i>
catalogue (n)	a book that contains pictures of things that you can buy: <i>Alan bought his jeans from a mail order catalogue.</i>