

## Daily Life - How Would You Like Your Eggs? (C0069)

A: Wow, you're up early today! What's for breakfast?

B: Well, I felt like baking, so I made some muffins.

A: Smells good! I'll make some coffee. Do you want me to make you some eggs?

B: Sure, I'll take mine, sunny side up.

A: Eww, I don't know how you can eat your eggs like that! Ever since I was small, I've had eggs and soldiers.

B: You know, my dad had scrambled eggs every morning for twenty years. It drove my mom crazy!

A: You know what really drives me crazy? When I ask for soft boiled eggs, and they overcook them, so they come out hard boiled! How can you dip your toast into a hard boiled egg?

B: You're so picky sometimes.

A: Here you go, honey, fried eggs.

B: Dammit! I asked for sunny side up! How many times do I have to tell you.

### Key Vocabulary

bake

cook in the oven

muffin

*common  
noun, plu-  
ral*

a small break or cake  
people usually eat for  
breakfast

sunny-side up

*phrase*

with egg fried on only  
one side

eggs and soldiers	<i>phrase</i>	soft-boiled eggs with strips of buttered toast on it which people usually eat for breakfast
scrambled eggs	<i>common noun, non-variable</i>	a way of cooking eggs by mixing them in a pan
soft boiled egg	<i>phrase</i>	eggs cooked in the shell so the yellow part is still soft and wet
hard boiled egg	<i>phrase</i>	egg cooked in the shell until the inside becomes solid
picky	<i>Adjective</i>	too careful at selecting things and usually hard to please
egg	<i>common noun, plural</i>	the egg of a bird (especially a chicken or a duck) people usually eat as food

## Supplementary Vocabulary

hen	<i>common noun, sin- gular</i>	female chicken
over-easy	<i>Adjective</i>	an egg friend on both sides; cooked so the yolk is still soft
	<i>common noun, sin- gular</i>	eggs mixed, then cooked, and then folded in half;
yolk	<i>common noun, sin- gular</i>	the yellow part of the egg
egg white	<i>common noun, sin- gular</i>	the white part of the egg
frying pan	<i>common noun, sin- gular</i>	a large, flat pot used for cooking eggs and other things