

# Ordering Food – Conversation Cards

Conversation Cards for Advanced Learners in the Johnson County (Iowa) area.  
Page 1: Would you rather...

Sample Answer: I would rather eat sweet food for the rest of my life because I love dessert.

Would you rather eat sweet food or spicy food for the rest of your life?



Would you rather have unlimited pizza or unlimited sushi? If neither, what food would you choose?



Would you rather order take-out in person, over the phone, or on an app? Why?



Would you rather go to a fancy restaurant or eat a meal at home on a Friday night?



Would you rather never eat meat again or never eat dessert again?



Would you rather never eat the same meal again or eat a different meal everyday?



Would you rather have a meal with your ancestors or with your future great-grandchildren?



Would you rather eat American breakfast food for dinner or eat American dinner food for breakfast?

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Page 2: If you could...? & why?

Sample Answer: If I could only eat one flavor of ice cream, I would eat pistachio.



If you could eat one flavor of ice cream forever, which flavor would you choose? Why?



Do you prefer Heyn's Ice Cream or Culver's frozen custard? Have you tried both?



What is your favorite breakfast place in Iowa City? Have you tried Bluebird Diner or The Dandy Lion?



If you could only eat breakfast, lunch or dinner, which would you choose? Why?

If you could only shop at one grocery store, which one would you choose?

Why?



Do you prefer shopping at Hy-Vee, Walmart, or Aldi? Why? Do you have a Costco membership?



Do you prefer going out to get coffee or tea? Do you prefer Dunkin Donuts, Starbucks, or somewhere else?



If you could work at any type of restaurant or café, where would you work? Why?

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Page 3: General Questions & Past Experiences

Which holiday has the best food in your opinion? Which holiday has the worst (or most boring) food?

What is a new food or dish that you have tried in Iowa? Did you enjoy it?



Have you tried Scotcheroos? They are a dessert made of peanut butter, marshmallow, & cereal with chocolate on top.



What is your favorite restaurant in Iowa City? What is a restaurant you want to try in the future?

Do you usually drink water, wine, or a different drink with dinner? What do you usually drink in the morning?



What makes a restaurant good in your opinion? What makes a restaurant bad?



Do you typically look at the menu online before going to a restaurant? Why or why not?



Who makes the best pizza in Iowa City? What are your favorite pizza toppings?