

Read the following and answer the questions.

Cecilia's story

My father was born in Venezuela but my grandfather was Italian so at home we ate a lot of pasta and parmesan cheese.

In the afternoon we would go to a patisserie where we would eat special cake. We were lucky we had money, if you didn't you couldn't eat there as they cost a lot of money.

If someone came to my house in Venezuela I'd ask "Do you want a cup of coffee?" but in London I'd say "Do you want a cup of tea or a cup of coffee?" and I'd offer a biscuit or a piece of cake. The difference is that in the UK you have tea and coffee.

Tick ✓ the correct answer.

1. Where was Cecilia's grandfather from?

- a. France b. Italy c. Spain

2. What did they eat a lot of?

- a. potatoes b. peas c. pasta

3. Where would Cecilia go for afternoon tea?

- a. a restaurant b. her friend's house c. a patisserie

4. What do you need to have to eat in a patisserie?

- a. money b. a hat c. your own cup and saucer

5. What do we have in the UK?

- a. tea b. coffee c. tea and coffee

Finish the sentences.

In my country we like to eat

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In my country we like to drink

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Discuss with a partner.

Is their experience different to yours or similar