

# 2C Pizza problem

**WRITING OUTPUT** | a message to a friend

**GOAL** | help someone understand a pizza menu

**MEDIATION SKILL** | selecting relevant information

## WARM-UP

- 1 Work in pairs and discuss the questions.
  - 1 Do you like pizza? Why/Why not?
  - 2 How often do you and your family eat pizza?
  - 3 Read the list of pizza ingredients in the box. What things do you like on a pizza? Choose three toppings.

A: I like salmon on a pizza.  
B: Salmon? I don't like salmon on a pizza.

broccoli cheese chicken chillies egg  
fresh tomatoes herbs mushrooms olives  
onions pineapple prawns red pepper salmon

## PREPARE

- 2 Read the Scenario. Are the statements True (T) or False (F)?
  - 1 Guy doesn't eat mushrooms.
  - 2 His friend doesn't like pizza.
  - 3 Guy understands all the information about the pizzas.

## SCENARIO

Your friend Guy sends you a message.

Hi. I want to order some pizzas for me and my friend from the pizza restaurant where you work, but I don't understand the menu. We need pizzas with only vegetables, but I don't like mushrooms. Can you help? Here's the menu:

Which ones are best for us?  
We'd like to get two different ones.  
Thanks! PS We're very hungry! 😋



- 3 Work in pairs. Look at the three pizzas in the Scenario and answer Guy's question.
- 4 Read the Mediation Skill box. Which information does Guy need? Which doesn't he need?

## MEDIATION SKILL selecting relevant information



When you give people information, answer their questions clearly, but don't give too much information.

Here is some information about pizzas:

- the names of the pizzas
- a list of all the ingredients of each pizza
- the name of the pizzas that aren't good for a person
- why the pizzas are good for them
- the prices of the pizzas

## MEDIATE

- 5 Write a reply to Guy's message to help him order the correct pizzas.
- 6 Work in pairs. Compare your messages. Do you think your partner needs to add or change anything?

## GARDEN AND SEA

TOMATO, ONION, BROCCOLI, PRAWNS

PRICE: £12



## PRIMAVERA

RED PEPPER, OLIVES, MUSHROOMS

PRICE: £11.50



## HOT SPRING

OLIVES, GREEN PEPPER, HERBS, CHILLIES

PRICE: £10

