

Unit 7 – What’s For Dinner?

Vocabulary

How much is a gallon of orange juice? It’s \$4.29.

There is a box of cookies in the cabinet.

The label on the jar of peanut butter says that there are 200 calories in a two tablespoon serving.

This jar of spaghetti sauce contains 25 ounces.

How many cans of soup should I open for lunch?

There are usually 12 eggs in a carton of eggs.

Please go to the store and buy a package of spaghetti.

There are 32 ounces in the bottle of oil.

You find bananas in the produce section of the grocery store.

The recipe calls for a half pound of butter or two sticks of butter.

There is one cup of sugar in the cake recipe.

Reading

Students who get hot lunch at school usually get a half pint of milk.

It’s important to be a smart, food shopper. I can save a lot of money if I plan before I go to the grocery store.

I go to the grocery store every week. On Sunday, I look at the grocery coupons in the newspaper. I cut out the ones for the items we eat. Then on Wednesday, I read the grocery store advertisements. I compare prices in different stores. After I cut the coupons and look at the sales ads, I make my shopping list.

When I go to the store, I use my list and try not to buy things not on my list. However, when there are in-store specials, and if it is something we will eat, I buy the sale item.

When I check out, I give the cashier my coupons and get money back for recycling shopping bags. If I plan correctly, I can save money when I shop for groceries.

Conversation

Husband: I am going to run some errands now. Do you need anything?

Wife: Can you get a few things at the supermarket?

Husband: Sure. What do we need?

Wife: Please get some flour and milk. I want to make pancakes this week.

Husband: OK. How much flour and milk do you want?

Wife: I need one bag of flour and a half-gallon of 1% milk. Oh, and I need apples and oranges, too.

Husband: How many apples and oranges do you need?

Wife: Oh, 5 apples and 4 oranges should be enough. Thanks.

Husband: OK. I’ll be back in a little while.