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Lesson 57: **Delicious Pie**

Conversation Lesson with a Story,
Vocabulary Practice,
Questions and Activities

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- The Story
 - Vocabulary Practice
 - Questions for Discussion
 - Activities
 - A Related Proverb
- Role Play
 - Ideas to Help You
 - Useful vocabulary/phrases

The Story

We were two Australian student nurses training at an English hospital. During visiting hours, we would take a break in the ward kitchen and often a kindly visitor would slip us a cake or some chocolate.

One night a woman brought a pork pie to the kitchen and asked me: 'Would you **'eat** this up, love?'

My friend and I ate every crumb and were delighted – until the woman returned and asked, 'Is my **'usband's** pie **'ot** yet, dear?'

Source: [The Internet TESL Journal](#)



Vocabulary Practice

Choose the best answer.

1) **'Ward'** here means ...

- a) a kind of cooker
- b) head nurse
- c) a part in hospital
- d) temperature

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Vocabulary Practice

Choose the best answer.

2) To **'slip'** here means to ...

- a) divide sth
- b) give secretly
- c) move slowly
- d) get worse

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Vocabulary Practice

Choose the best answer.

3) **'Pork'** means meat from ...

- a) cow
- b) sheep
- c) hen
- d) pig

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Vocabulary Practice

Choose the best answer.

4) **'Crumb'** means a ...

- a) kind of fresh fruit
- b) very big piece of pie
- c) very small bit of bread, cake, etc.
- d) person who works in a hospital

Vocabulary Practice

Choose the best answer.

5) **'Delighted'** means ...

- a) very angry
- b) quite tired
- c) pretty dark
- d) very pleased

Questions for Discussion

- 1) The woman in the story cannot pronounce a sound. What is it? What can be the reason?
- 2) How do you think the two student nurses felt in the story? Why?
- 3) What do you think will happen next?
- 4) What would you do if you were the student?
- 5) How would you react if you were the woman?

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Activities

- Now tell your friend(s) the story in your own words.
- Pronounce the following words several times:
 - a) Australian student
 - b) visiting hours
 - c) ward kitchen
 - d) every crumb
 - e) delighted
 - f) slip

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An Italian Proverb

‘He who never fails never grows rich.’

- What does the proverb ‘say’?
- Is there a proverb in your mother tongue which bears the same meaning?

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Role Play

Imagine the following situation:

You are studying **in England**. **You** and **your English speaking friend** have been asked to **plan a lecture or an event** about **health** at your school. First, you should **choose** a topic which you find interesting for your schoolmates and then **discuss** the organisation of the lecture/the event. **Person B** will play the role of **your English speaking friend** and **will start** the conversation.



Role Play:

Ideas to Help You

The following ideas may help you:

- *Discussion about drug abuse*
- *Lecture on healthy eating habits*
- *Lecture on the health benefits of doing sports*
- *Workshop – making a poster with the topic ‘**How to deal with stress**’*
- *First aid course*
- *Other*