

coffee and snacks

<p>Learn with television</p> <p>Talk German: Programme 2</p> <p>Explore the German tradition of afternoon coffee and cake. Visit a Munich pastry kitchen where hundreds of slices of Black Forest gateau are made each day.</p> <p>Talk German is repeated regularly on BBC Learning Zone (BBC Two). Check out the details on www.bbc.co.uk/learningzone and video the programmes to watch at your leisure.</p>	<p>Learn online</p> <p>www.bbc.co.uk/languages/german</p> <p>German Steps: Stage 3</p> <p>Coffee and cake; Having a snack</p> <p>Join Andrea and her friends in an outdoor cafe and a traditional beer garden. Watch them on the slideshow, do the activities, read all about German coffee, cakes and beer then check out the links to sites of interest.</p> <p>Talk German: Order drinks</p> <p>Stop for an afternoon break in a Munich cafe. Watch the video clip, read the transcript, do the activity then check your progress.</p>
<p>Learning hint</p> <p>To help you get used to the different endings, make a list in German of all the cakes, snacks and drinks you know, putting them in three columns depending on their gender (der, die, das). Then practise ordering the items starting off with feminine (die) words: ich möchte eine ..., then neuter (das) words: ich möchte ein ..., then the masculine (der) words: ich möchte einen</p>	
<p>Key language</p> <p>Was möchten Sie trinken (essen)? What would you like to drink (eat)?</p> <p>Was trinken (essen) Sie? What are you drinking (eating)?</p> <p>Ich möchte einen Milchkaffee I'd like a latte</p> <p>Ich hätte gern ... I'd like ...</p> <p>Für mich For me</p> <p>Sonst noch etwas? Anything else?</p> <p>Noch eine Tasse Kaffee Another cup of coffee</p> <p>Wir möchten bitte zahlen We'd like to pay, please</p>	<p>Useful vocabulary</p> <p>der Käsekuchen cheesecake</p> <p>die Schokoladentorte chocolate cake</p> <p>die Schwarzwälder Kirschtorte Black Forest gateau</p> <p>mit Sahne with cream</p> <p>ein Stück a piece</p> <p>der Tee tea</p> <p>der Apfelsaft apple juice</p> <p>ein kleines Bier a small beer</p>
<p>Quiz</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Which of the following is a chocolate cake: Johannisbeerkuchen, Sachertorte, Apfelkuchen? 2. If you and your friend are going Dutch, how do you answer the waiter's question Zusammen oder getrennt? 3. How would you order another cup of tea? 4. If someone says Ich bin satt would you order them more to eat? 5. How would you ask for a piece of apple cake with cream? 6. Would you expect to hear Was darf's sein? from a waiter or a customer? <p>Answers on www.bbc.co.uk/languages/german/answers.shtml</p>	