

Worksheet (2.2)

Comprehension Practice (1) - Non-fictional text

Date: Answer Key

Read the text and answer the questions.

Mozzarella and Tomato Salad

Preparation time: 10 minutes / serves 3 people

You will need

- 500 g ripe tomatoes
- 250 g fresh mozzarella
- 8 - 10 fresh basil leaves
- $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of olive oil
- Pepper and salt (if necessary)
- bread

What to do

1. First, use a knife to cut the tomatoes into thin slices. Next, cut the mozzarella into thin slices.
2. Then, tear up the basil leaves into small pieces by hand.
3. Place the tomatoes and the mozzarella evenly on a serving dish.
4. Sprinkle with olive oil.
5. Add a little salt and pepper, if necessary.
6. Finally, add the torn basil leaves.
7. Serve with bread.

Do not cut basil with a knife, as the steel of a knife makes the edges of the leaves black.

Comprehension questions:

1. Is this text fiction or non-fiction? Why?

Non-fiction, because it gives real information and facts.

2. What genre of text is Mozzarella and Tomato Salad?

Tick one box.

historical
instructional
letter

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3. Which of the following features are found in the text? Tick four boxes.

advice/warning

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numbered points

characters

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headings

adverbs

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plot

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4. How many people can this recipe feed?

3 people

5. How many grams of tomatoes are needed?

500 grams

6. How long does the salad take to prepare?

10 minutes

7. Does the writer think salt and pepper is always needed in this recipe?
Find words in the recipe that support your answer.

No, because it says "if necessary"

8. What should be done after placing the tomatoes and the mozzarella?

Step 4 "Sprinkle with olive oil."

9. How should you place the tomatoes and the mozzarella on the dish?

evenly

10. List four examples of bossy verbs in the instructions.

a. use

c. sprinkle

b. Serve

d. add

time words

11. Find four words that the writer uses to help the reader follow the order of the steps.

a. First

c. Then

b. next

d. finally

