Unit 4

♦ Ordering Food in a Restaurant
♦ Giving and Following Directions
♦ A Visit to a Clinic — Part 1
♦ Body Parts and Aliments
GUSTAVO MEETS MIN — Part 1

Gustavo enters a Vietnamese restaurant. Min is the waitress and she greets him. She asks him if he wants to eat in or take out. He wants to eat in the restaurant. When Min asks him how many people are in his party, he tells her that he is eating alone. She tells him to follow her, and she brings him to an empty table. After she seats Gustavo, Min gives him a menu to look over. While he reads the menu, she brings him some noodles, “on the house.” That means free, no charge.

Min asks, “Are you ready to order?” Gustavo orders a soda, but no food. Min is concerned. She tells Gustavo that the food is very good here. Her cousins are the cooks. Gustavo only has enough money for the soda and he will eat dinner with his family. Min goes to get Gustavo’s soda. She thinks he looks very thirsty.

1. Where is Gustavo?

2. What does Min ask him first?

3. What does Min give Gustavo?

4. Does Gustavo pay for the noodles?

5. What does Gustavo order?
GUSTAVO MEETS MIN — Part 2

Min serves Gustavo his soda. She offers him a straw, which he doesn’t take. She sees that Gustavo is in pain. She asks him if he’s all right. He says that he’s fine, but she doesn’t believe him. Then he admits the truth: his back hurts. Min offers him some aspirin that she keeps in her purse. Gustavo jokes with Min when he asks her, “Is it on the house?” Then he introduces himself to Min.

1. Does Gustavo take the straw?

2. Is Gustavo in pain?

3. What does Gustavo say is hurting him?

4. Does Min offer aspirin to Gustavo?

5. What does Gustavo do after he jokes with Min?
ORDERING FOOD

1. *Would like* is a polite way to say *want*.

   **Example:**  
   I want a cheeseburger.  OR  I would like a cheeseburger.

2. *Would* is often used in a contraction. These are the contraction forms:

   - I would = I’d
   - You would = You’d
   - He would = He’d
   - She would = She’d
   - We would = We’d
   - They would = They’d

3. In a restaurant, we often use *would like* to order food:

   **Example:**
   WAITER:  Are you ready to order?
   CUSTOMER:  Yes, please. I’d like the fried chicken dinner.
   WAITER:  And what would you like to drink?
   CUSTOMER:  I’d like a large cola, please.
Now complete these conversations using would like or its contractions.

1. WAITRESS: What ___________ you ___________ to drink?
   YOU: ___________ ___________ a small iced tea, please.

2. WAITER: ___________ you ___________ juice or coffee this morning?
   YOU: ___________ ___________ some coffee, please.

3. WAITER: Are you ready to order?
   YOU: Yes, please. ___________ ___________ a hamburger and a large
       order of fries.

4. WAITRESS: ___________ you ___________ any dessert? We have chocolate
   cake, apple pie, ice cream and cookies.
   YOU: ___________ ___________ a piece of apple pie, please.

5. WAITER: How was your dinner?
   YOU: It was delicious! Thank you.

   WAITER: ___________ you ___________ anything else tonight?
   YOU: No, thank you, just the check.
GUSTAVO AND MIN HAVE LUNCH

Min serves Gustavo some food, which she brings on a tray. He’s surprised because he didn’t order any food. Min explains that her cousins made too much food for the last customer. They will have to throw it away if he doesn’t eat it. Min takes some aspirin out of a small bottle and gives it to Gustavo. She says he needs to eat because it’s bad to take aspirin on an empty stomach. Min wants him to eat right away because the food is best when it’s hot. The food smells delicious to Gustavo.

Min goes to get Gustavo some silverware. When she returns, she joins him for dinner. Gustavo is surprised that Min can eat when she works. Min tells him that her parents own the restaurant. Someday, they want Min to take it over.

1. What does Min bring Gustavo?

_____________________________________________________________________

2. What does she carry it on?

_____________________________________________________________________

3. What does Min tell Gustavo when she gives him the aspirin?

_____________________________________________________________________

4. Who makes the food?

_____________________________________________________________________

5. Why can Min eat when she works?

_____________________________________________________________________
GUSTAVO TELLS MIN HIS STORY

Gustavo tells Min how he hurt his back at work. When Min asks him if he told his boss, Gustavo asks for a napkin. When Min asks him what the boss said, he changes the subject again. He doesn’t want to talk about it. Min insists that it is very important. Gustavo’s boss has an obligation to help him. Gustavo explains that his boss doesn’t even want to see him. Gustavo didn’t work for him today. He works for different people every day. When Min hears that his boss never paid him for his work, she is upset.

1. Where was Gustavo when he hurt his back?

_________________________________________________________________________

2. Did Gustavo’s boss pay him for the job?

_________________________________________________________________________

3. Does Gustavo work for the same boss every day?

_________________________________________________________________________
## VOCABULARY

*Study the following definitions.*

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<td>alone</td>
<td>by yourself</td>
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<tr>
<td>assistant</td>
<td>a person whose job is to help another person</td>
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<tr>
<td>bring</td>
<td>take from one place to another</td>
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<td>certificate</td>
<td>diploma</td>
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<td>clinic</td>
<td>doctor’s office</td>
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<td>customer</td>
<td>a person who eats at a restaurant or shops at a store</td>
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<td>fair</td>
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<td>form</td>
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<td>get off</td>
<td>leave work</td>
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<td>own</td>
<td>have something that is yours</td>
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<td>pain</td>
<td>hurt</td>
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<td>silverware</td>
<td>fork, spoon, and knife</td>
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<td>smell</td>
<td>you see with your eyes and smell with your nose</td>
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<td>take out</td>
<td>order food from a restaurant to take home</td>
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<td>throw away</td>
<td>put in the garbage</td>
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<td>treat</td>
<td>the actions of one person towards another person</td>
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<td>unfair</td>
<td>not equal</td>
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1. Mary doesn’t have any roommates. She lives ___________ in a one bedroom apartment.

2. When you complete all the classes, you will receive your _________________ in auto mechanics.

3. These roses _______________ like expensive perfume.

4. When you _______________ work tonight, do you want to have dinner with me?

5. Is John renting this house? No. He bought it last year. He ________________ it.

6. Every table in this restaurant has napkins, cups, plates and _________________.

7. You always have knee ________________. You should see a doctor.

8. ________________ this old pair of shoes. They’re no good anymore.

9. Our boss is good to everyone. He _________________ all his employees very well.

10. If you don’t have time to eat at the restaurant, you can order food to ____________.

11. The nurses at this _____________________________ are very kind and helpful.

12. I’m sorry. Mr. Jones is not here today, but his _________________ can help you with your problem.

13. If we want our restaurant to make a lot of money, we have to make our _________________ happy.

14. Good students always ___________________________ their books to class.

15. Complete this ________________ with your name, address, and telephone number.

16. Mrs. Gonzalez, the new manager, treats all her employees the same. She’s a very ________________ person.
MIN HELPS GUSTAVO

Min tells Gustavo that first they need to take care of his back. After that, they need to get his money from his boss. Gustavo doesn’t thank Min for her help, so she jokes with him and says, “You’re welcome.” Gustavo has no money to pay a doctor. Min has friends who work at a clinic. There are doctors and nurses there, and clients do not need to pay a lot of money. Min’s friends are nurse’s assistants. They help the nurses and doctors.

Gustavo wants to go there right away if possible. Min looks at her watch and says that the clinic is open until 7:00 pm. Gustavo needs to go soon. Min asks Gustavo if he’s still hungry, but he isn’t. Gustavo thanks her for the food and tells her that it was delicious. He then asks Min for directions to the clinic.

1. Does Min want Gustavo to take care of his back?
_________________________________________________________________________

2. Where does Min want to take Gustavo?
_________________________________________________________________________

3. Will Gustavo have to pay a lot of money there?
_________________________________________________________________________

4. Who does Min know at the clinic?
_________________________________________________________________________

5. What do Min’s friends do at the clinic?
_________________________________________________________________________
GIVING AND RECEIVING DIRECTIONS

Min and Gustavo are outside. She gives Gustavo directions to the clinic. “Go North on Alameda, about half a mile, then turn right on California. Go two blocks, and turn left on Sunrise.” Gustavo is confused, so Min decides to take him to the clinic when she gets off work. She doesn’t want him to get lost, and she wants to see her friends. She tells Gustavo to come back in one hour. Then they will go together.

1. Does Min give Gustavo directions to the clinic?

_______________________________________________________________________

2. Does he understand the directions?

_______________________________________________________________________

3. Is Gustavo going alone?

_______________________________________________________________________

4. Who is going with him?

_______________________________________________________________________

5. When are they going?

_______________________________________________________________________
A VISIT TO THE CLINIC

Min and Gustavo arrive at the clinic. Min is happy to see her friend Sally, the receptionist. She introduces Gustavo to Sally and explains his situation. Sally asks if Gustavo’s boss is going to pay for the doctor. When Gustavo says that his boss won’t pay, Sally tells him that he has a right to be paid. Min says she’s going to help him. Sally thinks that the doctors here are very good and that they’ll be able to help Gustavo. He has to fill out a form and wait a few minutes. Min wants to be a nurse’s assistant. She has the certificate. She and Sally go to school together to learn their new job. Sally asks Min where she applied for a job. Min is a little embarrassed. She doesn’t want to tell Sally that she didn’t apply because she didn’t finish the program.

1. How does Min know Sally?

_______________________________________________________________________

2. Does Sally think that Gustavo needs to be paid for his work?

_______________________________________________________________________

3. Can the doctor see Gustavo right away?

_______________________________________________________________________

4. What does Min go to school for?

_______________________________________________________________________

5. Did Min apply for a job?

_______________________________________________________________________
GIVING AND FOLLOWING DIRECTIONS — Part 1

Read the following conversations and look at the map.

1. A: Excuse me. Could you please tell me how to get to the library from here?
   B: Sure. Go straight up 1st St. to Bell Ave., turn right, and go two blocks to 3rd St. Turn left on 3rd St. The library is on the left, next to the courthouse.
   A: Thanks very much.
   B: You’re welcome.

2. A: Pardon me. Can you please tell me how to get to the train station from here?
   B: Certainly. Go up 1st St. to Lake Ave. and turn right. Go one block to 2nd St., turn left, go two blocks to Villa Ave., and then turn right. The train station is on the right, across the street from the park.
   A: Thank you!
   B: You’re welcome.
GIVING AND FOLLOWING DIRECTIONS — Part 2

Look at the map on the left and fill in the spaces in the conversations.

1. A: Excuse me. Could you please tell me how to get to the Chinese restaurant?
   B: Sure. Go up 1st St. _______ block to Lake Ave., and turn __________. Then
go __________ blocks to 3rd St. The Chinese restaurant is on the
______________ . __________ _________ the police station.
   A: Thanks.
   B: You’re welcome.

2. A: Excuse me. Could you please tell me how to get to the pharmacy from here?
   B: Of course! Go up _______ St. to Lake Ave., and turn __________. Go one block
   and turn ______________ on 2nd St. Then go two blocks and it’s at the
   __________ of 2nd St. and Villa Ave.
   A: Thank you very much.
   B: You’re very welcome.

3. A: Pardon me. Can you tell me how to get to the amusement park from here?
   B: Sure! Go straight up 1st St. _______ blocks to the intersection of 1st St. and
   ________________ Ave., and turn left. It’s on the __________.
   A: Great! Thank you.
   B: No problem. Have fun!
PARTS OF THE BODY

1. What’s the matter?
   My head hurts.

2. What’s the matter with Carolina?
   Her eyes hurt.
Look at the pictures and complete the sentences.

1. A: What’s the matter?
   B: My _________________ hurts.

2. A: What’s the matter with Stefan?
   B: His _________________ hurts.

3. A: What’s the matter with Sally?
   B: Her _________________ hurts.

4. A: What’s the matter with Min?
   B: Her _________________ hurts.

5. A: What’s the matter?
   B: My _________________ hurts.

6. A: What’s the matter with Gustavo and Jose?
   B: Their _________________ hurt.
UNIT 4 TEST

Circle the correct answers.

1. ___________________ you like something to drink?
   a. What
   b. Do
   c. Would

2. I would _______________ a piece of apple pie, please.
   a. want
   b. like
   c. have

3. When Gustavo hurt his back, he went to a ________________ to see a doctor.
   a. supermarket
   b. customer
   c. clinic

4. I fell down in the park today. My leg __________________.
   a. pain
   b. hurts
   c. is

5. We don’t eat with our fingers. We use ________________.
   a. silverware
   b. plates
   c. cups

6. Marta, please _______________ me a glass of water. I’m very thirsty.
   a. make
   b. bring
   c. gave

7. My mother is cooking something delicious. I can _____________ it from my bedroom.
   a. hear
   b. use
   c. smell

8. Waitress: “Would you like to eat here or ________________?”
   a. bring
   b. throw away
   c. take out
UNIT 4 TEST

9. Min serves her _____________ in the restaurant.
   a. customers  
   b. assistant  
   c. alone

10. Gustavo has a _____________ in his back.
    a. pain  
    b. matter  
    c. wrong

11. What’s the _____________ with Carolina?
    a. pain  
    b. matter  
    c. wrong

12. Carolina’s head _____________.
    a. hurts  
    b. pain  
    c. full

    a. car  
    b. stomach  
    c. computer

14. Excuse me. Can you tell me how to ___________ to the library, please?
    a. get  
    b. turn  
    c. left

15. The restaurant is on the ____________, across the street from the supermarket.
    a. nest  
    b. park  
    c. right

16. “Excuse me. Where’s the post office?”
    “Go _____________ two blocks. It’s on the corner of this street and 3rd Ave.”
    a. straight  
    b. above  
    c. into
UNIT 4 TEST

17. “Where’s the pharmacy?” “Go up Main St. to Lake Ave.
Turn _________ and go one block. It’s next to the police station.”
a. straight
b. right
c. over

18. “How do you get to the bookstore from here?”
“Go up two ___________ and turn left. It’s across from the hospital.”
a. lefts
b. blocks
c. rights

19. There is a traffic light at the _____________ of First St. and Main St.
a. corner
b. block
c. road

20. “Where is the clinic?”
“It’s ______________________ the supermarket and the bakery.”
a. straight
b. under
c. between
ORDERING FOOD (page 77)
1. What would you like to drink?
   I’d like a small iced tea.

2. Would you like juice or coffee?
   I’d like some coffee, please.

3. I’d like a hamburger and a large order of fries.

4. Would you like any dessert?
   I’d like a piece of apple pie, please.

5. Would you like anything else tonight?

VOCABULARY (page 81)
1. alone
2. certificate
3. smell
4. get off
5. owns
6. silverware
7. pain
8. Throw away
9. treats
10. take out
11. clinic
12. assistant
13. customers
14. bring
15. form
16. fair

PARTS OF THE BODY (page 89)
1. shoulder
2. finger
3. foot
4. head
5. stomach
6. backs

GIVING AND FOLLOWING DIRECTIONS — PART 2
(page 87)
1. one…right…two…left…across from…
2. 1st…right…left…corner…
3. three…Villa…right