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Level 1

'Selfieccino' is the new art in making coffee

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<https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1712/171222-selfieccino-1.html>

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Please try Levels 0, 2 and 3. They are (a little) harder.

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THE READING

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1712/171222-selfieccino-1.html>

A cafe started a personal way of making coffee. It is called the "selfieccino". Coffee shop staff used to draw hearts and flowers in the white coffee froth. Now they have taken that to a new level. They can put a picture of a customer's face in the white coffee froth. The cafe is in one of London's top shopping areas. It sold over 400 of the personalized drinks within days of starting the service this week.

The cafe uses technology to put people's faces on the coffee. Customers send a picture of their face from their mobile phone. A machine changes the picture into an image on the white froth. This takes about four minutes and costs \$7.50. The cafe's owner explained why he started the selfieccinos. He said: "It's not enough any more to just deliver great food and great service. It's got to be Instagram worthy." People want to post their life on social media.

Sources: <http://www.gmanetwork.com/news/lifestyle/food/637193/london-cafe-unveils-the-selfieccino-story/>
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PHRASE MATCHING

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1712/171222-selfieccino-1.html>

PARAGRAPH ONE:

- | | |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. a personal way | a. shopping areas |
| 2. staff used to draw | b. customer's face |
| 3. Now they have taken that | c. this week |
| 4. a picture of a | d. hearts and flowers |
| 5. in the white coffee | e. personalized drinks |
| 6. in one of London's top | f. of making coffee |
| 7. It sold over 400 of the | g. froth |
| 8. starting the service | h. to a new level |

PARAGRAPH TWO:

- | | |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Customers send a picture | a. about four minutes |
| 2. from their mobile | b. and great service |
| 3. A machine changes | c. of their face |
| 4. an image on the white | d. life on social media |
| 5. This takes | e. the picture |
| 6. It's not | f. froth |
| 7. deliver great food | g. phone |
| 8. People want to post their | h. enough |

LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1712/171222-selfieccino-1.html>

A cafe (1) _____ way of making coffee. It is called the "selfieccino". Coffee shop (2) _____ draw hearts and flowers (3) _____ coffee froth. Now they have taken that to a new level. They can put a picture of a customer's (4) _____ white coffee froth. The cafe (5) _____ of London's top shopping areas. It sold over 400 of the personalized drinks (6) _____ starting the service this week.

The cafe uses technology to put people's (7) _____ coffee. Customers send a picture of their (8) _____ mobile phone. A machine changes the picture (9) _____ on the white froth. This takes about four minutes and costs \$7.50. The cafe's owner explained (10) _____ the selfieccinos. He said: "It's not enough any (11) _____ deliver great food and great service. It's got to be Instagram worthy." People want to post (12) _____ social media.

PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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SELFIECCINO SURVEY

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1712/171222-selfieccino-4.html>

Write five GOOD questions about selfieccino in the table. Do this in pairs. Each student must write the questions on his / her own paper. When you have finished, interview other students. Write down their answers.

	STUDENT 1 _____	STUDENT 2 _____	STUDENT 3 _____
Q.1.			
Q.2.			
Q.3.			
Q.4.			
Q.5.			

- Now return to your original partner and share and talk about what you found out. Change partners often.
- Make mini-presentations to other groups on your findings.

WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student A: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

d) _____

e) _____

f) _____

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WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student B: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

d) _____

e) _____

f) _____

