

Vocabulary

Swift Pizza

Pleasure: placer

Writing: escritura

half-bound: medio libro

lamp: Caldera

My Artistic Adventure

Countryside: campo

Quickly: rápidamente

Simply: simplemente

Brook: arroyo

1 Read the following text and answer the questions.

My Artistic Adventure

When I was a child in Ireland, I went to bed late, and I could not sleep past six. One morning, I found a Spanish television show with a French man who was painting a beautiful countryside with oil paints.

Right then, I began watching this show. With his quiet voice he explained his natural way of painting, and he quickly made trees and rivers, simply by moving his hand across the paper. He made it look simple and easy, so I thought I could do it by myself.



Every Sunday morning, I would try to paint what he was painting on the screen, but I needed oil paints to make my paintings as beautiful as his. I could not buy oil paints; I was only seven, and my parents would not buy them for me. Then I decided to use my mother's cosmetics and paper for my painting. I was ready to paint my first picture.

After my mum saw what I did with her things, I was told I could not paint again. This put an end to my idea of using food the next time to make a picture. After a while, I stopped watching the French painter. It was difficult for me to simply watch him when I was unable to paint my own picture.

1. When she was seven, she slept ; "And I could not sleep past six".

- a. for some hours b. very well c. a lot

2. Where was the painter from? ; "Spanish television show with a French man".

- a. Ireland b. Spain c. France

3. She was mostly excited by the ; "he made it look simple and easy".

- a. painter's ability b. painter's voice c. painter's show

4. How often did she watch the show? "every Sunday morning".

- a. three times a week b. once a week c. twice a week

She could not get oil paints because she ; "I was only seven".

- a. didn't speak Spanish b. was too young c. always watched TV

Stopping painting was = "After a while I stopped watching the French painter".

- a. the painter's idea b. her mother's order c. her own decision

Read the text and answer the questions.

Swift Pizza and Sandwich House

Today we have the pleasure of showing you the best letter written by our customer Mark. He wins £25 for writing about us this week. He is so happy with the orders at Swift Pizza and Sandwich House that he wants to declare a holiday to celebrate his experience here: "Happy burgerday and Merry Sandwichmas to everyone!" he wrote.



Wednesday May 18, 2011. One typical day I was too tired after working all day long to cook for myself, and I was very hungry. I really wanted something to eat, so I decided to find a burger.

I ordered a half round burger and a lamb and chicken sandwich. I also made some special orders for extra cheese and vegetables.

Food arrived very fast (less than twenty minutes) and was hot and fresh. The burger was delicious, and left me wanting more - fortunately I had the sandwich left. It felt as if it had been cut just a minute before I opened it - juicy, fresh, and great.

Every single special request I made was completely satisfied, 100%!

And the best thing was that all of the above and some drinks cost me ONLY 10 dollars! If that doesn't say value for money, I don't know what does.

It certainly feels great to find new excellent food delivery companies for whenever you don't feel like cooking yourself. I recently had a sad experience with my usual take away restaurant, so I decided to change to something else - and on my first try I got what I wanted! Order now from Swift Pizza and Sandwich House.

Mark

1. According to the text, the customer

- left a £25 tip to the waiters who work there.
- celebrated Christmas and New Year at this restaurant.
- found this great restaurant after many attempts.
- posted an excellent review about this restaurant.

2. It can be inferred from the text that Mark

- "I was too tired after work" does not like cooking food for himself.
- almost always eats hamburgers.
- "my mood was completely satisfied" enjoys eating fast food sometimes.
- is tired of going to restaurants.

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