

Beginner 2 | Lesson 3 | Imperatives

## Sandwich!

Meg and Todd share how to make their favorite sandwiches.

Todd: Hey, Meg. Let's talk about sandwiches.
Meg: Yum.
Todd: How do you $\qquad$ your favorite sandwich?

Meg: Well, my favorite sandwich is called a BLT. Bacon, lettuce, and tomato.

Todd: Ooh, that's so good.
Meg: Yeah, isn't it? It's very $\qquad$ to make. First, the tomatoes. Then, toast the bread. Next, $\qquad$ the mayonnaise on the toast. After that, $\qquad$ the bacon. Then
$\qquad$ everything together and $\qquad$ lettuce. Finally,

Todd: Okay. That sounds great. Let me check. First, slice some tomatoes.

Meg: Right.
Todd: Then $\qquad$ some
lettuce.
Meg: You do need to get the lettuce, but after $\qquad$ the tomatoes, you should $\qquad$ the bread.

Todd: Okay. So, slice the tomatoes, toast the bread.

## Meg: Right.

Todd: And then spread mayonnaise on the bread, on the toast.

Meg: Uh-huh. Yup.
Todd: And then add the tomato and lettuce.
Meg: Mm-hmm.
Todd: And then, oh. Fry the bacon ...
Meg: Right.
Todd: ... and put the bacon on the lettuce and tomato.
Meg: And the toast.
Todd: And the toast.

## Quiz

1) Spread the $\qquad$ _.
a) bread
b) bacon
c) mayonnaise
2) Slice the $\qquad$ .
a) bread
b) cheese
c) tomatoes
3) Fry the $\qquad$ .
a) bread
b) bacon
c) both of them
4) Cut the $\qquad$ .
a) bacon
b) bananas
c) bread
5) On both sandwiches, $\qquad$ the bread.
a) spread
b) toast
c) slice

## Grammar Challenge

Fill in the blanks with the correct word.

| put | make | spread | bread |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| toast | slice | cut | easy |
| serve | slicing | get | fry |

## Speaking Challenge

Match the answers with the questions.

1) What is your favorite sandwich?
2) What is on it?
3) What do you do first?
4) What do you do next?
5) How often do you eat it?
( _ ) Get two pieces of bread.
(_) I love $P$ and $J$ sandwiches.
(-) Spread peanut butter and jelly on each slice of bread.
(-) Just peanut butter and jelly.
(-) To be honest, I don't eat it often.
What about you? Share your answers to the questions.

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Meg: Yes.

Todd: I think I can do it.
Meg: You can do it. What about you? What's your favorite sandwich?

Todd: Oh, my favorite sandwich is really easy but a little unhealthy. It's a peanut butter and banana sandwich.

Meg: Ooh, sounds delicious.
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Meg: Mm-hmm
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Meg: Uh-huh.
Todd: Then cut up a banana into big slices.

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Meg: Mm-hmm.
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Meg: Okay.
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Meg: Wow, it sounds pretty easy. Let's see if I can remember. So first, toast the bread?

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4. Don't do that!

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Point 3: Add the word please to make the commands more polite.

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Point 4: The negative form of the imperative uses do not or don't plus the base verb.

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