

READING ACTIVITY: CULTURAL GLOBALIZATION – FOOD

OA9: Demostrar comprensión de información explícita en textos simples.

I. Use your **previous knowledge** and answer the questions.

- 1) Where is pizza from?: _____
- 2) Where are tacos from?: _____
- 3) Where is sushi from?: _____
- 4) Write one typical Chilean dish: _____
- 5) Write one typical Chilean drink: _____

Define the concepts, use **DICTIONARIES**.

- 6) Define canteen: _____
- 7) Define label: _____
- 8) What is a dish? : _____

READ THE TEXT ABOUT “GLOBALIZATION” AND COMPLETE ITEMS II & III

"What's on this afternoon?" Sonia's father asked tiredly.
 "Let's see...I think we could eat tacos **or** some sushi. I love pizza, **too!**"
 Sonia's father gave a deep sigh.
 "Look, Sonia, on a single day I have drunk and eaten food from all over the world. In the morning, I had a cup of tea and ate some cereals. The tea leaves came from India and the cereals from the USA.
 When I got back to the office, I bought a cup of coffee from the canteen. It happens that the coffee beans were from Brazil."

"At lunch, I went to a Peruvian restaurant with some of my colleagues. Then, I bought a bottle of mineral water at the store. When I read the label on the bottle, I realized it was from Argentina", Sonia's father went on talking about his day.
 "What's wrong with that? Why are you so upset?", Sonia asked.
 "**Because**, after such a day, I only wanted to come home and enjoy a good portion of a typical Chilean dish, **but** my adorable daughter says she would be delighted to eat tacos or some sushi!"

II. Complete the table with the country of origin of the food. Use the information in the text.

FOOD	COUNTRY
Tea leaves	
Cereals	
Coffee beans	
Bottle of Water	

III. Answer True (T) or False (F). Correct the false sentences.

1) ___ Sonia and her father were talking about something related to culture.

2) ___ Sonia suggested tacos, lasagna, and sushi to his father.

3) ___ Sonia's father had lunch in a Peruvian restaurant with his wife.

4) ___ Sonia's father drank tea from Brazil.

REFLECTION QUESTIONS:

You can answer these questions in Spanish.

1. Do you prefer Chilean food or International food? Why?

2. Why do you think **FOOD** is part of **CULTURE**?

3. Do you think other cultures have influence Chilean food?

4. Is it important to know other cultures?

