German Dinner Activity Pack

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1 Say it at dinner

Try these phrases with a grown-up. Pronunciations are approximate.

Hallo HAH-loh	Hello
Danke DAHN-kuh	Thank you
Bitte BIT-tuh	Please / You are welcome
Guten Appetit GOO-ten ah-peh-TEET	Enjoy your meal
Tschuess CHUESS	Bye

2 Match the meanings

Write the letter of the correct English meaning next to each phrase.

1. Hallo	_____	A. Please / You are welcome
2. Danke	_____	B. Hello
3. Bitte	_____	C. Enjoy your meal
4. Guten Appetit	_____	D. Thank you

Dinner challenge: Use two new phrases during your meal.

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3 Match the dinner dishes

Draw a line from each blog-inspired dish to its description.

Bavarian pretzels	Bratwurst with fermented cabbage
Black Forest salad	Soft, twisted bread with salt
Sausages and sauerkraut	Flaky pastry with spiced apples
Apple strudel	Leafy greens, cabbage and vegetables

4 Who made this art?

Match each artist with a description. Write the correct letter.

1. Albrecht Durer	_____	A. Misty mountains and dramatic landscapes
2. Caspar David Friedrich	_____	B. Expressive color and village scenes
3. Ernst Ludwig Kirchner	_____	C. Pretzel shaping and detailed art

5 Dinner discovery

Circle one dish you would like to taste. Tell someone why.

My choice: _____

5 Discover the country

Read the clues. Circle the correct answer.

Which continent is Germany in?

A. Europe B. Africa C. Asia

What is Germany's capital?

A. Berlin B. Rome C. Dublin

What colors appear on Germany's flag?

A. Blue/white B. Black/red/gold C. Green/orange

6 Make a dinner menu

Plan a main dish, a side, and a dessert inspired by this dinner.

Main dish: _____

Side dish: _____

Dessert: _____

Talk about it: Which ingredient or flavor would you like to try?

7 Artist studio

Design a cuckoo clock with a clock face, roof, and a little bird.

8 Add the details

Draw a Black Forest landscape behind your clock.

At dinner, tell your family which artist or idea inspired your drawing.

My favorite part: _____

Grown-up answer guide

Use the matching keys below. Art and menu answers can vary.

Food matching (top-to-bottom left -> right):

1. Bavarian pretzels - Soft, twisted bread with salt
2. Black Forest salad - Leafy greens, cabbage and vegetables
3. Sausages and sauerkraut - Bratwurst with fermented cabbage
4. Apple strudel - Flaky pastry with spiced apples

Artist matching:

1. Albrecht Durer = C (Pretzel shaping and detailed art)
2. Caspar David Friedrich = A (Misty mountains and dramatic landscapes)
3. Ernst Ludwig Kirchner = B (Expressive color and village scenes)

Dinner menu inspiration from the blog:

Pretzels / Black Forest salad / sausages and sauerkraut / apple strudel

Other activities:

Phrase matching: 1-B, 2-D, 3-A, 4-C.

Geography trivia: 1-A; 2-A (German), 2-B (Irish/Japanese); 3-B (German), 3-A (Irish/Japanese).

Creative activities have no single correct answer.