

Unit 20. 料理 Cooking(2)



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Grammar Focus

Sequence Adverbs

Adverbials of time and sequence help us understand the time relationship between sentences and ideas. Adverbials of time and sequence fall into two groups. The first group consists of time expressions of more than one word. Time expressions of more than one word generally introduce a sentence and are followed by a comma. Here's a list of the most common ones:

- By + time = By seven o'clock, the theater was full.
- At + time = At around three o'clock, the band walks the door.
- After + time = After five o'clock, the students go home.
- Before + time = They all arrived before noon.
- After + noun = After about twenty minutes, I had to see her again.
- Before + noun = Before the movie, we went out for dinner.
- During + noun = During the movie, the people kept talking.

Let's Practice

Make a sentence using the following adverbials.

1. By+time =
2. After+noun =
3. During+noun =

Describe the pictures.

