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Talk about food at home vs at special occasions [2 / 3]

- Using the pronoun *en*

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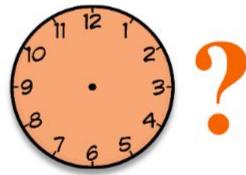
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Quand ?



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Vocabulaire



manger	to eat
grignoter	to snack
boire	to drink
prendre	to take
le petit-déjeuner	breakfast
le déjeuner	lunch
le goûter	snack
le dîner	dinner
le repas	meal





Grammaire

Using the pronoun *en*





The pronoun **en**

The pronoun **en** replaces a partitive article plus a noun.

For example:

Je mange **du chocolat**



= I eat **chocolate**

J'**en** mange



= I eat **some** (of it)





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For example:

Je bois **de l'eau**



= I drink **water**

J'**en** bois



= I drink **some** (of it)





The pronoun **en**

The pronoun **en** replaces a partitive article plus a noun.

For example:

Je mange les bonbons



= I eat sweets

J'**en** mange souvent



= I eat **some** (of them) often





The pronoun en



The pronoun **en** replaces a partitive article plus a noun.

For example:

Je bois **du coca** → J'**en** bois

Je mange **de la salade** → J'**en** mange

Je grignote **des fruits** → J'**en** grignote

The pronoun 'en' doesn't change - regardless of the gender of the noun it is replacing.

The pronoun 'en' is placed between the subject and the verb.





Using the pronoun *en*

Rewrite the sentences, replacing the partitive article and noun, with *en*.

1. Je mange du bœuf
2. Je prends des bonbons
3. Je bois du café
4. Je grignote des frites
5. Je bois de l'eau
6. Je mange de la salade





Using the pronoun **en** - ANSWERS

Rewrite the sentences, replacing the partitive article and noun, with *en*.

1. Je mange du bœuf **= J'en mange**
2. Je prends des bonbons **= J'en prends**
3. Je bois du café **= J'en bois**
4. Je grignote des frites **= J'en grignote**
5. Je bois de l'eau **= J'en bois**
6. Je mange de la salade **= J'en mange**



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1. The pronoun <i>en</i> replaces....	The partitive article + the noun
2. For example, <i>je bois de l'eau</i> changes to....	J'en bois
3. For example, <i>je prends du café</i> changes to....	J'en prends
4. I eat (some of) it =	J'en mange
5. I snack on (some of) it =	J'en grignote

