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Time: 00:00

Voice 1

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Voice 2

And I'm Adam Navis. Spotlight uses a special English method of broadcasting. It is easier for people to understand, no matter where in the world they live.

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Time: 1:41

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Voice 2

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Voice 4

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This study also found that eating alone can be bad for people's bodies. Men who ate at least two meals alone every day, were more likely to have some particular health issues. These issues include higher risk for heart disease and diabetes. Men who ate alone were also more likely to be obese. Eating alone is also connected to emotional health such as feelings of loneliness.

Voice 2

But there can be good things about eating alone too! Sometimes people use this as a time to be thoughtful and thankful about their lives. Or maybe it is just a moment of quiet time to think. If you eat alone, you can also eat whatever you want. This might lead to unhealthy food choices for some people. But it is an opportunity to concentrate on what you need for



your own health and happiness. And, if you go out alone, you might meet new people and find a new friendship.

Time: 7:10

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The Moomin Café in Japan welcomes people dining alone with a stuffed animal. But in other restaurants people can eat alone in a different way. Another restaurant that is especially for people eating alone is in the Netherlands. It is a small pop-up restaurant so it can move to different locations. It is named Eenmaal. This means 'one meal' or 'one time' in English. At Eenmaal, there are only tables for one. Each meal is perfectly sized for one person. No one is permitted to bring in cell phones or computers. Customers read books. They enjoy fresh food and their own company. Marina van Goor designed Eenmaal. She tells OZY.com about Eenmaal's social influence:

Voice 5

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Voice 2

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Voice 2

Eating alone can be a lonely experience. But it can also be a wonderful one. Many people even enjoy eating meals alone. Of course, eating is an important part of every culture around the world. But if you cannot eat with friends, you can still enjoy good food and good company – your own!

Voice 1

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Voice 2

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النص مع المعنى

حاول تستخدمها فقط للضرورة القصوى. مهارة التخمين والاستيعاب هي الأساس، مو حفظ الكلمات.

الوقت: 00:00

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الصوت الأول

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الصوت الثانى

وأنا آدم نافييس. يستخدم برنامج Spotlight أسلوب لغة انجليزية خاصة للبث بحيث يسهل على الناس فهم اللغة بغض النظر عن المكان الذي يعيشون فيه حول العالم.

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الصوت الأول

يتناول الناس طعامهم في مطعم Moomin كافيه في طوكيو باليابان. يجلس بعض الناس مع أصدقائهم أثناء تناول الطعام بينما لا يحضر البعض مع أصدقائهم. بالمقابل بدلاً الجلوس بمفردهم، يجلسون مع حيوانات محنطة كبيرة. هذه الحيوانات البيضاء ليست على قيد الحياة. وهي ألعاب كبيرة بحجم البشر. دمية Moomin



هي حيوان كرتوني من فنلندا. وهي حيوانات لطيفة وممتعة. لدى المطعم غرض آخر وهو مساعدة الزبائن التي تأتى إلى المطعم لوحدهم على تقليل شعورهم بالوحدة.

الوقت: 1:41

Voice 2

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الصوت الثاني

يتناول العديد من الناس حول العالم طعامهم لوحدهم. ذكرت مجلة فوربس أن البالغين في الولايات المتحدة يتناولون ما يقارب من نصف وجباتهم لوحدهم. وجد بعض الباحثين أن تناول الأشخاص لطعامهم لوحدهم ليس جيدًا لصحة الناس. يعتقد البعض الآخر أنها تجربة جيدة لتناول وجبات الطعام لوحدنا. تسلط Spotlight الضوء اليوم على "الأكل بمفردنا".

Voice 1

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يشعر الناس بالغرابة لتناولهم الطعام بمفردهم في كثير من الأماكن. ومعظم المطاعم لا تحتوي على ألعاب محنطة لإحاطة الزبائن برفاق. أشارت تلغراف في بيان لها بأن هذا الشعور قد تغير:

Voice 2

Many parts of our world are changing quickly. This affects how people eat, and who they eat with. Many people are moving to new cities. Others have jobs where they travel far from home. People must sometimes eat in restaurants in places where they do not know anyone. The structure of families is also changing. A study published in the health magazine Obesity Research & Clinical Practice looked at this issue. This study, from South Korea, explained how changing family structures influence the way we eat. Time Magazine reported on the study.



الصوت الثانى:

تتغير العديد من الأمور في عالمنا يسرعة بالتالي يؤثر ذلك على كيفية تناول الناس لوجباتهم، ومع من يتناولون وجباتهم. ينتقل الكثير من الناس إلى مدن جديدة. والبعض الآخر يمتلك وظائف حيث يسافرون بعيدا عن المنزل. يجب على الناس تناول الطعام في بعض الأحيان في المطاعم وفي أماكن لا يعرفون فيها أحدًا. بنية العائلات أيضا تتغير. بحثت دراسة نُشرت في مجلة بحوث السمنة الصحية والممارسة السريرية عن هذه القضية. بحثت هذه الدراسة التي أقيمت في كوريا الجنوبية حول كيفية تأثير التغير في البنية الأسرية على طريقة تناولنا للطعام. قدمت مجلة تايم تقريرا عن هذه الدراسة.

Voice 3

"Eight in ten people in the United Kingdom believe that eating alone is more socially acceptable than it was five years ago. Almost a third of Britons have done so in the last month. And a third of these had done it in the last week. This shows that the shame of the table for one is on the way out."

الصوت الثالث

"يعتقد ثمانية من كل عشرة أشخاص في المملكة المتحدة أن تناول الطعام بمفردهم شيء مقبول اجتماعيًا أكثر مما كان عليه قبل خمس سنوات. وقد تناول ما يقرب من ثلث البريطانيين في الشهر الماضي طعامهم لوحدهم. والعدد نفسه أيضا تناول طعامه بنفسه الأسبوع الماضي. وهذا يدل على أن الشعور بالخجل وأنت تتناول طعامك بمفردك على مائدة الطعام قد ولّي.

الوقت: 4:49

Voice 4

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الصوت الرابع

"أصبح حجم الأفراد في العائلات في العديد من مناطق العالم أصغر في العقود الأخيرة. هناك منازل تحتوي على فرد واحد. توصلت الدراسات إلى أنه "في الوقت نفسه، أصبحت أنماط تناول الطعام غير منتظمة وغير رسمية بحيث يتناول الأفراد وجباتهم لوحدهم ".



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الصوت الأول

توصلت هذه الدراسة أيضًا إلى أن تناول الأفراد للطعام بمفردهم يمكن أن يؤثر على صحة الأفراد. الرجال الذين تناولوا وجبتين على الأقل بمفردهم بشكل يومي، كانوا أكثر عرضة للإصابة ببعض المشاكل الصحية الخاصة. تتضمن هذه المشكلات ارتفاع خطر الإصابة بأمراض القلب والسكري. كما أنهم أكثر عرضة للإصابة بالسمنة. يرتبط تناول الطعام بمفردنا أيضًا بالصحة العاطفية مثل الشعور بالوحدة.

Voice 2

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الصوت الثاني

من المحتمل أن يترتب على تناولنا للطعام بمفردنا أمور جيدة أيضًا! في بعض الأحيان يستخدم الناس هذا الوقت ليكونوا واعين وشاكرين لحياتهم. أو ربما أنها مجرد لحظة وقت هادئة للتفكير. إذا كنت تأكل بمفردك، يمكنك أيضًا تناول ما تشاء. قد يؤدي هذا إلى خيارات غذائية غير صحية لبعض الناس. لكنها فرصة للتركيز على ما تحتاجه لصحتك وسعادتك. وإذا خرجت بمفردك، فقد تلتقي بأشخاص جدد وتجد صداقة جديدة.

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يرحب مقهى Moomin في اليابان بتناول الطعام بمفردنا مع حيوان محنط. ولكن في المطاعم الأخرى، يمكن للأشخاص تناول الطعام بمفردهم بطريقة مختلفة. يوجد مطعم آخر مخصص للزبائن الذين يأكلون بمفردهم في هولندا. إنه مطعم منبثق صغير يمكن من خلاله الانتقال إلى أماكن مختلفة. يدعى مطعم العمم وهذا يعني "وجبة واحدة" أو "مرة واحدة" باللغة الإنجليزية. تتواجد في المطعم طاولات طعام تكفي شخص واحد. كل وجبة بحجم مثالي لشخص واحد. لا يسمح لأحد بإدخال الهواتف المحمولة أو أجهزة الكمبيوتر. يقرأ الزبائن الكتب. إنهم يستمتعون بالطعام الطازج بصحبة أنفسهم. صممت مارينا فان غور مطعم Eenmaal. وأخبرت OZY عن التأثير الاحتماعي ليطعم لحطعم Eenmaal.

Voice 5

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الصوت الخامس

"أردنا أن نكسر النمط المتمثل بالشعور بالخجل المعروف والمرتبط بتناول الطعام بمفردنا. لقد لاحظت أنه في مجتمعنا، لا يوجد مكان نجلس فيه مفردنا في الأماكن العامة. يمكننا إعطاء امتيازات للعديد من المطاعم المشابهة. أعتقد بشدة أن مثل هذه المطاعم فعالة ومؤثرة في أي مكان، وهناك حاجة لمثل هذه الأماكن ".

Voice 2

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الصوت الثانى

يمكن لأنماط الحياة الحديثة والتكنولوجيا أن تجعل الناس مشغولين للغاية طوال الوقت. كثير من الناس لديهم هواتف ذكية معهم في كل مكان يذهبون إليه. قد يخرج الناس لتناول الطعام مع الآخرين ولكنهم يقضون معظم الوقت على هواتفهم! جربت ليلى خوري هانولد تناول الطعام خارج المنزل كل يوم بنفسها. فعلت هذا لمدة أسبوع. كتبت مقالة عن ذلك لموقع ٢٩Refinery. لم تسمح لنفسها باستخدام هاتفها الذكي أثناء تناول الطعام فى الخارج. كانت قلقة من أن الناس سيحدقون بها. لكنهم لم يفعلوا. تكتب خورى هانولد عما لاحظته؛

Voice 6

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الصوت السادس:

"كنت أشعر بالملل واضطررت للجلوس على يدي. بالمقابل وددت لو أسحب هاتفي من محفظتي وأتصفح موقع أنستغرام ولكن عندما نظرت حول الغرفة ، أدركت أن أكثر من نصف متناولو الطعام كانوا يحدقون في شاشات الهاتف. لم يحدقوا بى. لم ينظروا حتى إلى الأشخاص حولهم! "

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الصوت الأول

لقد غير العالم الحديث الطريقة التي نعيش ونأكل بها. قد يكون بعض الناس يتناولون وجباتهم "بمفردهم" حقًا حتى عندما يكونون في الخارج مع أشخاص آخرين! ليس من المهم مع من يأكل الناس لكن المهم هو التركيز على التجارب التى نمر بها . بهذه الطريقة ، يمكن أن يكون تناول الطعام بمفردنا أفضل من تناوله مع الآخرين.



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