

Taking restaurant bookings

1 Put the sentences in the dialogue in the correct order.

- a Good afternoon, I'd like to make a reservation, please. What days do you open?
- b We serve lunch from 11.30 a.m. to 2.00 p.m.
- c Baldwin. B-A-L-D-W-I-N.
- d We're often busy on Fridays. I'm afraid we're fully booked on Friday the 12th. Oh ... but I have a table on the 11th.
- e And what time do you serve lunch?
- f Thank you. We look forward to seeing you on Thursday the 11th.
- g OK, Thursday the 11th is fine. Thank you very much.
- h Excellent. I'd like to book a table for three people at one o'clock on Friday the 12th of April, please.
- i So that's a table for three at 1.00 p.m. on Thursday the 11th of April. What name is it, please?
- j We open from Monday to Saturday.

2 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

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| a.m. | customer | <i>fully booked</i> | |
| lunch | o'clock | open | train |

- 1 I'm sorry, the hotel is ...*fully booked*.....
- 2 What days do you ?
- 3 What time does the leave?
- 4 The wants to make a reservation.
- 5 They serve from twelve o'clock to 2.00 p.m.
- 6 The exchange bureau opens at 8.00
- 7 We close at four in the afternoon.

3 Write the dates in number form.

- 1 Could I reserve a room on the twenty-fifth of May?^{25/5}.....
- 2 I have a table booked for the twelfth of March.
- 3 Paul starts his new job on the thirty-first of October.
- 4 We would like to book a table for five on the twenty-second of September.
- 5 My train leaves at 4.00 p.m. on the third of January.
- 6 I would like to book a single room on the fifteenth of July.
- 7 The group arrives from Germany on the twenty-sixth of February.
- 8 The new restaurant opens on the first of April.