**Speaking about different dining facilities**

##### Read the description of dining facilities in a London four-star hotel.

DINING FACILITIES

Besides full English and continental breakfast buffet, we offer a range of meals, drinks and snacks in the restaurant or lounge bar.

 RESTAURANT

Our restaurant is big, bright and modern. It can **seat** up to 200 guests. The restaurant is famous for its traditional British lunch.

Lunch is served on most days and always on Sunday.

The lunch menu **offers a selection of** roast meats. The meat **is accompa- nied** by fresh and cooked vegetables. Our guests can also **order** soups, salads, fresh vegetables and delicious desserts. Each dish **can be paired** with a glass of wine or a cocktail.

If you are celebrating a special birthday or an anniversary, we will help you arrange a private lunch or dinner party. Our conference rooms can be combined to create 2 elegant banqueting halls.

Our hotel can **host** any event, a working breakfast or lunch, a conference or a private meeting. Our experienced employees will help you plan the event. Our chef will work with you to arrange catering for your event.

###### Opening hours

The restaurant is open daily for lunch from 12.30 p.m. to 2.30 p.m.

In the evenings, dinner is served either in our modern restaurant between

5.30 p.m. and 10 p.m., or you can **enjoy a light meal** in the lounge bar.

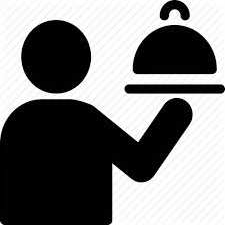
 LOUNGE BAR

With its warm d´ecor and crackling fire in winter, the lounge bar is a cosy place for light meals and cocktails. There is a **complimentary newspaper** available for every guest. The lounge bar is located on the ground floor, next to the restaurant. The lounge bar is open from 10 a.m. to 1 a.m.

 TRADITIONAL AFTERNOON TEA

Enjoy the British custom of afternoon tea which is served with delicious cakes, finger sandwiches (smoked salmon, cream cheese and cucumber, egg and cress, ham and mustard) and fluffy scones with real cream and jam.

The traditional afternoon tea is served in the lounge bar between 2.30 p.m. and 6.30 p.m.

 ROOM SERVICE

A menu with **a wide choice of** drinks and light meals is **available** between 11 a.m. and 11 p.m. Sandwiches and snacks are offered all night long.

You can order your breakfast and it will be delivered between 6.30 a.m. and

10.30 a.m. daily.

The Room service is available 24/7.

**Comprehension check**

##### Are the following sentences true or false? Correct the false sen- tences.

* 1. The room service menu offers light food.
  2. The restaurant is small and cozy.
  3. Scones are served with the afternoon tea.
  4. The newspaper in the lounge bar is free.
  5. Lounge bar is a perfect place to enjoy a drink during the summer.
  6. The room service is not available at night.

1. **Complete the following sentences using the information in the text: a** The facility or service which is available all the time is
2. Finger sandwiches are made of
3. Lunch is served between and
4. The hotel can host any event,
5. Traditional British lunch is served in
6. The traditional afternoon tea is served in
7. The lounge bar is located

Q Word Study

##### In the blank space, write adjectives that are used in the text to describe the given nouns.

restaurant

vegetables

desserts, cakes

lunch

meal

d´ecor

fire

newspaper

lounge bar



##### Match the words with their deftnitions.

delicious d´ecor crackling lounge bar cozy

fluffy famous selection

working lunch

1. comfortable and pleasant
2. light and full of air
3. known and recognized by many people
4. a choice or range of different types of something
5. having very good taste
6. style and arrangement of the objects in a room
7. short, dry and sharp sound of fire
8. a comfortable place to sit and have a drink
9. a midday meal during which work is discussed

##### Write one word for the following description.

* 1. to cook meat in the oven or over a fire
  2. to provide someone a place to sit
  3. to do something special or enjoyable for an important event, occasion
  4. to be provided together with something else
  5. to take something to a person or place
  6. to provide space and other things necessary for a special event

##### In the texts, underline the words and phrases which are used to describe hotel facilities and services. Make up your own sentence using these words and phrases. For example:

1. The restaurant is famous for its traditional British lunch.
2. In the evenings, dinner is served in our modern restaurant.
3. The lounge bar is a cozy place for light meals and cocktails.
4. A menu with a wide choice of drinks and light meals is available between 11 a.m. and 11 p.m.
5. Room service is available 24/7.