

# V36 – FRIENDS: The Cheesecake

## Part 1 – Topic Speaking: Food

Directions: Discuss the following questions with a partner.

1. Who is the best cook in your family?
2. What is the best desert you have ever had?
3. If a family member or friend made you dinner and you didn't like it, would you tell them?
4. Do you have any food allergies?
5. What is a popular cooking show in your country?
6. What food would you recommend to someone visiting your country?
7. What are some common street foods from your country?
8. When eating at a restaurant with others, do you usually share multiple dishes or does each person order their own dish?
9. If you could only eat out at one restaurant for the rest of your life, which restaurant would you choose?
10. What is your guilty pleasure food(s)?

## Part 2A - Vocabulary Review:

Directions: Discuss the meaning with a partner. Next, review as a class.

Vocabulary	*	Definition or Translation
1. conglomerate	11	
2. light-headed	20	
3. be tempted	21	
4. apparently	26	
5. protect	33	
6. move around	37	
7. regret	40	
8. whistle	47	
9. split	56	
10. mealy	58	

\*NOTE: the number indicates where the vocabulary is located in the script.

## Part 2B - Vocabulary Speaking:

Directions: Choose 5 vocabulary words and create a question. Next, discuss your questions with a partner.

Word	Question
Ex: tough	What is the <i>toughest</i> course you have ever taken?
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2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	

## Part 3 – Script & Video

Directions: Complete Back2Back Reading (see Script below), then watch the video.

## Part 4 - Comprehension Questions:

Directions: Discuss with a partner then review as a class.

1. How did Chandler get the cheesecake?  
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3. How does Rachel feel about Chandler keeping the cheesecake?  
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4. Is the cheesecake from a big company or from a small bakery?  
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5. Why does Chandler want to keep the second cheesecake?  
\_\_\_\_\_
6. What do Rachel and Chandler decide to do so they don't eat the second cheesecake?  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. Who paid for lunch, Rachel or Chandler?  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. What do they find when they return to their apartment? What do they decide to do?  
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9. Why does Rachel tell Joey it's tofu cake?  
\_\_\_\_\_
10. Why is Chandler angry at Rachel?  
\_\_\_\_\_
11. Why does Chandler decide he will split the cheesecake with Rachel?  
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## Part 5 – Writing:

Directions: In 2 to 3 sentences, write your opinion about the video.  
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### A – Back2Back Reading

Directions: Read 'odd' numbers +  
Listen & fill in 'even' numbers



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Wow. My God, so \_\_\_\_\_. Oh my God, this is the best  
cheesecake \_\_\_\_\_. Where did you get this?

5. **Chandler:** It was at the front door. When I got home.  
Somebody sent it to us.

6. **Rachel:** Chandler, this is not \_\_\_\_\_ to you. This is \_\_\_\_\_ to  
Mrs. Braverman \_\_\_\_\_. Ahhhhh.... \_\_\_\_\_!

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And you can't return a box after you've opened the box.

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have lunch and forget about the cheesecake.

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not tempted.

22. **Chandler:** Good idea. \_\_\_\_\_  
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23. **Rachel:** Momma's Little Bakery, Chicago, Illinois.  
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25. **Rachel:** What? Wait a minute, I didn't pay, I thought you  
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for months.

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We don't want her to come back to bad cheesecake.

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40. **Chandler:** I'm full, and yet I know if I stop eating this, \_\_\_\_\_.

41. **Joey:** Hey!

42. **Rachel:** \_\_\_\_\_!

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45. **Chandler:** Are you eating the cheesecake without me?

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Part 4 - Comprehension Questions & Answers

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS	
<b>1. How did Chandler get the cheesecake?</b>	It was delivered to his front door.
<b>2. Who should have received the cheesecake?</b>	Mrs. Braverman from downstairs.
<b>3. How does Rachel feel about Chandler keeping the cheesecake?</b>	She thinks it is wrong.
<b>4. Is the cheesecake from a big company or from a small bakery?</b>	It is from a small bakery. (Momma's Little Bakery)
<b>5. Why does Chandler want to keep the second cheesecake?</b>	He loved the first one so much he wants to keep the second one.
<b>6. What do Rachel and Chandler decide to do so they don't eat the second cheesecake?</b>	They think they are just hungry and decide to go out for lunch.
<b>7. Who paid for lunch, Rachel or Chandler?</b>	Neither. Both thought the other had paid for lunch.
<b>8. What do they find when they return to their apartment? What do they decide to do?</b>	They discover the cheesecake is still outside Mrs. Braverman's door, so they decided to take it back.
<b>9. Why does Rachel tell Joey it's tofu cake?</b>	She thinks Joey will want to eat the cheesecake, but she knows Joey doesn't like tofu.
<b>10. Why is Chandler angry at Rachel?</b>	He is angry because Rachel is eating the cheesecake without him.
<b>11. Why does Chandler decide he will split the cheesecake with Rachel?</b>	He doesn't want Rachel to tell Monica that Chandler doesn't like Monica's cheesecake. (Monica is Chandler's wife, she is a chef and she is a bit crazy!)