**UNIT 6**

**READING**

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# COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

**A. Check all the items that make the statements true, according to the article.**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 1. Americans eat \_\_\_.  |  everything on  |  canned and  |  high-quality meats  |
|     |  their plates  |  frozen foods  |  and cheeses  |
| 2. The French eat \_\_\_.    |  fresh foods  |  quickly  |  rich foods  |
| 3. Americans stop eating  |  their plates  |  they’re full  |  they’re watching  |
|  when \_\_\_\_.    |  are empty  |   |  TV  |
| 4. The French stop eating  |  they feel full  |  their plates  |  they travel  |
|  when \_\_\_\_.  |   |  are empty  |   |

# CRITICAL THINKING

**B. According to the article, are these statements definitely true or probably true?**

**Circle the best answer. Explain your reasons.**

[NOTE: A statement is “Definitely true” if it is stated in the article.]

1. Americans struggle to keep their weight under control.

 Definitely true Probably true

 Explanation:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. When Americans are young, they are taught to eat all the food on their plates.

 Definitely true Probably true

 Explanation:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Americans watch more TV than the French.

Definitely true Probably true

 Explanation:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. The French sit at the dining room table longer than Americans do.

 Definitely true Probably true

 Explanation:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Americans keep eating even though they are full.

 Definitely true Probably true

 Explanation:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. The French usually don't drive to supermarkets.

 Definitely true Probably true

 Explanation:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. The obesity rate among French children is growing.

 Definitely true Probably true

 Explanation:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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