



Investigazione: Il Cibo Spaventoso (Scary Italian Food Facts)

Go to www.euroclub-schools.org. Enter the Italian Zone. Click on Scary Italian Restaurant. Click on the door to enter the restaurant. Click on the menu headings to discover the answers to the following questions.

1. What kind of cheese is *casu marzu*?

In which area of Italy is it produced?

2. Which sea creature has a name in Italian that means 'hedgehog of the sea'?

3. What kind of ham is *il violino di capra*?

4. Which Italian dessert is made from pig's blood?

5. What are *i ciuffi di calamari*?

6. If you are offered a steak called *il filetto d'asino* what kind of steak will it be?

7. Find and write the following words in Italian: the snails -

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ostrich eggs -

8. Which sausage is made from a pig's head?

9. What is *il cervello fritto*?

10. What is *la coratella d'agnello* made from?

11. Which food is also known as 'pearls'?

12. What kind of meat is *struzzo*?

13. Write the Italian words for 'donkey stew.'

14. What is interesting about the way in which 'goat ham' is sliced?

15. Which kind of milk is used to make *casu marzu*?

16. Which kind of snail is nicknamed 'litte nun' because it is black and white?

17. At which time of year is *il sanguinaccio dolce* traditionally prepared?

18. In your opinion, are there any foods on the menu that should not be eaten? If so, please explain why.