

Beginner Chat Room
2:10–2:50 p.m., June 9th and 11th, 2026

Theme: Memorable Foods

テーマ：思い出の料理

Self-introductions for new participants:

- What is your name?
- Where are you from?
- What do/did you do for work (job title, raised children, etc.)?
- What do you like to do for fun?

初めての方の自己紹介：

- 名前：My name is...
- 出身：I am from...
- 職業あるいは主婦：I am a.../I do...for a living./I work for...
- 趣味あるいは好きな活動：I.../I like to...

Questions:

1. What is your favorite food? Why?
2. What food reminds you of your childhood?
3. Who cooks the best food you know?
4. What food would you miss most if you lived abroad?
5. What is your “comfort food?”
6. What is your favorite seasonal food?

質問：

1. 一番好きな食べ物は何か。どうしてですか。（例：My favorite food is soba. I like the taste of dashi.）
2. 子どものころを思い出させる食べ物は何か。（例：Pizza reminds me of my childhood. I used to eat it often.）
3. 一番おいしい食べ物を作るのは誰だと思えますか。（例：My grandmother makes the best food. She makes baked goods.）
4. 海外に引っ越したらどの食べ物が一番恋しくなると思えますか。（例：I would miss tonkatsu the most if I lived abroad. Japan’s tonkatsu are the best.）
5. あなたにとってのカンフォートフード（懐かしい食べ物、食べたら気持ちが落ち着く食べ物）は何か。（例：My comfort food is pumpkin pie. It reminds me of Thanksgiving.）
6. 好きな旬の食べ物は何か。（例：My favorite seasonal food is bitter melon (goya).）