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ሰላም፣ እንቋዕ ናብ መደብ How do I... ብድሐን መጻእኩም። ኣነ ተኸልማርያም በኪት ኢየ፣ ምሳናውን ስያን ኣላ።

Sian

And I'm Sian. Hello, everybody.

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ኣብ'ዚ ክፋል'ዚ፡ ኣብ ቤት መግቢ ኣቲኹም ብኸመይ መግቢ ከም እትእዘዙ ክንመሃር ኢና። እስኪ ሓደ ሰብ ኣብ ቤት መግቢ ኣትዩ ከመይ ጌይሩ መግቢ ከም ዝእዘዝ ንሰማዕ። ክብድ ዝበለ እንተመሲሉ ኣይትሻቀሉ፡ መታን ክርደእኩም ክንሕጂ ግን፤ እዚ ሰብ እንታይ ዝብላዕን ዝስተን ከምዝእዘዘ ንወስን።

What can I get you?

Can I have a green tea and a cheese sandwich, please?

Take away or have here?

Take away, please.

Anything else?

That's all, thanks.

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ሰማዕኩም? 'Green tea' 'ግሪን ቲ' መኣዛ ዘለዎ ቆጵሊ ሻሂ ከምኡውን ናይ ፎርማጅ ፓኒኖ 'a cheese sandwich' ኣዚዙ። So, Sian shall we look at the language we can use to order in a café?

Sian

Yes, let's do it!

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ግዴኹም ምስ ኣኸለ፤ እቲ ኣሳሳዩ መጺኡ እንታይ ከም እትደልዩ ክሓተኩም እዩ።

Sian

Yes! Can you remember what they said? Let's listen again to find out.

What can I get you?

Sian

Yes, you'll probably hear 'What can I get you?' or they may say 'Who's next?'

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እው፤ 'Who's next?' ዝብል ክትሰምዑ እንክለኹም መን'ዩ ተረኛ ኣሳሳዩ ማለት'ዩ።

Sian

Now, it's time to order. You can say 'Can I have...?' and then give your order.

Let's practise the pronunciation of that! Repeat after me:

'Can I have...?'

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እቲ ዝኣዘዝክምዎ ነገር ንጽል እንተኾይኑ 'a' - ወይ፤ብዝሕ ዝበለ እንተኾይኑ ከአ 'an' ተጠቐሙ።

Sian

That's right. Careful with pronunciation – so we say 'uh' and 'un'. So, 'Can I have a green tea?' 'Can I have an orange juice?' And remember to be polite, so what word do we need to add? That's right – it's 'please'.

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ኣደማምጻ ቃናኹም ግን ኣይትረስዑ። ሰዎን ከመይ ከም ተድምጸ ስምዑ።

Sian

Repeat after me:

'Can I have a green tea, please?'

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ሰዲቡ፤ እዚ ሕቶ ክትሰምዕዎ ትኹኑ ኢኹም። ትርጉሙ ትፈልጥዎ'ዩ?

Take away or have here?

አቕራቢ ቋንቋ ትግርኛ

ትፈልጡ ዲኹም? ኣብዚ ዲኹም ክትበልዕዎ ወይስ ክትወስድዎ?

Sian

Yes, and you can just say 'Have here, please' if you want to stay, or 'Take away, please' if you want to take it out of the café. Don't forget 'please'!

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መወዳእታ ኣሳሳይ ዝሓቶ 'Anything else?' ዩ።

Sian

That's right – this is short for 'Do you want to buy anything else?'

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ብርግጽ፡ አሳሳዩ ካልእ ትደልይዎ ነገር አሎ'ዶ ዋላስ እዚ ጥራሕ'ዩ ይብለኩም።

Sian

If you don't want anything, just say 'That's all, thanks'. Let's practise. Repeat after me: 'That's all, thanks.'

አቕራቢ ቋንቋ ትግርኛ

Thanks, Sian. ኣብ ቤት ብልጻ ብኸመይ መግቢ ከምእትእዘዙ ተማሂርኩም ኣለኹም፤ ሕጂ ልምምድ ግበሩ። ፈለማ ነዚ አሳሳዩ ስምዕዎ።

Who's next?

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ሕራይ እምብእር፡ ሕጂ ጌደኹምዩ። ቡን ከትእዘዙ ትኸእሉ'ዶ። ብድሕሪኡ ምስ ናይ ስዖን መልሲ ኣነጻጽርዎ።

Sian

Can I have a black coffee, please?

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ሕጂ ዝቐጽል ሕቶ ስምዑ።

To have here or take away?

አቕራቢ ቋንቋ ትግርኛ

ቡንኩም ኣብ ቤት መግቢ ከትሰትይዎ እንተ ደሊኹም እንታይ ትብሉ?

Sian

To have here, please.

አቕራቢ ቋንቋ ትግርኛ

ተመሳሳሊ'ዶ ኢልኩም፡ ሕጂ ዋላ ሓንቲ ከትእዘዙ ኣይደለኹምን፤ ስለዚ ነዛ ናይ መወዳእታ ሕቶ መልሱ።

Anything else?

Sian

That's all, thanks.

አቕራቢ ቋንቋ ትግርኛ

Ok, so now you know how to order food and drink in a café. ምስ የዕሩኸትኹም ብምጂን ብትፈትዉዎ መግቢ ወይ መስተ ብእንግለዘና ጌርኩም ልምምድ ግበሩ። ድሓን ቀንዩ።

Sian

Good idea! See you next week. Bye bye!

አቆራቢ ቋንቋ ትግርኛ
Bye!