

Discussion about Pies

Discuss or write down:

- What is your **favourite** pie **filling**?
- Do you **prefer sweet** fillings or **savoury** fillings?
- Do you think a pie that **only** has a **pastry top** should be **called a pie**?
- If a pie **doesn't have** a **pastry lid** and **only** has a **pastry bottom** and **sides**, is it still a pie? Or is that a **tart**?
- Do you have **sauce** with your **pie**? If so, **what** kind of sauce do you have?
 - **Red** sauce
 - **Brown** sauce
 - **Gravy**
 - **Something else**
- Do you prefer **shortcrust** pastry or **flaky** pastry? Do you like **filo** pastry?
- What is it about a **pie** that makes it a **pie**?

- When you've answered that last question, think about whether the following should be called a pie. The **first 3** are called pies but **don't have** **pastry** on them. The **last 2** have **pastry** but are **not called pies**!
 - **Shepherd's** pie
 - **Cottage** Pie
 - **Fish** Pie
 - **Cornish** Pasty
 - **Sausage** Roll