

# Utilizing Beer Brewing Techniques to Create Exceptional SourDough

## Description

A new bakery, The Brewer's Bread, has recently opened in northwest Portland. Owners Adam and Kellee Curfew have brought their love for sourdough bread to the neighborhood. Adam, a former brewer, uses scientific methods from brewing to create unique and flavorful sourdough loaves. The couple moved from Salt Lake City to Portland to embrace the city's lively food scene and support local businesses. One of their specialties is the sourdough croissant, a challenging pastry that took Adam a year and a half to perfect. The bakery is also nut-free, catering to Adam's own nut allergy. Customers have been raving about the quality of their baked goods, with one even saying the croissant brought them to tears. The Brewer's Bread is quickly becoming a favorite among Portlanders for its delicious and carefully crafted treats.

## Vocabulary List:

1. **Bakery** /'beɪ.kər.i/ (noun): A place where bread and other baked goods are made and sold.
2. **Sourdough** /'sɔːdəʊ,dəʊ/ (noun): Bread made from a fermented dough containing naturally occurring wild yeast and bacteria.
3. **Specialty** /'speʃ.əl.ti/ (noun): A product or item that is a particular strength or skill of a business.
4. **Croissant** /kwa:'sɔːn/ (noun): A flaky buttery pastry typically in a crescent shape made from a yeast-leavened dough.
5. **Flavorful** /'fleɪ.vər.fəl/ (adjective): Having a strong pleasant taste or smell.
6. **Crafted** /kræf.tɪd/ (verb): Skillfully made typically by hand.

## Comprehension Questions

### Multiple Choice

1. What is the specialty pastry at The Brewer's Bread?

Option: Sourdough croissant  
Option: Brownie  
Option: Cupcake  
Option: Eclair

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2. Where did Adam and Kellee Curfew move from before opening The Brewer's Bread?

- Option: Salt Lake City
- Option: New York City
- Option: Miami
- Option: Seattle

3. What is Adam Curfew's former profession?

- Option: Brewer
- Option: Baker
- Option: Chef
- Option: Accountant

4. What is one reason The Brewer's Bread is popular among customers?

- Option: Carefully crafted treats
- Option: Use of artificial flavors
- Option: High prices
- Option: Non-organic ingredients

5. Why is The Brewer's Bread considered nut-free?

- Option: Adam has a nut allergy
- Option: Kellee has a nut allergy
- Option: Nut ingredients are expensive
- Option: Health trend

6. What influenced Adam's baking methods for sourdough bread?

- Option: Scientific methods from brewing
- Option: Cooking show recipes
- Option: Grandma's traditional methods
- Option: Internet research

## Answer

**Multiple Choice:** 1. Sourdough croissant 2. Salt Lake City 3. Brewer 4. Carefully crafted treats 5. Adam has a nut allergy 6. Scientific methods from brewing

## Vocabulary quizzes

**Multiple Choice ( Select the Correct answer for each question. )**

1. Which quality refers to being genuine and real?

- Option: Oversimplified
- Option: Authenticity
- Option: Sensational
- Option: Glosses

2. What term means to attract and hold the interest or attention of someone?

- Option: Captivate
- Option: Embark
- Option: Cohort
- Option: Paved

3. What word describes intense and eager enjoyment interest or approval?

- Option: Enthusiasm
- Option: Explore
- Option: Accomplishments
- Option: Biologist

4. Who are persons holding public office or having official duties typically in an organization?

- Option: Officials
- Option: Match
- Option: Climate Change
- Option: Plan

5. Which term describes satisfying and meeting a need or desire?

- Option: Districts
- Option: Bakery
- Option: Fulfilling
- Option: Excitement

6. What word means to make or manufacture with skill and careful attention to detail?

- Option: Impact
- Option: Special
- Option: Crafted
- Option: Anticipation

7. Which term suggests rich in taste and full of flavors?

- Option: Captivating
- Option: Flavorful
- Option: Oversimplified

Option: Sensational

8. What word is used to describe a marked effect or influence?

Option: Impact

Option: Special

Option: Oversimplified

Option: Enthusiasm

9. What type of bread is made using a fermentation process with naturally occurring lactobacilli and yeast?

Option: Sourdough

Option: Specialty

Option: Croissant

Option: Bakery

10. What term refers to a particular or distinctive feature?

Option: Crafted

Option: Anticipation

Option: Captivating

Option: Specialty

**Gap-Fill ( Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list. )**

11. To \_\_\_\_\_ means to travel through an unfamiliar area in order to learn about it.

12. Awards and recognition are often given for significant \_\_\_\_\_.

13. A \_\_\_\_\_ studies living organisms.

14. Cities are often divided into neighborhoods or \_\_\_\_\_.

15. The feeling of excitement about something that is going to happen is known as \_\_\_\_\_.

16. She \_\_\_\_\_ over the details and provided a simplified version of the story.

17. To succeed it is necessary to have a clear \_\_\_\_\_ of action.

18. She joined her \_\_\_\_\_ of colleagues for the group project.

19. The explanation was too brief and \_\_\_\_\_ to give a complete understanding.



20. There was a buzz of \_\_\_\_\_ as they awaited the announcement.

**Matching Sentences ( Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list. )**

21. The tabloid newspaper often published exaggerated and shocking stories to increase readership.

22. The diligent student paved the way for future generations with her groundbreaking research.

23. The basketball game was an intense match between two rival teams.

24. Scientists warn that human activities contribute to the acceleration of leading to global warming.

25. The bakery is famous for its flaky and buttery pastries.

26. The documentary was so compelling that it held the audience spellbound from start to finish.

27. He decided to embark on a journey to discover new lands and cultures.

28. Travelers often explore the local markets to experience the culture of a new place.

29. The government announced new policies to address the issue of unemployment.

30. The recent changes in regulations had a significant impact on the local economy.

## Answer

**Multiple Choice:** 1. Authenticity 2. Captivate 3. Enthusiasm 4. Officials 5. Fulfilling 6. Crafted 7. Flavorful 8. Impact 9. Sourdough 10. Specialty

**Gap-Fill:** 11. explore 12. accomplishments 13. biologist 14. districts 15. anticipation 16. glossed 17. plan 18. cohort 19. oversimplified 20. excitement

**Matching sentence:** 1. sensational 2. paved 3. match 4. climate change 5. croissant 6. captivating 7. embark 8. explore 9. officials 10. impact

## CATEGORY

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