Hotel Amenities



Section 1: Dialogue

Please read the following dialogues about hotel facilities and amenities.

Guest: We're looking for a good restaurant for dinner?
 Staff: What kind of food do you prefer to eat?
 Guest: Since we are in Thailand, we want to try special <u>cuisines</u> from here.

Staff: The Royal Thai restaurant is always a great choice. **Guest:** Thank you very much for the <u>suggestion</u>. We'll surely try it.

I. Guest: I need to check my e-mail. Is there an Internet café near here?
 Staff: <u>Absolutely</u>, sir. The Business Center at the hotel has Internet access.
 Guest: Can I also surf the Internet there?

Staff: Of course sir.
Guest: Can I also save important files to a disk or flash memory?
Staff: yes sir
Guest: Do you know how much they charge?
Staff: I'm sorry sir, but I'm not really sure of their rates. Although I'm sure it's a nominal fee.
Guest: Ok, thank you.
Staff: No worries sir.

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Section 2: Useful Expressions

Please take note of the following useful expressions.

- 1. Could you recommend a place?
- 2. Is there an Internet café near here?
- 3. Where can I find it?
- 4. How do I get there?
- 5. Thank you.

Below are lists of various hotel facilities that guest may inquire about.

Restaurants Café's Lounges Spas Saunas Steam rooms Gift shops Swimming pools Tennis courts Children's program Gym/Fitness Centers Swimming pools Conference rooms Business centers

Section 3: Vocabulary Words and Expressions

Please read the vocabulary word/expression with its definition and sample sentence.

Vocabulary word	Sample sentence
Cuisines	Dine on fine French cuisine in the restaurant.
[kwi- zeens]	
noun	
Suggestion	Any helpful suggestions would be welcome.
[suh g- jes -chuh n]	
noun	
Absolutely	You are absolutely right.
[ab-suh- loot -lee]	
adverb	
Nominal	A nominal charge is made for use of the tennis
[nom -uh-nl]	courts.
adjective	

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Section 4: Completing the Conversation Exercise

Please complete the dialogue by using the words from the box below.

Guest: I need your _____, I'm looking for a nearby restaurant.
Staff: _____, sir. What type of restaurant do you have in mind?
Guest: I'd like a local _____.
Staff: Of course sir. Try Elephant Thai. From the lobby, just walk down the main hall and it will be on your left.
Guest: May I also know if I have to be a member to use the tennis courts?
Staff: Not necessarily sir, for a ______ fee you can reserve a court per hour.
Guest: Do you know what it cost?
Staff: I'm sorry I can't recall their rate, but you may inquire at the receptionist area.

Guest: Ok, thank you. **Staff:** No worries sir.

Suggestion Nominal Absolutely Cuisine
