# **Chapter 6 The Dining Experience Section 6.1 Dining Today**



## **Note Taking**

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TYPES OF DINING

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### the type of establishment and its meal service strongly influence a customer's dining experience

## **Note Taking**

### The five most common types of dining are fine-dining, theme, casual-dining, and quick-service restaurants and catering services

#### TYPES OF MEAL SERVICE

Every type of dining establishment has its own style of serving meals

modern American plated service: where food is completely prepared, portioned, plated, and garnished in the kitchen

## Summary

There are five types of dining: fine dining, theme, casual dining, quick service, and catered.

# **Chapter 6 The Dining Experience Section 6.2 The Dining Room Environment**



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	Cues	Note Taking				
•	many elements, or parts, help make a pleasant dining experience	CREATE A DINING ENVIRONMENT     Creating an inviting environment in a dining establishment includes good customer service and a nice atmosphere				
•	tableware can be any kind of dish, from dinner plates to soup bowls to coffee cups	<ul> <li>DISH, GLASS, AND UTENSIL CHOICES</li> <li>The types of dishes, glassware, and flatware you choose for a table setting will depend on the types of foods and beverages you will be serving and the type of restaurant you are serving in</li> </ul>				
•	table setting: the specific arrangement of tableware, glassware, and flatware for a meal	<ul> <li>TABLE SETTING</li> <li>Restaurant management determines the type and style of table setting that is used</li> </ul>				
•	centerpiece: a decorative object placed on a table	CENTERPIECES  • Centerpieces can add beauty and interest to a table				
Summary						

Maintaining the dining room environment requires creating an atmosphere that helps determine the type of service and menu used.