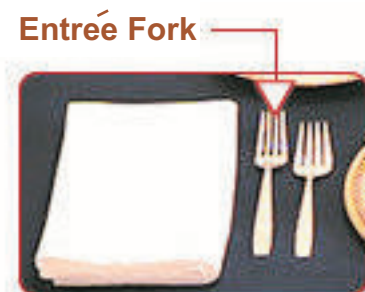

Lesson II : Understanding the Basic Table Setting

When dining, start with the implements placed on the far outside of the place setting and work inward toward the plate.

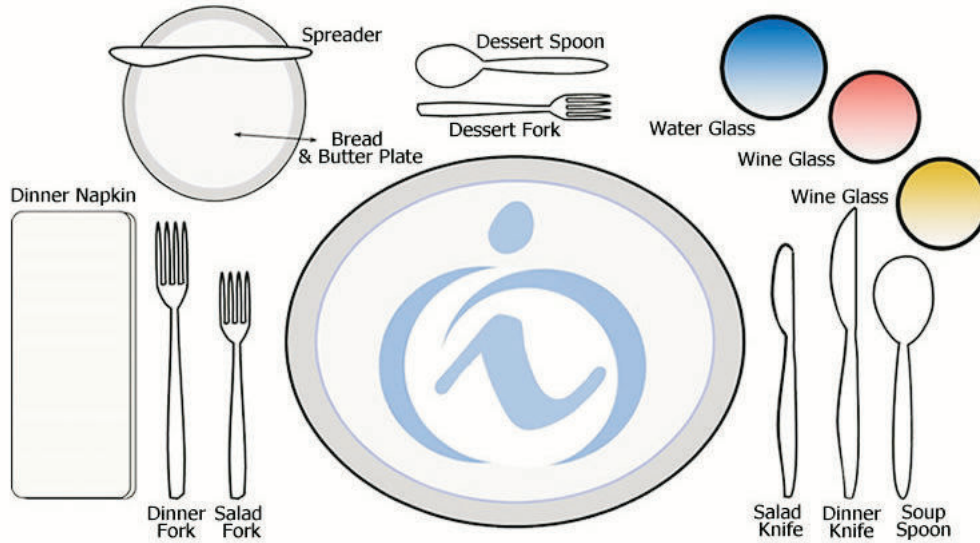


For example, in the standard, or basic, place setting that we are using for demonstration in today's workshop, we are given a soup spoon on the far outside right of the place setting to be used for our first course of soup.

For our second course, we are given a large dinner (entrée) knife on the right side of the place setting. It corresponds with the dinner (entrée) fork on the far outside left.



Standard Place Setting



For our third course, we are given a salad knife to the right of the plate, which corresponds to a salad fork on the left. And finally, for our last course of dessert, the dining implements are found at the top of the place setting.

