Etiquette for the consumption of soup

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It is good manners to scoop the soup by pushing the spoon from the front of the bowl away from you. Bring the spoon to the mouth and tip the soup from the side of the spoon. To enjoy the last few spoonfuls tilt the soup bowl away from you and scoop the remaining liquid from the back of the bowl.

Dining table to seat two people with integrated storage for a place setting and a napkin ring.

The design proposal visualised and modelled here as a ‘couture piece’ brings together in one, integrated concept the occasion of dining. The table, eating utensils and other accoutrements are contained within a modular form. The theme of the design concept is intended to complement the rituals of the dining experience and act as a catalyst for conversation and social interaction at the table.

DuPont™ Corian® has been used for the production of the full sized prototype on display. It has been manufactured by “interior surfaces” a Sheffield firm specialising in bespoke pieces. Additional design proposals for the outer sleeves of the slot-in-cases are shown above. These will feature varied, themed designs printed on each face of the outer sleeve, thus allowing diners to create their own mood for any occasion.