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**ENGLISCH**

**LÖSUNGEN**

## A LISTENING

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### TASK 1

Listen to six separate conversations. For each question, choose the correct answer.

- 8 You will hear two people talking about buying a bicycle.  
The woman suggests that the man should
- A try looking online.
  - B go to a different shop.
  - C get advice from an expert.
- 9 You will hear a man telling his friend about his Welsh language course.  
What does the man say about it?
- A The teacher speaks too fast.
  - B The lessons are too long.
  - C The grammar is too difficult.
- 10 You will hear a woman telling her colleague about her weekend.  
What did the woman like about it?
- A visiting a new place in the city
  - B seeing her children enjoying themselves
  - C having a chance to relax
- 11 You will hear two friends talking about a new restaurant.  
They both think the restaurant would be better if
- A the food was fresher.
  - B the service was faster.
  - C the prices were cheaper.
- 12 You will hear two old friends talking at a party.  
How is the man's appearance different from before?
- A He has grown a beard.
  - B He has started wearing glasses.
  - C He has changed his style of clothes.
- 13 You will hear two colleagues talking about a meeting.  
How does the woman feel about it?
- A annoyed that she will have to attend it
  - B worried that her presentation will be unpopular
  - C surprised that it is still going to take place

\_\_\_ / 6 points

**TASK 2**

For each question, write the correct answer in the gap.  
Write one or two words or a number or a date or a time.

You will hear a man giving information to people who are starting a one-week singing course.

**One-week singing course**

**Teachers**

Jazz: Robert Park

Songs from musicals: (14) Susan Brokley

**Concert**

When: Friday, at (15) half past eight / eight thirty / 8.30 p.m.

Colour of clothes: (16) blue

**Other general information**

Map of building: available from the (17) receptionist

Lunch: eat in the (18) hall

Car park: costs £ (19) three / 3 per day

\_\_\_ / 6 points

**LISTENING TOTAL** \_\_\_ / 12 points

## B READING

### TASK 1

The people listed on the next page all want to do something in the country. Below are descriptions of eight things to do. Decide which activity (letters A-H) would be the most suitable for each person or group (numbers 1-5). You cannot use the same activity for more than one person or group.

#### Activity descriptions

<p><b>A - Black hole Caves</b></p> <p>These amazing caves were discovered in 1858 by a local farmer. The two-hour guided tour includes the "dining room" cave with its table and chairs of natural rock, and ends with a boat trip along an underwater river. An experience not to be missed!</p>	<p><b>B- Happy Rest</b></p> <p>At Happy Rest we care for horses who have not been looked after by their owners. We offer them a comfortable home where they can end their days peacefully. Visitors can meet the horses, and learn about our work in our information centre. Guided tours available.</p>
<p><b>C - Castle Hill, Denton</b></p> <p>If you are in the small village of Denton, it's worth paying a visit to castle Hill. Only a few stones remain of the original 12<sup>th</sup>- century castle, but the area is full of beautiful wild flowers, and is ideal for a quiet picnic.</p>	<p><b>D - Creston</b></p> <p>There's nothing quite like a trip to Creston. Take a train ride back in time and experiences all the sights and sounds of the golden age of steam trains. Then visit our indoor garden centre where you can buy unusual plants for the house and garden.</p>
<p><b>E - African adventure</b></p> <p>Experience the excitement of your very own African adventure. Follow explorer paths through woods, past lakes and over hills to meet some of Africa's wild animals including lions, zebras and giraffes. You'll need a whole day to do the walk, but it's worth it!</p>	<p><b>F - Staintondale Horses</b></p> <p>Horse and pony lovers, this is the place for you! See our traditional farm horses working in their natural surroundings. Go for a ride on country paths with experienced trainers on our well-behaved horses. Picnic area, café and souvenir shop.</p>
<p><b>G - Duckling Farm</b></p> <p>There's always plenty to do on Duckling Farm, where everyone can get to know our friendly farm animals. Feed the cows and sheep you meet along the way. Hold a baby rabbit and feed the lambs and piglets from a bottle. Our helpful farm staff will make sure that even the youngest visitor has a good time!</p>	<p><b>H - Quad trekking</b></p> <p>Quad bikes are like motorbikes, but their four strong wheels make them easier to ride and much more fun! Even if you've never driven before, our qualified instructors will train you in just a few minutes and you can then experience the fun of riding over woodland paths at up to 50kph.</p>

1- Emmy is six years old and lives in a town. She's frightened of animals. Her grandmother thinks touching small animals would make her more confident. **Activity: G**

2- Mike and Janet are interested in history and nature. They quite like walking and want to get some exercise, but the weather forecast isn't very good today and they don't want to get wet. **Activity: A**

3- The Williams family would like to spend the day together walking in the open air, and they want to see something exciting. They're interested in nature. **Activity: E**

4- Ann and Colin are spending the afternoon with their father, who wants to do something outside, but isn't interested in history. They hate walking and like speed and excitement. Colin doesn't like animals. **Activity: H**

5- Jessica is 14. She lives in London, but she loves animals, especially horses. She hasn't actually done any riding yet, but she's keen to try. **Activity: F**

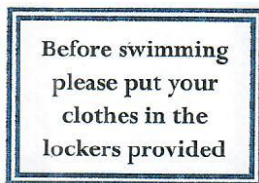
\_\_\_ / 10 points

## TASK 2

Look at the text in each picture. What does it say? Circle the correct answer: A, B or C.



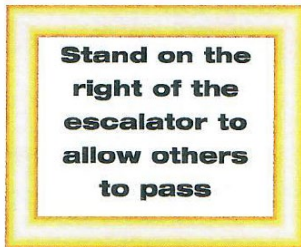
- A The computer should be turned off in five minutes.
- B There is another computer available for use.
- C Wait five minutes before using the computer.



- A There are lockers provided for your swimming clothes.
- B Don't swim before you are provided with a locker.
- C Lock your clothes up before you go swimming.



- A You can book theatre tickets by email.
- B You can find out if tickets are available for new shows.
- C You can get a book of information about new shows.



- A You must pass other people standing on the escalator.
- B You shouldn't stand on the left as other people cannot pass you.
- C You mustn't pass other people on the right of the escalator.

*Dave  
Sue phoned – she's missed the bus and will be late. She'll be at the cinema at 6, not 5.30. Meet her there, not at home.*

- A Sue will be too late to meet Dave.
- B Sue will go directly to the cinema at 6.
- C Dave must go home, not to the cinema.

\_\_\_ / 5 points

### TASK 3

Read the text about youth hostels in Australia. Decide if each sentence is correct or incorrect. Write a cross (X) in the right column.

		CORRECT	INCORRECT
1.	There are youth hostels in nearly all parts of Australia.	X	
2.	Some youth hostels are also used as schools.		X
3.	You can stay in a youth hostel all through the day.	X	
4.	Sheets for beds are provided free of charge.		X
5.	Some youth hostels have single rooms.		X
6.	Hostels are more comfortable now than they were in the past.	X	
7.	You can stay in a double room in Ballarat.		X
8.	Canberra's youth hostel is the most popular in the world.		X
9.	There are two different types of accommodation in the Undara national park.	X	
10.	There are good views from the Barossa Valley Hostel.	X	

# Travelling round Australia

Why not travel round Australia the cheap way? Youth hostelling is an excellent way of seeing the country without spending too much, and the Australian Youth Hostels Association offers you safe and low cost accommodation with hostels just about everywhere in Australia. You can go from a simple country hostel in the middle of nowhere to a modern new hostel right on the beach. You'll find hostels in buildings that used to be farms, schools and even hotels. There are more than 150 in all, located in cities, the country and places of historical importance. Youth hostels are open for 24 hours a day. They all have kitchens where you can cook your meals, and common rooms where you'll meet travellers from all over the world. Blankets and pillows are provided and you can either bring your own sheets or hire them at the hostel. Overnight fees range from \$10 to \$24 per person for shared rooms and twin, double and family rooms are also available.

## Ballarat

Youth hostels today are very different from the rather uncomfortable hostels of some years ago. In Ballarat, for example, a hostel has been opened in the old town where once people use to dig for gold. The accommodation offers large comfortable rooms at an affordable price. The rooms are suitable for individuals, families and groups, sleeping four to ten people with shared bathroom facilities for both men and women. You are also provided with blankets, limited cooking facilities and heating.

## Canberra

Canberra's youth hostel is perfectly situated and the staff have all the latest information about what's on in town to make sure you have a great stay. It is a warm and friendly hostel in a peaceful country setting, with first-rate facilities including kitchens, laundry and plenty of parking. It was described in the Lonely Planet Guide as "the second most popular youth hostel world-wide".

## Undara National Park

Undara National Park contains Undara's Tent Village which has accommodation in tents as well as kitchens where you can cook your own food and a dining area with views over the countryside. There's also the Park's Hostel, which has low-cost shared rooms together with a restaurant, swimming pool, laundry, gift shop and hot and cold showers.

## Barossa Valley

The Barossa Valley Hostel is an old farmhouse, now fully modernised. It has a kitchen with electric oven, microwave and refrigerator. The dining area looks out over the beautiful scenery and there are comfortable living areas with heating.

\_\_\_ / 10 points

**READING COMPREHENSION TOTAL** \_\_\_ / 25 points

## C VOCABULARY

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### TASK 1

Circle the correct answer(s). You only get a point in each number if *all* of your answers are correct. There are no half points.

- Find the things you can wear on your head.  
A goggles      B belt      C scarf      D cap      E glasses
- Which animals could be a house pet?  
A a duck      B a hippo      C a bunny      D a horse      E a guinea pig
- Which sentence means 'He's French.'?  
A He comes from France.      B He lives in French.      C He lives in France.
- Paul was nervous \_\_\_\_\_ the exam.  
A because      B before      C around      D with
- Which of these are fruit?  
A lettuce      B plums      C grapes      D cucumber      E pepper
- Which verb below is usually **not** followed by 'about'?  
A think      B search      C worry      D complain
- It depends \_\_\_\_\_ the weather.  
A at      B from      C to      D on
- "Is this Mike's violin?" – "No, it isn't Mike's. He keeps \_\_\_\_\_ at home."  
A her      B hers      C his      D him
- "What are you doing?" Choose the best answer:  
A "I'm watching a documentary."      B "I am a teacher."      C "I live in Flims."
- Which one of the verbs below **cannot** be used to complete the following sentence?  
George has \_\_\_\_\_ it.  
A found      B saw      C used      D learnt
- Here are some adjectives to describe people. Which adjectives are negative?  
A mean      B bossy      C lively      D anxious      E self-confident
- Choose the word which does **not** fit into the group.  
A breath      B knee      C wrist      D toe
- I've been waiting here \_\_\_\_\_ over half an hour.  
A for      B since      C until      D before
- Does this bike belong \_\_\_\_\_ you?  
A to      B with      C at      D for
- What does AT LEAST mean?  
A not less than      B more than      C fewer than      D less than

\_\_\_ / 15 points



## TASK 2

Write the opposite of the expressions in bold, e.g. a **happy** child – a **sad** child.

1. an **interesting** book     \_\_\_ **boring/uninteresting** \_\_\_
2. a **nervous** woman     \_\_\_ **calm/relaxed** \_\_\_
3. I **borrow** the money     \_\_\_ **lend** \_\_\_
4. their **usual** excuse     \_\_\_ **unusual/extraordinary** \_\_\_
5. it's too **late**     \_\_\_ **early** \_\_\_
6. a **silent** voice     \_\_\_ **loud** \_\_\_
7. an **expensive** journey     \_\_\_ **cheap/inexpensive** \_\_\_
8. he **never** eats meat     \_\_\_ **always** \_\_\_

\_\_\_ / 8 points

## TASK 3

Complete each sentence with a word from the box to describe the personality of the person. There are two extra words, which you don't need to use.

selfish    independent    serious    tidy    patient    hard-working    busy    happy    shy
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1. I don't like meeting new people. I'm a \_\_\_ **shy** \_\_\_ person.
2. I don't like seeing things in the wrong places. I'm a \_\_\_ **tidy** \_\_\_ person.
3. I like doing things alone. I'm an \_\_\_ **independent** \_\_\_ person.
4. I'm studying for exams, I go swimming every day and I often play the guitar with my friends. I'm a \_\_\_ **busy** \_\_\_ person.
5. I've got two jobs. I'm a \_\_\_ **hard-working** \_\_\_ person.
6. I smile all the time. I'm a \_\_\_ **happy** \_\_\_ person.
7. I like reading and talking about politics and art. I'm not interested in pop music or computer games. I'm a \_\_\_ **serious** \_\_\_ person.

\_\_\_ / 7 points

**VOCABULARY TOTAL**     \_\_\_ / 30 points

## D USE OF ENGLISH

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### TASK 1

Complete the letter with the correct form of the present simple (*I do*) or present continuous (*I am doing*).

Dear Max,

I am on vacation with my family and we (1.) **ARE HAVING** (have) a great time.

I (2.) **AM WRITING** (write) to you from our hotel. The hotel (3.) **IS** (be) small. It only (4.) **HAS** (have) eight rooms. There is a restaurant next door to the hotel. The restaurant (5.) **SERVES** (serve) Italian food. Right now, some people (6.) **ARE SITTING** (sit) outside and (7.) **(ARE) HAVING** (have) something to drink. The drinks (8.) **LOOK** (look) delicious. The weather here is great and the sun (9.) **IS SHINING** (shine). We (10.) **ARE GETTING** (get) ready to leave for the beach, so I will write again soon.

Your friend,

Juan

\_\_\_ / 10 points

### TASK 2

Using the words below, complete the text with the correct form of the past simple (*I walked*).

*finish, give, go, have, not have, play, spend*

Last summer holiday, Susan and Cindy (1.) **PLAYED** in the park together every day. This year was different. They (2.) **DID NOT HAVE** time to play. They (3.) **SPENT** much more time preparing for school, which started again two weeks ago. The teacher (4.) **GAVE** them a project that they (5.) **HAD** to present in the first week back to school. They finally (6.) **FINISHED** the project last week.

Do you know what they did as soon as they were finished? They (7.) **WENT** straight to the park together again, just like last summer.

\_\_\_ / 7 points

### TASK 3

These are the answers. Write the question and ask for the underlined part.

Example: What does he like?

He likes spaghetti.

1. **WHERE IS PAULA?**

Paula is at the beach.

2. **WHAT IS SHE DOING?**

She is swimming.

3. **ISN'T IT TOO COLD TO SWIM? / IS IT NOT TOO COLD TO SWIM? / IT'S NOT TOO COLD TO SWIM? /**

**IS IT TOO COLD TO SWIM?**

No, it is not too cold to swim.

4. **WHEN WILL SHE BE BACK?**

She will be back soon.

\_\_\_ / 8 points

### TASK 4

Complete the sentences with the past simple (*I walked*) or past continuous (*I was walking*) form of the verbs in brackets.

It (1.) **WAS RAINING** (rain) very hard and the bus (2.) **DID NOT LEAVE** (not leave) the station on time.

When we finally (3.) **GOT** (get) home, my aunt and uncle (4.) **WERE WAITING** (wait) for us at the door.

They (5.) **TOLD** (tell) us to hurry inside and go directly to the basement. A bad storm (6.) **WAS**

**APPROACHING** (approach). When I (7.) **LOOKED** (look) up the road, I (8.) **SAW** (see) a tornado that

(9.) **WAS COMING** (come) towards our house.

\_\_\_ / 9 points

## TASK 5

Complete the conversations with the present perfect (*I have cooked*) or past simple (*I cooked*) form of the verbs in brackets.

**Petra** <sup>1</sup>**DID YOU REMEMBER** (you / remember) to pay that cheque into the bank?

**Alan** Yes, it went in this morning.

**Tom** <sup>2</sup>**HAVE YOU EVER BORROWED** (you / ever / borrow) anyone's car?

**Dave** Yes, I borrowed my brother's and I crashed it!

**Anna** Hi, can I speak to Camille, please?

**Beth** I'm sorry, she <sup>3</sup>**JUST WENT / HAS JUST GONE** (just / go) out.

**Doctor** What seems to be the problem?

**John** I <sup>4</sup>**FELL** (fall) over skiing. I think I <sup>5</sup>**BROKE / 'VE BROKEN** (break) my finger.

**Peter** How long <sup>6</sup>**HAVE YOU KNOWN** (you / know) Mike?

**Liz** Well, we <sup>7</sup>**MET** (meet) in 2015 and we've been good friends ever since.

**Jan** Have you ever been to South America?

**Jane** Yes, I have. In 2018, I <sup>8</sup>**VISITED** (visit) some friends in Peru.

\_\_\_ / 8 points

## TASK 6

Form a comparative or superlative structure (*as long, longer, the longest*) using the adjectives in brackets to complete the sentences.

1 The subway in Athens is **THE MOST/LEAST MODERN** (modern) one I've ever been on.

2 What's **THE QUICKEST** (quick) way to get around Moscow?

3 Are trains here **AS EXPENSIVE** (expensive) as in Britain?

4 I think my old car was **MORE/LESS ECONOMICAL** (economical) than my new one.

5 You look much **BETTER** (good) with short hair!

6 Unfortunately my new office is just **AS TINY** (tiny) as my last one.

7 That was probably **THE WORST** (bad) coffee I've ever drunk!

8 Mary speaks **MORE SLOWLY / SLOWER** (slowly) than Isabella, so she's easier to understand.

\_\_\_ / 8 points

## TASK 7

Circle the correct future form of the verb.

- 1 I *am taking* / *take* the bus, so I might be late.
- 2 You look very nice. *Are you meeting* / *Will you meet* someone special?
- 3 We haven't decided what to do. We *will go* / *might go* to the cinema.
- 4 If we leave now, we *are getting* / *could still get* to the theatre on time.
- 5 If he doesn't practice, he *will not get* / *is not getting* any better.
- 6 I don't think new technology *will change* / *will changing* our lives.

\_\_\_ / 6 points

## TASK 8

Complete the sentences with a suitable preposition (*in, of, at, etc.*).

- 1 My friend is good AT playing volleyball.
- 2 They are afraid OF losing the match.
- 3 We are looking forward TO going out at the weekend.
- 4 Andrew apologized FOR being late.
- 5 We live IN Germany.
- 6 Last summer I took a plane FROM Munich to Rome.
- 7 We went shopping AT the airport.
- 8 We went to our hotel BY bus.

\_\_\_ / 8 points

## TASK 9

Complete the sentences with *a, an, the, or –* (no article).

- 1 That's A fantastic dress. Where did you get it?
- 2 The teacher told me to close THE door and sit down.
- 3 Let's eat in this restaurant. It is supposed to be THE best one in town.
- 4 His latest film isn't as good as THE last one he made.
- 5 My best friend is A terrible driver.
- 6 He has no idea how to park A/THE car.
- 7 Is this a good place to have --- lunch together?
- 8 According to the law, motorcyclists must wear --- helmets.
- 9 You should wear A helmet when riding a motorcycle.
- 10 THE best time to visit Paris is August.

\_\_\_ / 10 points

USE OF ENGLISH TOTAL \_\_\_ / 74 points

## E CONVERSATIONS

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### TASK 1

Complete the conversations with a phrase from the list. There are 2 extra phrases you don't need.

call you back	write back	go back	give it back
pay you back	run back	send them back	take it back

- 1 A Are you feeling better?  
B Yes, I think I'll **GO BACK** to work tomorrow.
- 2 A The shirt you bought me is too small.  
B Don't worry. I'll **TAKE IT BACK** to the shop and change it. I still have the receipt.
- 3 A Hi, Jack. It's me, Karen.  
B I can't talk right now, I'm driving. I'll **CALL YOU BACK** in 15 minutes.
- 4 A That's my pen you are using!  
B Is it? Sorry. I'll **GIVE IT BACK** in a minute.
- 5 A Can you lend me £20? I'll **PAY YOU BACK** next week.  
B OK – here you are.
- 6 A Where did you buy those shoes?  
B I got them online, but they're too big. I think I'll **SEND THEM BACK**.

\_\_\_ / 6 points

### TASK 2

Complete the following conversations with suitable words or expressions. The first letter of each word is given. Do not change it.

- 1 A Hello. I would like to speak to Mr. Jones.  
B I'm afraid his line is **ENGAGED**. Would you like to **LEAVE** a **MESSAGE**?
- 2 A Thanks for having me! I've really enjoyed my stay.  
B You're very **WELCOME**. It's been a **PLEASURE**. Come back and see us again!
- 3 A Susie and John are **SUCH** nice people!  
B I know! They are always so friendly and helpful!
- 4 A Why are you driving so fast? We're not in a **HURRY**!  
B Oh sorry, I didn't realise, I'll slow down.
- 5 A **HOW** would you like your coffee?  
B Black with no **SUGAR**, please.
- 6 A When did you last go on **HOLIDAY**?  
B I went to Majorca two **YEARS AGO**.

\_\_\_ / 6 points

CONVERSATIONS TOTAL \_\_\_ / 12 points