
Abschlussprüfung Englisch

Realschulabschluss Schriftlicher Teil

Name: _____

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Ergebnis des schriftlichen Teils

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| Teil 1 | 15 | |
| Teil 2 | 15 | |
| Teil 3 | 40 | |
| GESAMT | 70 | |
| Unterschrift (Erstkorrektor) | | |
| Unterschrift (Zweitkorrektor) | | |

Allgemeine Arbeitshinweise

Der schriftliche Teil der Abschlussprüfung besteht aus 3 Teilen:

- 1 Nachweis des Hörverständnisses (Listening)
- 2 Nachweis des Leseverständnisses (Reading)
- 3 Schreiben (Writing)

Vor der planmäßigen Arbeitszeit stehen Ihnen **15 Minuten** zum Vertrautmachen mit allen Teilen und Aufgaben zur Verfügung. Die Arbeitszeit zur Lösung aller Aufgaben beträgt **180 Minuten**.

Die Prüfung beginnt mit Teil 1 Listening.

Die Einhaltung der Normen von fachlicher und äußerer Form wird im Rahmen der Gesamtbewertung berücksichtigt.

Für die Lösung **aller Teile** benutzen Sie bitte die entsprechenden **Arbeitsblätter**.

Es sind folgende **Hilfsmittel** in gedruckter Form zugelassen:

- zweisprachiges Wörterbuch Englisch-Deutsch/Deutsch-Englisch
- zugelassenes Nachschlagewerk zur Grammatik
- Wörterbuch der deutschen Rechtschreibung

Teilnehmer mit Migrationshintergrund können zusätzlich ein zweisprachiges Wörterbuch (Deutsch-Herkunftssprache/Herkunftssprache-Deutsch) in gedruckter Form verwenden.

How to see the world for less

Travelling can become quite expensive, so more and more people who would like to see the world use alternative ways to get around.

You will listen to a radio programme. There are 3 parts.
You will hear each text twice.

a) Listen to the first part. Mark the correct option.

- 1 Robert became interested in couchsurfing ...
 - when friends recommended it to him.
 - when he visited California.
 - when he was snowboarding.

- 2 Robert reports about his trip where he...
 - enjoyed being Michelle's tenth guest.
 - lived outside Paris for three days.
 - lodged with an experienced traveller.

- 3 Robert's accommodation in Paris was ...
 - a couch in the host's living room.
 - an entire room with a great view.
 - just a simple but comfortable sofa.

- 4 Robert's example supports the spirit of couchsurfing – ...
 - interest and experience.
 - hospitality and community.
 - trust and respect.

- 5 Robert is one of ... organized couchsurfers.
 - about 2,004
 - over 120,000
 - more than 9 million

- 6 Robert Butterworth is a student and ...
 - has experience as a couchsurfer.
 - wants to become a couchsurfer.
 - works for www.couchsurfing.com.

b) Listen to the second part. Decide whether the following statements are true or false. Mark the correct option.

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| | | true | false |
|---|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 | To become a couchsurfer, you have to create your own website including a photo of the 'couch' you offer. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2 | In your online profile you should give extensive information about yourself and the accommodation you provide. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3 | Generally, you will contact future guests or hosts before the journey to find out shared interests. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4 | Though English is often used, it is impossible to find out what level of English the other person speaks. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

c) Listen to the third part. Complete Dr Eisenhammer's profile. Write 1 to 5 words.

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Dr Dieter Eisenhammer

place: *Wiesbaden, Germany*

age: *a bit over 70*

couch surfer since: *2007*

positive effect of being a host: _____

former guests: *Asian girls*

what we did together:

go to a Turkish barber; their chance to _____

how they thanked me:

rules at my home:

1. _____

2. _____

3. *Both, surfers and hosts need to be open and ready to compromise.*

Read the text. Then do tasks a, b and c.

Travelling on a shoestring budget

Some people may not be willing to spend much money, but wish to see the world anyhow which means keeping expenses low. Students from different parts of the world have written about their experience of low budget travelling.

Maja from Berlin:

I have studied landscape architectures. I like to travel as a backpacker, couch-surfer and bike nomad. A few years ago the travel bug gripped me and I found an interesting website of a backpacker company which boasted: "We challenge you to travel Britain cheaper by public transport!"

I decided for the Backpacker Tour Company which is well-established and covers all parts of the UK. The itineraries, however, are not hop-on, hop-off, so we were not free to interrupt the tour in places we liked and found our independence limited. We were recommended to hold on to our cash. Tours with no-frills itineraries allowed us to pay for as many optional extras, e.g. meals and entrance fees – or as few as we wished.

At about £25 per day, this was better value than some other backpacker buses which offer a hop-on hop-off travel pass.

The experience was really outstanding. Our guides were full of knowledge and had a great sense of humour. The scenery was absolutely beautiful and I couldn't recommend a better company to travel with. I will definitely be coming back.

Karel from Prague:

I've been couchsurfing for six years and I've met several of my best friends. For me it's the true spirit of travelling.

I've had plenty of guests over a span of years. One of my favourites was a group of four Hungarians. When I came back after work, the house was empty. - Suddenly they came in with nine bags of groceries! Apparently in their culture, it's a custom that when you stay with a host, you repay the favour by cooking them dinner. They made some great Hungarian food and we spent the next few hours chatting in my kitchen. Budapest is now on my ever-growing list of places to see.

To be honest, I only had one negative experience: In Marrakech, Morocco, we had to wait for our host. The area seemed quite dreary: suspicious streets, decaying houses. It was getting late, with the sky full of dark clouds. Not knowing French or even Arabic, we couldn't communicate with the people around. Our host ignored our calls. Only when we called him from the phone booth did he mercifully explain what bus to take to the centre, because he was not going to host us!

Nigel from California:

Finding an inexpensive place to stay can be a challenge in the US if you are travelling through the more rural parts of America. That's why my friend and I decided to camp. Almost all of the campsites can be rented for extremely low rates, sometimes as low as five dollars a night. Usually this includes a grill for cooking, space for tents, a toilet and a shower area.

Last year we travelled through California and did not have the space for any camping equipment, so we stayed at the campsite units in Yosemite. This was quite a fun adventure!!! There are 3 walls, and a tent flap.

Our unit was located in the middle. It was quite a hike to go from our site to the main office. We were also close to the river, so that was great. We went there multiple times for the great scenery.

Bicycles turned out to be the best method to really take in all of the wonders of Yosemite.

Rumor has it that there are plenty of bears in the area. I was disappointed, not to see a bear in the wild, but I was also relieved, because there was no way our tent flap could have kept them out.

a) Match the statements below to the people who express them. Mark your choice. **Note:** More than one option can be correct.

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| | | Maja | Karel | Nigel |
|---|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 | Travellers book the basic tour and can decide on more offers later. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2 | They were attracted by the fantastic scenery around. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3 | If you don't know someone's mother tongue, you can be lost abroad. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4 | It takes some effort to find affordable accommodation in the countryside. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

b) Decide whether the following statements are true or false. Mark the correct option. Find evidence in the text to justify your decision. Write down the beginning of the sentence (5 words).

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| | true | false | evidence | |
|---|--|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| 0 | You can spend the night on a Yosemite campsite without your own special camp gear. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <i>Last year we travelled through ...</i> |
| 1 | Some guests cooked a typical national dish for Karel. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| 2 | Maja was fully pleased to have competent and entertaining people to show her around. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| 3 | As a big fan of couchsurfing, Karel had mostly awesome experiences. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| 4 | Nigel was happy to see a bear after spending some time in the wild. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |

c) The text reflects several aspects of low budget travelling. Mark **the** correct option.

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| couchsurfing + biking + hiking | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| backpacking + hitchhiking + mountain biking | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| low-budget flying + camping + travelling by coach | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| camping + travelling by bus + couchsurfing | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Mark the correct option in the chart below.

First time hitchhiking

If you've never hitchhiked before, you have to get over your first hitchhiking fear. Every hitchhiker went through this. You can prepare **(1)** by buying a map and checking out hitchhiking websites. Make sure you know what a good spot means, and that you know **(2)** good spots on the trip you're making. Take a look **(3)** your appearance to make sure you look like a hitchhiker.

First time hitchhiking doesn't **(4)** mean a short trip – but starting with a short trip might help. Take a day trip to the next town! This said, **(5)** prepare too much. Decide where you're going, the best road to get there, walk a distance. At a good spot **(6)** the traffic and stick up your thumb. You **(7)** like the center of attention at first, but after a while you'll get used to it, and become more concerned with trying to get a ride.

Sometimes it happens that you have to wait for **(8)** a long time. Is it a bad spot? Can cars stop easily there without **(9)** the traffic? Is it a holiday and all cars are filled up with families? The list of possible reasons is long, but to calm you down there's one universal rule for every hitchhiker out there:

Somewhere out on the road there is someone **(10)** will pick you up. Always! The only question is when this is going to happen, but as Einstein once said: Time is relative.

(1) you your yours yourself

(2) any much one some

(3) at for forward on

(4) necessary necessarily necessitate necessity

(5) didn't doesn't don't not

(6) face hand head shoulder

(7) feels felt have felt will feel

(8) quick quiet quit quite

(9) blocked blocker blocking blocks

(10) which who whom whose

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3.2 Guided Writing

You are back home from a trip to the UK. You forgot a piece of clothing with something important in its pocket(s) in the hotel. Write a polite email in English to get it back. Use the information below.

Berücksichtigen Sie beim Schreiben der formellen E-Mail die nachfolgenden Informationen und Hinweise:

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- Zufriedenheit mit dem Aufenthalt, Anliegen der E-Mail

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- Informationen zum Aufenthalt

Welcome to Marley's Hotel

Keycard

Room: 327

Arrival: May 2

Departure: May 7

B&B

Half-board

Full board

All meals are served in our basement restaurant.

Wi-fi access: welcomeMay2-7

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- Beschreibung des Kleidungsstücks und des Gegenstandes in der Tasche (z. B. Kamera, Schmuck, ...) und dessen Bedeutung und/oder Wert

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- Hinweis, wo genau das Kleidungsstück zurückgelassen wurde

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- Vorschlag zum weiteren Vorgehen

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Für die Umsetzung des korrekten E-Mail-Formats (z. B. Anrede, Abschluss) erhalten Sie 1 BE.

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Für die Qualität der sprachlichen Umsetzung können Sie max. 6 BE erhalten.

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