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Serie 1 answer key

Name _____
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Prüfungsteile	Maximale Punktzahl	Erreichte Punktzahl
1. Teil: Textverständnis	15	
2. Teil: Wortschatz	15	
3. Teil: Grammatik	15	
4. Teil: Textproduktion	15*	
Total	60	
Expertinnen/Experten: _____ / _____		Note:

*Textproduktion: Inhalt 9 Punkte, Grammatik 3 Punkte, Wortschatz 3 Punkte

Punkte	Note
57 – 60	6.0
51 – 56	5.5
45 – 50	5.0
39 – 44	4.5
33 – 38	4.0
27 – 32	3.5
21 – 26	3.0
15 – 20	2.5
9 – 14	2.0
3 – 8	1.5
0 – 2	1.0

Bitte tragen Sie in der Kopfzeile *jedes* Prüfungsblattes Ihren Namen, Vornamen und Ihre Kandidatennummer ein.

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1. Teil: Textverständnis (15 points)

You are going to read an article about four sportsmen. For the following questions, choose from the sportsmen (A-D). The sportsmen may be chosen more than once.

Which sportsman mentions

a time-consuming aspect of being well known in his sport?	C
a career opportunity resulting from an achievement in sport?	B
the financial advantages of success in his sport?	B
a good result that went largely unnoticed?	A
the importance of having a social life outside sport?	C
enjoying a change of scene when training?	A
difficulties in a relationship resulting from his lifestyle?	D
enjoying being recognised by people in the street?	D
attracting attention for things not directly connected to the sport?	C
not finding the idea of fame attractive?	C
regretting having to turn down invitations?	A
the advantages and disadvantages of supporters coming to watch the sport?	D
the time of day he has to go training?	B
disappointment at not getting help as a result of an achievement?	A
a feeling that his sporting career will be relatively short?	D

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Dedicated to their sports

Four young sports stars talk about their lives.

<p>Darius (runner)</p> <p>I've always been sporty. I played a bit of everything at one time, but I was best at football and athletics. When I was 14, I had a trial for a professional football club, but eventually I decided to go down the athletics route instead. My biggest moment came when I got to compete for my country in the youth team and got a medal. It did not result in much media attention, though, which was a shame. I'd been hoping some sponsorship would come out of it, because the training doesn't come cheap. I train at home all winter and then go away for three weeks, usually Florida, before the season starts. It's good fun - there are great athletics facilities there and the nightlife's great, too. You've got to be really disciplined, though. If friends ask me to go out the night before training, I have to say no. I wish I didn't, but dedication pays in this sport. The main goal for me is to get to the next Olympics - that would be fantastic.</p>	<p>C Dieter (yacht racer)</p> <p>With five lads on a boat together, you have a good laugh. We're very traditional and we always celebrate a win in great style. It's been said that we act a bit childish when we're out, but we don't actively go looking for media coverage. Sometimes the reporters actually seem more concerned about where you go out celebrating and what you get up to there than about where you came in the race. I'm away for eight months of the year, so it's great to get back, go out with my mates from other walks of life and do the things they do. You can't live, eat and breathe the sport all the time - it's not healthy. I'm known within the world of sailing, but fortunately I can count the number of times I've been recognised in the street on the fingers of one hand. I'd hate to become some sort of celebrity. I get a lot of nice letters from people wanting signed pictures, though. It may take ages, but I reply to every one. It would be cheeky to complain, even if it does take a bit of organising.</p>
<p>B Gabriel (surfer)</p> <p>The surfing community is small, so you get to meet the same guys wherever you compete. Professional surfers are very serious and often the best waves are early in the morning, so if you're really going to get anywhere, you have to cut out late-night parties altogether. I don't mind that so much, but I do love having a lie-in, and I usually have to give that up too. But it's worth it because without that kind of dedication I might not have won the National Championships last year. I make sure that a big night out follows any win. If - there's cash involved in the winnings, I'll go away somewhere really nice. And, of</p>	<p>D Tomas (tennis player)</p> <p>It's always a great thing to walk on court and feel that the crowd's behind you. At the last tournament, though, it all got a bit crazy with people crowding around. Despite that, I have to admit that I do still get quite a thrill out of being seen by fans when I'm out shopping or something. It has its downside though. My last girlfriend didn't like it if I got too much attention from female fans. The thing is, tennis players have to travel quite a lot, and in the end, that's why we split up, I guess. That was hard, but you've got to make sacrifices in any sport; you've got to be serious and professional.</p>

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course, the sacrifices are worth it in the long run because winning that championship meant I got picked to present a surfing series on TV. I guess I'm a bit of a celebrity now.

Actually, it doesn't really bother me too much.
I'm content to concentrate on my game now and catch up on the other things in life once I've retired, because, after all, that comes pretty early in this sport.

2. Teil: Wortschatz (15 points)

Circle the correct answer (to fill the gap or find a word or phrase with a similar meaning)
15 marks

1. The place was *full of people*. _____ **A** _____

- A The place was packed
- B The place was famous
- C The place was empty

2. The film was great, I mean really _____ **B** _____

- A disappointing
- B amazing
- C annoying

3. The weather was *not nice*. _____ **A** _____

- A unsuitable
- B unreliable
- C disagreeable

4. You can borrow _____ **A** _____

- A money
- B hypothesis
- C health

5. Great *staff!* _____ **B** _____

- A A wonderful thing
- B Wonderful employees
- C A great company

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6. She is _____ **B** _____ for her contribution to science.

- A reminded
- B remembered
- C recommended

7. His _____ **A** _____ was to reach the top.

- A aim
- B view
- C direction

8. _____ **B** _____ making any mistakes if possible.

- A Escape
- B Avoid
- C Lose

9. The *struggle* _____ **B** _____ between good and evil is never-ending

- A balance
- B fight
- C harmony

10. Jim was in Chiang Mai *recently*. _____ **C** _____

- A briefly
- B for a long time
- C not long ago

11. He stopped to _____ **C** _____ the view

- A look
- B watch
- C admire

12. Everybody _____ **B** _____ the atmosphere there.

- A delighted in
- B enjoyed
- C admired

13. The weather _____ **B** _____ an important part in their victory.

- A made
- B played
- C did

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14. The incident marked a **A** point in her life.

- A turning
 B remarkable
 C notable

15. If you don't want to see someone, you **C** them.

- A deny
 B meet
 C avoid

3. Teil: Grammatik (12 points)

A. Tenses

12 marks

For questions 1 -12 complete the gaps with the suitable tense of the verb in brackets.

Kate:	What evening class (1 did you say)___you say) you were doing?
Alison:	Spanish conversation, yeah. It's good.
Kate:	(2)_____ Is it _____ (it/be) difficult?
Alison:	Well, it (3) _____ said _____ (say) online that the course was for people who (4)_____ were _____ (be) fluent or near-fluent, so I thought most people (would/be) (5)_____ would be _____ above my level. But when I went to the first class I (6)_____ found _____ (find) out I was one of the best.
Kate:	I'm not surprised. Most British people's idea of near-fluent in a foreign language is being able to order a coffee and ask for directions.
Alison:	You're exaggerating!
Kate:	I know. But there's a friend of mine who (7)_____ has got _____ (get) intermediate level French on her CV and I'm not sure she can count to twenty.
Alison:	(8)_____ Didn't you do _____ (you/not do) French at school?
Kate:	Yeah. I did. But I never went to France. I'd love to go. Perhaps (9) _____ I'll go _____ (I/go) next year in my holiday.
Alison:	That would be very nice. But you (10)_____ won't stay _____ not/stay) in a hotel, will you? You (11)_____ won't learn _____

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	(not/learn) much that way.
Kate:	Right again. Well I (12) _am definitely going to join_ (definitely join) a language course before I go.
Alison:	Well, if you do go to France. Don't forget to send me a selfie...

B. For questions 13 – 18 choose the correct answer
points for each correct answer)

3 marks (1/2)

13. Congratulations on your latest test results. You did much _____ than you did the previous time.

- good **better** best

14. A: What's your new boss _____? B: He seems OK. He lets her get on with the job.

- seem like look like **like**

15. You have taken the rubbish out, _____ you?

- haven't** didn't have

16. Please will you pass me _____ grapes?

- little few **some**

17. She asked him _____ he wanted to go to the race course.

- as soon as unless **whether**

18. We had such a great week _____ we went walking in the mountains.

- that where **when**

4. Teil: Textproduktion

Part 4: Writing

Colin, an English-speaking friend of yours who makes films for a local TV company in Ireland has sent you the following e-mail. Read Colin's message and the notes you have made. Then write your e-mail back, using **all** your notes.

Guess what? The director of the TV company has asked me to make a short film for Irish visitors to your town.

I'll be in charge of a film crew of six so I'll be my first big experience.
The team and I could come for one week either in February or in August.

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What do you think would be better?

In the film we'd like to show a place that's a bit unusual but that would still interest the average Irish tourist. Is there something interesting that tourists normally don't visit?

Finally, we'll definitely need someone to give us a tour of the town. Do you know someone suitable who might be able to help us?

Please write back soon.
Colin

Notes:

- Great idea!
- Say when would be better and why
- Tell Colin about that special place
- Offer to help

On the following page, write your email to your Facebook friend Colin in 100 - 200 words. Do not write any addresses.

Content	/ 9 points
Register / Vocabulary / Linking words	/ 3 points
Accuracy	/ 3 points

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Sample answer

Hi Colin

It was great to hear from you and your fantastic news! Even more as good old Thun'll become famous to you Irish.

You ask about whether February or August would be better to make your film. Well honestly I think the region has got more charm in the summer with the lake and all the outdoor activities you can choose from.

A definite must for any tourist is the Mill Square in the heart of the town. You can stay outside for ages enjoying a cool drink served by one of Thun's street restaurants and cafés in the town centre. There is also a delicious variety of international meals to choose from which are also served al fresco. It gives you the feeling of being somewhere in the south and what is more you'll meet so many relaxed people having a great time.

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What is more, I'll be off work in August and would simply love to help you and your team in anyway possible. I'd even carry props and fetch coffee for you.

Hope to hear from you soon.

Cheers!

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