

AUFNAHMEPRÜFUNG 2024 – ANSWER KEY

ENGLISCH

Name _____ Vorname _____

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Für die Teile 1, 2 und 3 sind **keine Hilfsmittel** zugelassen.

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Prüfungszeit gesamt **70 Minuten**

Teil 1 **Reading** _____ von 20 P.

Teil 2 **Grammar** _____ von 60 P.

Teil 3 **Writing** _____ von 20 P.

Total Punkte _____ von 100 P.

Note

Visum der korrigierenden Lehrperson/en _____

I. READING (max. 20P)

Reading Part 1 (10)

Read the text and for each space circle the best answer **A, B, C** or **D** in the table below. The first one has been done for you.

Apollo 13

At 2:13 p.m. EST on April 11, 1970, three astronauts climbed into (0)___ spacecraft perched on launch pad 39A at Kennedy Space Center in Florida. The astronauts' names were James Lovell, Jack Swigert, and Fred Haise. Their mission was (1)___ Apollo 13, and it was scheduled to be the third mission to land on the moon, but that wasn't (2)___ happened. The flight had to be aborted, or cut short, (3)___ to a ruptured oxygen tank that set off a series of events that threatened the lives of the astronauts.

Things were going fairly smoothly (4)___ the first couple of days of the mission, but 55 hours and 53 minutes into the flight, things changed when one of the oxygen tanks blew up, causing a second oxygen tank to sustain damage. The problem caused the command module to lose its normal (5)___ of electricity, light, and water, and it (6)___ oxygen. The command module is the part (7)___ the spacecraft that contains the crew's living area and the onboard controls. Knowing (8)___ were in trouble, Swigert uttered the now famous words, 'Houston, we've had a problem here.'

The astronauts (9)___ use the landing module as a lifeboat until they could power up the command module, which would bring them back to Earth. The damaged spacecraft successfully splashed down in the Pacific Ocean six days (10)___ with the astronauts safely onboard.

Circle the best answer here.

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|--------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| 0) A an | B the | C one | D a |
| 1) A told | B explained | C called | D cast |
| 2) A when | B that | C what | D how |
| 3) A caused | B because | C due | D indeed |
| 4) A during | B while | C thorough | D lasting |
| 5) A suspension | B supply | C supper | D sustain |
| 6) A will lose | B loses | C was losing | D has been losing |
| 7) A over | B that | C which | D of |
| 8) A which | B them | C they | D whose |
| 9) A shall | B should | C had to | D must |
| 10) A sooner | B now | C later | D then |

Reading Part 2 (10)

Look at the text in each question. What does it say?

Choose the best answer **A, B, C** or **D**.

Question 1

Did you know that the planet Pluto got its name from an 11-year-old girl, Venetia Burney of Oxford?

- A) An 11-year-old girl was nicknamed Pluto.
- B) A girl discovered Pluto on her 11th birthday.
- C) Pluto was named after Venetia Burney.
- D) A girl gave a name to a planet.

Question 2

Did you know you can buy pyramid shaped watermelons in Japan?

- A) Japan sells unique looking watermelons.
- B) Watermelon stacks look like pyramids.
- C) Japan imports pyramids of watermelons.
- D) Japanese pyramids look like watermelons.

Question 3

Applesauce was the first food eaten in space by astronauts.

- A) Astronauts should eat applesauce in space.
- B) Applesauce was first eaten by astronauts.
- C) Astronauts ate applesauce in space.
- D) Applesauce tastes best in space.

Question 4

A common garden snail has nearly 14000 teeth.

- A) Garden snails have plenty of teeth.
- B) The largest snail found was 14ft. long.
- C) Garden snails have 14000 teeth.
- D) Dentists use garden snails for practice.

Question 5

Did you know sea otters hold hands as they sleep? It keeps them from floating away in the sea while they sleep.

- A) Otters influence modern day seafaring.
- B) Holding hands makes sleeping safe.
- C) Holding hands provides a swimming aid.
- D) Otters scan the sea while they sleep.

II. GRAMMAR (max. 60)

1. Write the questions to which the underlined words are an answer (5)

1. It's Sam's job to clean the dishes.

Whose job is it to clean the dishes?

2. She drives a pick-up truck.

What does she drive?

3. Paula is well-behaved.

What is Paula like? → the word 'like' must be there

4. They went home because it was already late.

Why did they go home?

5. Johnny has just come back from England.

Where has Johnny (just) come (back) from? → here: words in brackets () optional

2. Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first. Use one or two words. (12)

→ Careful: Two/2 points per correct answer

1. I usually went to school by bike.

I used to ride my bike to school.

2. I know so much because I like reading books.

The reason why I know so much is because I like reading books.

3. My neighbor's tree isn't as tall as our tree.

Our tree is taller than our neighbor's tree.

4. Both, Bill and Bess don't like chocolate.

Neither Bill nor Bess like chocolate.

5. This tree has very few apples.

There are hardly any apples on this tree.

6. My brother has got a farm.

The farm belongs to my brother.

3. Complete the sentences with the correct prepositions (7)

1. In the morning the winds on the ocean are calm. Not far from where we stand we can see the old lighthouse sending its last beams of light out to sea. In front of the lighthouse there is a dock. All of a sudden, the sun comes up / out and daylight illuminates this quiet world.

4. Use the words in brackets and fill in the correct verb form: present simple or present continuous, past simple or past continuous or present perfect simple or continuous. (20)

1. This is the third day of the week. It is early morning and Moira is sitting on the dock by the old lighthouse. She has a day off work. She likes to come here, because this place holds many memories for her. She often came here as a child together with her father. He was the keeper of the lighthouse. That was back in the days, when somebody still needed to be there and check it regularly. Today the lighthouse functions all by itself and it is monitored from an office in town. When her father lost his job as a lighthouse keeper he started to work as a technician for the local hospital. He has never complained about this. Moira is lost in her thoughts. The birds are circling around her. Sometimes she brings them some old bread, but today she has left it at home. "Sorry, birds!" she shouts, but they don't seem to take notice. Perhaps they don't understand English? When she was a child the old dock by the lighthouse was her secret place. Moira grew up here. But she is not a child anymore. She is a doctor now. This time last year she was studying hard for her final exams at university and since then she has been working at the same local hospital where her dad works.

She is happy about this. And the best thing about this? Both, her and her dad now **have** a new secret place, on the terrace, up on the roof of the hospital. It overlooks the whole town and in the distance, one can even see the old lighthouse. Sometimes they **climb** up there together at night and watch how the light shines from the lighthouse and touches the distant waves in the endless ocean behind it.

6. Circle the best answer: A, B, or C. The first one has been done for you. (8)

0. Susan is taller Eric.

A: then

B: of

C: **than**

1. What chocolate taste like?

A: is

B: **does**

C: has

2. The kids were watching TV the mother was cooking dinner.

A: during

B: **while**

C: recently

3. She will come tonight, she?

A: **won't**

B: doesn't

C: isn't

4. Is this software with our Windows system?

A: **compatible**

B: comparable

C: composed

5. We regret you that all tickets are sold out.

A: **to tell**

B: must tell

C: telling

6. He spent five months in America year.

A: since last

B: for a

C: **last**

7. Sophie has been to England once, Maria has been there four

A: turns

B: **times**

C: rounds

8. Mr Parker keeps a dog not to feel lonely.

A: **so as**

B: such as

C: rather

8. Fill in the missing information in the tables below. (8)

big	bigger	biggest
calm	calmer	calmest
happy	happier	happiest
sad	sadder	saddest
beautiful	more beautiful	most beautiful

go	went	gone
fly	flew	flown
get	got	got
feed	fed	fed
wear	wore	worn

→ both forms right = 1p (**No** ½ points)

III. WRITING (max. 20)

Corrections: Points are awarded as follows, either **20, 16, 12, 8, 4, or 0**

Write about a chair. Describe what the chair looks like and what it is made of. Explain what makes it special and why you like it.