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GCSE GERMAN

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Paper 1 Listening

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Morning

Time allowed: 45 minutes approximately (including 5 minutes' reading time before the test)

You will need no other materials.

• The pauses are pre-recorded for this test.

At the top of the page, write your surname and other names, your centre number, your candidate number and add your signature.

INSTRUCTIONS

• Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

This is what you should do for each item.

- After the question number is announced, there will be a pause to allow you to read the instructions and questions.
- Listen carefully to the recording and read the questions again.
- Listen to the recording again, and then answer the questions.
- When the next question is about to start you will hear a bleep like this (*).
- You may write at any time during the test.
- In SECTION A, answer the questions in ENGLISH. In SECTION B, answer the questions in GERMAN.
- You must answer all the questions in the spaces provided. Do NOT write on blank pages.
- Write neatly and put down ALL the information you are asked to give.
- Ask any questions now. YOU MUST NOT ASK QUESTIONS OR INTERRUPT DURING THE TEST.

- You now have five minutes to read through the question paper. You may make notes during this time. You may open your answer book now.
- THE TEST STARTS NOW.

INFORMATION

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets. The maximum mark for this paper is 50.
- You must NOT use a dictionary.

DO NOT TURN OVER UNTIL TOLD TO DO SO

SECTION A

Questions and answers in ENGLISH

CINEMA AND TELEVISION

Two Swiss friends are talking about films at the local cinema.

0 1 What types of film are they talking about?

Complete the table in ENGLISH. [2 marks]

	Type of film	Type of film	Type of film
	last week	this week	next week
Frank	'love story'		



Now they are talking about television programmes.

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What are the programmes about?

Complete the table in ENGLISH. [2 marks]

	Last week's	This week's	Next week's
	programme	programme is	programme is
	was about	about	about
Lara		ʻpoverty in Africa'	



SOCIAL PROBLEMS

Some people are discussing social problems in a documentary on Austrian television.

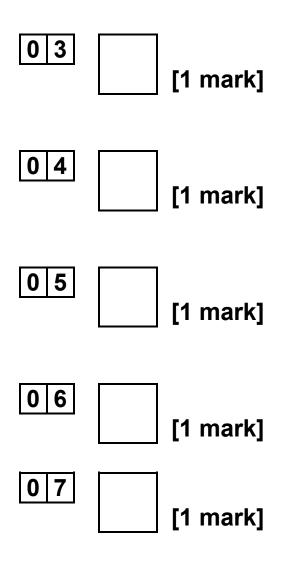
Which problems are mentioned in the programme?

Α	drug addiction
В	homelessness
С	racism
D	animal cruelty
Е	unemployment
F	pollution
G	crime



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Write the correct letter in the box.



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UNIVERSITY

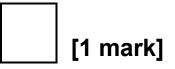
Murat is talking to a friend about his plans for the future.

Answer BOTH parts of the question.

Write the correct letter in the box.

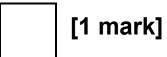
0 8 . 1 Who thinks that Murat should go to university?

Α	his mother
В	his father
С	his sister



0 8 2 What does Murat say he will do?

Α	He will apply to university.
В	He will not apply to university.
С	He is still unsure what to do.





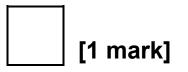
TECHNOLOGY

A reporter on the news in Switzerland is talking about young people and technology.

Write the correct letter in the box.

0 9 According to the reporter, what is the MOST IMPORTANT advantage of technology for young people?

Α	It helps them stay in touch with their friends.
В	It helps them organise their lives better.
С	It helps them with their school work.





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ENVIRONMENT

An Austrian student is carrying out a survey about people's worries about the environment.

Answer the questions in ENGLISH.



What is the first person MOST worried about? [1 mark]



Why is the second person NOT worried about environmental damage? [1 mark]

[Turn over]

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FRIENDS

An Austrian girl is talking about some of her friends at school.

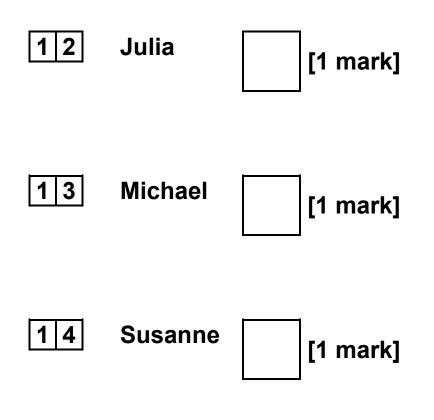
What are her school friends like?

Α	generous
В	serious
С	rich
D	lazy
Е	honest



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Write the correct letter in the box.





JOBS

Three German workers are talking on television about what they like and dislike about their job.

Fill in the blanks in the sentences below with a phrase in ENGLISH.

1 5

The DISADVANTAGE of the first speaker's job is... [1 mark]





According to the second speaker, the ADVANTAGE of being self-employed is... [1 mark]



The third speaker's OPINION of her work is that... [1 mark]





FREE TIME

Students at a German school are talking about what they do in their free time.

What do they think about their activities?

If their opinion is POSITIVE, write P. If their opinion is NEGATIVE, write N. If their opinion is POSITIVE and NEGATIVE, write P + N.

18	Emma	[1 mark]
19	Ben	[1 mark]
20	Paul	[1 mark]
2 1	Johanna	[1 mark]



HEALTH

A doctor is giving some advice to a caller on an Austrian radio phone-in.

Answer both parts of the question in ENGLISH.

2 2 . 1 What medical issue is the caller asking the doctor's advice about? [1 mark]



22. **2** Why does the doctor encourage the caller to tackle this problem? [1 mark]



HOME TOWN

Some Swiss friends are talking about their home town.

What ADVANTAGE and DISADVANTAGE of their home town do they mention?

Complete the table in ENGLISH. Answer BOTH parts of the question.

2 3 . 1 Barbara [2 marks]



23.2 Lukas [2 marks]

Advantage	Disadvantage

[Turn over]

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SOCIAL MEDIA

A German television reporter is talking about social media.

2 4 Which THREE statements are correct?

Α	Social media is becoming less popular with young people in Germany.
В	About 80% of young people in Germany use social media every day.
С	Young people like to watch the news on their mobile phones.
D	Celebrity websites are as popular as ever with young people.
Е	Young people are aware of the dangers of social media.
F	A life without social media is unimaginable for many young people.

Write the correct letters in the boxes.

[3 marks]



TRAVEL

Austrian radio is broadcasting some road safety announcements.

Answer the questions in ENGLISH.

2 5 What advice does the first announcement give? [1 mark]



What does the second announcement say? [1 mark]



What advice does the third announcement give? [1 mark]



CELEBRATIONS

A German friend is talking about two recent happy events in his family.

Α	his mother's fortieth birthday
В	his parents' wedding anniversary
С	his father's retirement from work
D	his father's new job

2 8 Which TWO events does he mention?

Write the correct letters in the boxes.





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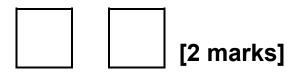
EATING OUT

Anke is talking about a meal she had in a restaurant with her friend, Petra.

Α	The dish of the day had sold out.
В	The waiter brought Anke the wrong order.
С	The music in the restaurant was too loud.
D	There was a mistake on the bill.

2 9 What TWO complaints did she have?

Write the correct letters in the boxes.





SECTION B

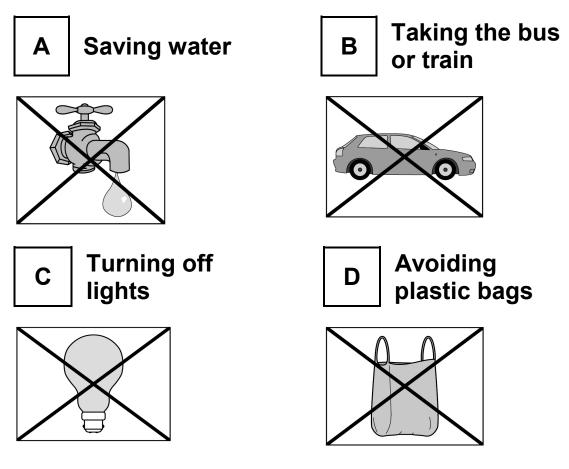
Questions and answers in GERMAN

DIE UMWELT

Alex spricht über seine Familie und die Umwelt.

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Was machen Alex und seine Familie, um die Umwelt zu schützen?



Schreib die richtigen Buchstaben in die Kästchen.

[2 marks]



HEIRATEN

Drei deutsche Freunde sprechen über ihre Pläne für die Zukunft.

Beantworte die Fragen auf DEUTSCH.

3 1 Warum möchte Karin in der Zukunft heiraten? [1 mark]

3 2 Was ist Toms Meinung zum Heiraten? [1 mark]



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DAS FAMILIENLEBEN

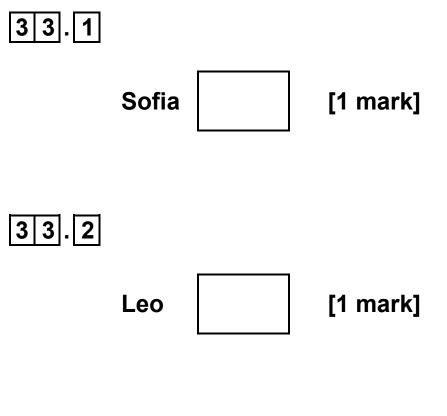
Drei österreichische Freunde sprechen über das Familienleben. Wie finden sie das Familienleben?

Für eine POSITIVE Meinung, schreib P.

Für eine NEGATIVE Meinung, schreib N.

Für eine POSITIVE UND NEGATIVE Meinung, schreib P + N.

Beantworte die BEIDEN Teile der Frage.





PROBLEME IN DER SCHULE

Felix und Verena sprechen über Probleme in der Schule.

Welche Probleme haben sie? Was sind die Konsequenzen?

Füll die Tabelle auf DEUTSCH aus.

3 4 Felix

Felix [2 marks]

Konsequenz



3 5

Verena [2 marks]

Problem	Konsequenz

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