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### **Fachdossier Englisch**

### 1 Lernziele des Sprachniveaus B2

Das Profil der Sprachenkenntnisse, die auf dieser Stufe geprüft werden, bezieht sich auf die Beschreibungen des **Niveaus B2** des Europäischen Sprachenportfolios (First Certificate).

Die Kandidatin / der Kandidat ist fähig:

- im Hörverstehen folgende Hörtexte zu erfassen:
  - längere Redebeiträge, Vorträge und Argumentationen bei einigermassen vertrauten Themen;
  - die meisten Nachrichtensendungen, Reportagen und Spielfilme in der Standardsprache;

#### im Leseverstehen folgende Texte zu begreifen:

- Artikel und Berichte über Probleme der Gegenwart, in denen eine Haltung oder ein Standpunkt vertreten wird;
- zeitgenössische literarische Prosatexte;

#### • im dialogischen Sprechen (Interaktion) Situationen zu bewältigen wie:

- spontanes und fliessendes, alltägliches Gespräch mit Personen englischer Muttersprache;
- an Diskussionen teilnehmen und die eigenen Ansichten begründen und verteidigen;

#### • im Monologische Sprechen (zusammenhängend):

- zu vielen Themen aus dem eigenen Interessensgebiet eine klare und detaillierte Darstellung zu geben;
- zu einer aktuellen Frage einen Standpunkt zu erläutern und Vor- und Nachteile verschiedener Möglichkeiten anzugeben;

#### im Schreiben:

- zu vielen Themen aus dem eigenen Interessensgebiet eine klare und detaillierte Darstellung (oder einen Brief) zu verfassen;
- in einem Aufsatz / Bericht Informationen oder Argumente und Gegenargumente zu einem bestimmten Standpunkt darzulegen.

#### 2 Inhalte

Die oben genannten Lernziele werden in einer 5-teiligen Eintrittsprüfung (siehe Musterprüfung) getestet und umfassen folgende Themen:

#### 2.1 Grammatik

- Pronouns, adjectives and adverbs, questions and negations of verbs, modal auxiliaries
- Tenses: simple and continuous forms of: present, present perfect, past, past perfect. Future forms (will future, going to future, present simple and continuous for the future)
- Reported Speech: statements, questions, orders, requests
- Relative Clauses: defining and non-defining clauses
- Conditionals: Types I, II and III/ wish-sentences
- Passives: active and passive forms
- Verbs followed by infinitives and/or followed by gerunds
- Countable and uncountable nouns
- Prepositions
- Text organisers and linking expressions



#### 2.2 Themen des Wortschatzes

**Themen des Wortschatzes (**Siehe *Grammar and Vocabulary for First and First for Schools with answers,* by Barbara Thomas, Louise Hashemi, Laura Matthews (Cambridge University Press, 2015) ISBN: 978-1-107-48106-0

- Character and feelings
- Social and family relationships
- Free time activities
- Travel and holidays
- Education and learning
- Work and employment
- Consumer goods and shopping
- Weather and environment
- Health and sport
- Technology
- Eating and drinking
- Crime and law
- Entertainment

### 3 Empfohlene Literatur

*Grammar and Vocabulary for First and First for Schools with answers,* by Barbara Thomas, Louise Hashemi, Laura Matthews (Cambridge University Press, 2015) ISBN: 978-1-107-48106-0

Drei Werke aus der Literaturliste, welche von den Kursleiter/innen während des Kurses abgegeben werden: Ein Roman, ein Theaterstück und eine Anzahl Kurzgeschichten.

### 4 Prüfungsmodalitäten und Bewertungskriterien

Kompetenz	Inhalt	Zeit	Gewichtung
Leseverständnis	1 Text	25'	Der schriftliche Teil zählt 50%.
Grammatik/Vokabular	Von der Liste auf den Seiten 1 & 2	30'	
Schreiben	<ul><li>1 Text</li><li>3 Themen zur Auswahl</li><li>220-240 Wörter (ohne Wörterbuch)</li></ul>	45'	
Hörverständnis	2 Texte	20'	
Sprechen (15 min Vorbereitung)	<ul> <li>monologisches Sprechen und Interaktion zur individuellen/Klassenlektüre (Für Details, siehe Seite 5.)</li> <li>spontane Diskussion zu einem Thema</li> </ul>	15'	Der mündliche Teil zählt 50%.

Für das Bestehen der Prüfung müssen 60% der Punktezahl erreicht werden.

### 5 Musterprüfung mit Lösungen

### 5.1 Musterprüfung

### **Parts of Exam**

I. SPEAKING

15 minutes

(plus 15 minutes preparation)

#### II. LISTENING COMPREHENSION

approx. 20 minutes

Part 1) Completion of sentences

Part 2) Multiple matching

#### III. READING COMPREHENSION

25 minutes

Multiple Choice and open questions

#### IV. GRAMMAR

30 minutes

Part 1) Word formation

Part 2) Sentence transformations

Part 3) Selective Cloze

#### V. WRITING

45 minutes

Pass mark = 60 % = 4.0

#### **SPEAKING**

15 minutes preparation and 15 minutes examination.

#### **Book Extract (15 minutes)**

This part of the exam will be based on a short extract from one of the 3 set books which you will have read and prepared during the course: you will be given a short extract from the book and asked to present it. You will then be asked questions about the book, which you will discuss with your examiner.

The content of your analysis is as important as the correct use of the language

#### Criteria

The speaking part of the exam will be assessed for the following criteria:

- Content/ accurate answering of questions/ question comprehension
- Grammar: range and accuracy
- Vocabulary: range, appropriacy and pronunciation
- Organisation of ideas & discussion management



### **LISTENING**

#### Part 1

You will hear an interview with a woman called Helen Hunter who runs a summer camp for teenagers. For questions **9 – 18**, complete the sentences.

#### **SUMMER CAMPS**

Helen says that people taking part in the summer camp usually sleep in a					
	9				
The summer camp is a chance for teenagers to meet people and learn					
	10				
As an example of a practical activity, Helen tells us about a team which built a					
	11				
In the next camp, teams will work out problem-solving activities such as a					
12 with clu	es.				
Helen gives the example of  as the only typical sporting activity a camp.	at the				
The day when teams can choose their own activities is called					
,	14				
The summer camp is good for people who don't have opportunities or have little					
	15				
On 'Battle of the Bands' day, teams make a record and a	16				
For the teenagers taking part, the camp lasts for 17					
You can book for a summer camp that will be held in the month of					
	18				

#### Part 2

You will hear five short extracts in which people are talking about their visit to a city. For questions 19-23, choose from the list (A-H) what each speaker liked most about the city they visited. Use the letters only once. There are three extra letters which you do not need to use.

Α	the efficiency of the public transport system		
В	the natural beauty of the scenery		
		Speaker 1	19
С	the variety of goods in the markets		
		Speaker 2	20
D	the style of the architecture		
		Speaker 3	21
E	the well-designed plan of the city		
		Speaker 4	22
F	the helpfulness of the people		
		Speaker 5	23
G	the range of leisure opportunities		

#### **READING**

#### Part 1

You are going to read an extract from a novel. For questions 1 - 8, choose the answer (A, B, C) or (A, B,

Mark your answers on the separate answer sheet.

I shifted uncomfortably inside my best suit and eased a finger inside the tight white collar. It was not in the little bus and I had taken a seat on the wrong side where the summer sun beat on the windows. It was a strange outfit for the weather, but a few miles ahead my future employer might be waiting for me and I had to make a good impression.

There was a lot depending on this interview. Many friends who had qualified with me were unemployed or working in shops or as labourers in the shipyards. So many that I had almost given up hope of any future for myself as a veterinary surgeon.

There were usually two or three jobs advertised in the *Veterinary Record* each week and an average of eighty applicants for each one. It hadn't seemed possible when the letter came from Darrowby in Yorkshire. Mr S. Farnon would like to see me on the Friday afternoon; I was to come to tea and, if we were suited to each other, I could stay on as his assistant. Most young people emerging from the colleges after five years of hard work were faced by a world unimpressed by their enthusiasm and bursting knowledge. So I had grabbed the lifeline unbelievingly.

The driver crashed his gears again as we went into another steep bend. We had been climbing steadily now for the last fifteen miles or so, moving closer to the distant blue of the Pennine Hills. I had never been in Yorkshire before, but the name had always raised a picture of a region as heavy and unromantic as the pudding of the same name; I was prepared for solid respectability, dullness and a total lack of charm. But as the bus made its way higher, I began to wonder. There were high grassy hills and wide valleys. In the valley bottoms, rivers twisted among the trees and solid grey stone farmhouses lay among islands of cultivated land which pushed up the wild, dark hillsides.

Suddenly, I realised the bus was clattering along a narrow street which opened onto a square where we stopped. Above the window of a small grocer's shop I read 'Darrowby Co-operative Society'. We had arrived. I got out and stood beside my battered suitcase, looking about me. There was something unusual and I didn't know what it was at first. Then it came to me. The other passengers had dispersed, the driver had switched off the engine and there was not a sound or a movement anywhere. The only visible sign of life was a group of old men sitting round the clock tower in the centre of the square, but they might have been carved of stone.

Darrowby didn't get much space in the guidebooks, but where it was mentioned it was described as a grey little town on the River Arrow with a market place and little of interest except its two ancient bridges. But when you looked at it, its setting was beautiful. Everywhere from the windows of houses in Darrowby you could see the hills. There was a clearness in the air, a sense of space and airiness that made me feel I had left something behind. The pressure of the city, the noise, the smoke – already they seemed to be falling away from me. Trengate Street was a quiet road leading off the square and from there I had my first sight of Skeldale House. I knew it was the right place before I was near enough to

read *S. Farnon, Veterinary Surgeon* on the old-fashioned brass nameplate. I knew by the ivy which grew untidily over the red brick, climbing up to the topmost windows. It was what the letter had said – the only house with ivy; and this could be where I would work for the first time as a veterinary surgeon. I rang the doorbell.

Α seat. В clothes. C career. D means of transport 2 What had surprised the writer about the job? There had been no advertisement. **B** He had been contacted by letter. C There was an invitation to tea. **D** He had been selected for interview. 3 The writer uses the phrase 'I had grabbed the lifeline' (line 14) to show that he felt A confident of his ability. **B** ready to consider any offer. **C** cautious about accepting the invitation. **D** forced to make a decision unwillingly. What impression had the writer previously had of Yorkshire? It was a beautiful place. **B** It was a boring place. It was a charming place. **D** It was an unhappy place. 5 What did the writer find unusual about Darrowby? A the location of the bus stop **B** the small number of shops C the design of the square **D** the lack of activity What did the writer feel the guidebooks had missed about Darrowby? Α the beauty of the houses В the importance of the bridges С the lovely views from the town D the impressive public places 7 How did the writer recognise Skeldale House? Α The name was on the door. В It had red bricks. C There was a certain plant outside. **D** It stood alone. How did the writer's attitude change during the passage? He began to feel he might like living in Darrowby. **B** He became less enthusiastic about the job. **C** He realised his journey was likely to have been a waste of time. **D** He started to look forward to having the interview.

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As he travelled, the writer regretted his choice of

### **GRAMMAR**

#### Part 1 Word Formation

Fill in the spaces below with a word formed from the word shown on the right.

For	example:	He is a very <u>succes</u>	<u>sful</u> business man.	(succeed)
1)	Carol and Andy	have just moved into a	new	1. (neighbour)
2)	Smoking is		to your health .	2. (harm)
3)	There is no		between my bike and yours.	3. (differ)
4)	She carried the t	tray of glasses very		4. (care).
5)	At an early age h	he decided to become a	a	5. (politics)
6)	Your trousers arthem.	e too short, we need to		6. (long)
7)	The party was a	complete		7. (fail)
8)	Doing exercise is	s	connected to being healthy.	8. (usual)

#### Part 2 Sentence transformations

Complete each sentence so that it has the same meaning as the first sentence. You must use the word in brackets.

1.	Do you have good language skills? (languages)	
	Are you	?
2.	Painters have painted my house this week. (painted) I	this week.
3.	That's the hotel where we had lunch last Sunday.  (in)  That's the hotel	last Sunday.
4.	She went to the café because she missed her bus.  (not)  If she	to the café.
5.	I didn't arrive as early as I expected.  (than) I arrived	
6.	It's possible that Bill saw me. (may) Bill	me.
7.	There's a party at Mary's house next week.  (is)  Next week, Mary house.	party at he
8.	The last time I saw Jim was two months ago.	two months.

### Part 3 Selective Cloze

Fill in the gaps with the	e correct form of the verb in brad	ckets.		
In the past, many pe	ople 1)	(think) that reality	'TV	
2)	(be) a very short-	lived phenomenon. How	wever, its	
popularity 3)	(incre	ease) day by day. Seve	ral reality	
shows 4)	(watch) by	millions of viewers ever	ry night, and it	
5)	(be) clear that th	is form of entertainment 6	)	
	_(stay) with us long into the	future. Indeed, many p	eople 7)	
	(become) famous o	over the last few years I	pecause of their	
involvement in these	programmes.			
There is one main re	eason why this kind of entert	ainment 8)	(enjoy)	
by so many people.	John, from Liverpool, 9)		_(say) 'One	
week, when I 10)		_(be) sick with the flu, I	spent my time	
watching TV. By the end of the week, I realised that I had watched 30 hours of reality				
shows. I was shocke	ed!			

### **WRITING**

Choose one of the following questions and write your answer in about 220-240 words.

You may NOT use a dictionary.

- a) What are the advantages and disadvantages of working part-time?
- b) Learning to take care of the environment should start at home. What is your opinion?
- c) You are organising a weekend away for your sports club and need to **write a letter** to a local travel agency asking about:
  - suitable destinations
  - and any other information you think is relevant.

The writing part of the exam will be assessed for the following **criteria**:

- Content/accurate answering of the question
- Grammar: range and accuracy
- Vocabulary: range, appropriacy and spelling
- Text Organisation/Syntax

#### 5.2 Answers

#### Listening

Part 1 9. school 10. (new) skills/ a(new) skill 11. tree house 12.mystery

13. (horse) riding 14. (a/the/their) dream day 15. (self-) confidence

**16.** (pop) video **17.** a/on/1 week/ seven/7 days **18.** Sept/September

Part 2 19. G 20. B 21. A 22. H 23. F

#### Reading

Part 1: 1. A 2. D 3. B 4. B 5. D 6. C 7. C 8. A

#### **Grammar**

#### Part 1 Word Formation

- 1) neighbourhood
- 2) harmful
- 3) difference
- 4) carefully
- 5) politician
- 6) lengthen
- 7) failure
- 8) usually

#### Part 2 Sentence Transformations

- 1) good / at, fluent/in languages
- 2) have had /my house painted
- 3) in which/ we had lunch, or which we had/ lunch in, or we had/ lunch in
- 4) had not missed her bus/ she would not have gone
- 5) later/ than I expected
- 6) may have/ seen
- 7) is/having a
- 8) I haven't seen Jim/ for

#### Part 3 Selective Cloze

- 1) thought
- 2) would be/ was going to be
- 3) is increasing/has increased/has been increasing
- 4) are watched
- 5) is
- 6) will stay / is going to stay
- 7) have become
- 8) is enjoyed
- 9) said
- 10) was