

## KANTONALE PRÜFUNG 2015

Für den Übertritt in eine Maturitätsschule  
auf Beginn des 9. Schuljahres

## ENGLISCH (15\_1)

### Lösungen und Korrekturhinweise

#### Part 1 A)

#### Grammar

Complete the exercise, use the tenses given.

10 points; 1 point per correct sentence

#### Korrekturhinweis:

- Wenn Struktur / Verbform falsch > kein Punkt
- Bei Rechtschreibfehler 0.5 Pkt Abzug

1	+	<b>He has a green bike.</b>
	-	He doesn't have a green bike.
	?	<b>Does he have a green bike?</b>

2	+	She lives with her aunt.
	-	<b>She doesn't live with her aunt.</b>
	?	<b>Does she live with her aunt?</b>

3	+	We are laughing about the film.
	-	<b>We aren't laughing about the film.</b>
	?	<b>Are we laughing about the film?</b>

4	+	They hate cleaning the blackboard.
	-	<b>They don't hate cleaning the blackboard.</b>
	?	<b>Do they hate cleaning the blackboard?</b>

5	+	<b>You can translate this word.</b>
	-	<b>You can't translate this word.</b>
	?	Can you translate this word?

## Part 1B) Grammar

Put the verbs in brackets into the past simple. (10 points)

### Korrekturhinweise:

- Es gibt nur richtig oder falsch
- Ist eine Form falsch geschrieben, gilt sie als falsch, d.h. kein Punkt

### My Grandfather

My grandfather **had** a very exciting life. When he was young, he **lived** on a farm in the country. His parents were farmers and **didn't have** much money. He **looked** after the cows. When he was eighteen, he went to university, where he **learned/learnt** Russian. After that, he joined the Navy. In the war, a German torpedo ripped a hole in the side of his ship, and the ship sank. Only five men **escaped**. They **sailed** back to England in a lifeboat. Then he **met** my grandmother, and they married after only three weeks. He says now that he **wanted** to marry her very quickly in case he **died** in the war.

## Part 1C) Grammar

Complete with the comparative form of the adjective given. (10 points)

### Korrekturhinweise:

- Es gibt nur richtig oder falsch
- Ist eine Form falsch geschrieben, gilt sie als falsch, d.h. kein Punkt

1. **popular**  
Who is **more popular**, Lady Gaga or Katy Perry?
2. **bad**  
I think your knowledge of English is **worse** than mine.
3. **new**  
Why does she always have the **newer** smartphone than we do?
4. **silly**  
Your neighbours can't be **sillier** than ours.
5. **good**  
His uncle was definitely **better** at maths than him.
6. **hot**  
Is the weather in France often **hotter** than the weather in England?

7. **dry**  
The summer of 2012 was much **drier** than the summer before.
8. **dark**  
When is it **darker** at 6pm in Australia, in January or in July?
9. **red**  
After jogging, my face is always **redder** than hers.
10. **confident**  
Children are often **more confident** than their parents.

### Part 1D)

#### Grammar

Complete the text with **ONE** word for each gap. (10 points)

#### Korrekturhinweise:

- Es gibt nur richtig oder falsch
- Ist eine Form falsch geschrieben, gilt sie als falsch, d.h. kein Punkt

#### Trip to New York

Three months **ago** my sister and I went to New York with **our / (my)** grandmother. Of course, we went there **by** plane.

New York is **an** incredibly big city. A lot **of** people live and work there. The streets seem endless and the buildings are really high.

We arrived there **on** a Monday morning and checked into our beautiful hotel just next **to** the Empire State Building. Then we walked down Fifth Avenue because my sister was looking **for** a shop to buy **a** handbag. Unfortunately **these / the** shops were all too expensive for us. So we just went sightseeing and enjoyed it a lot.

#### Part 2 A)

Reading Comprehension (20 points, 4 points for each correct answer)

1C, 2C, 3B, 4A, 5D

#### Part 2 B)

Reading Comprehension (20 points, 4 points for each correct answer)

1E, 2G, 3C, 4D, 5B