

LEVEL 5

KLASSE 9

DIENSTAG 12. MAI 2015
Dauer: 45 Minuten

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↑ **Trage hier**

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THE FIRST ENGLISH CONTEST FOR SCHOOLS

FRAGEN 1 BIS 18 : 4 PUNKTE

- 1 "Where from?" "From New York."
A. can you B. are you C. do you D. have you
- 2 We often TV in the evenings.
A. watch B. looks C. sees D. write
- 3 Patrick is as tall his father.
A. that B. as C. than D. of
- 4 How many states are there in the USA?
A. 48 B. 49 C. 50 D. 51
- 5 Kate was absent from school this morning and was her sister.
A. neither B. nor C. also D. so
- 6 Complete the "family" of words: wonderful, excellent, beautiful,
A. horrible B. ugly C. bad D. lovely
- 7 You are late for class and you want to apologise to your teacher. What can you say?
A. I'm sorry for you. C. I regret.
B. Please excuse me. D. It doesn't matter.
- 8 Do you like this vase? My parents it last year when they were on holiday in Italy.
A. have bought B. buy C. bought D. will buy
- 9 is a big problem in this city.
A. The poverty B. Violence C. The crimes D. Hungry people
- 10 "Guy" rhymes with ".....".
A. boy B. try C. grey D. say
- 11 They off from their hotel very early in the morning and climbed to the top of the mountain.
A. set B. got C. turned D. kept
- 12 The policeman told Mrs Lewis that she park there - it was strictly forbidden.
A. couldn't C. would have to
B. would be able to D. can't
- 13 Jane's boss was very satisfied her work.
A. of B. from C. with D. in
- 14 They have been married a year now.
A. since B. for over C. during D. ever since
- 15 Your sister is going to a party. As she leaves home, what can you say to her?
A. You're welcome! C. Enjoy the show!
B. Have a great time! D. Do your best!
- 16 Which noun does **not** belong to this "family" of words?
Mouse, printer, scanner.
A. laptop B. closet C. modem D. monitor
- 17 The company managed to make a profit the bad economic situation.
A. despite B. because C. although D. therefore
- 18 Up to now, no news of the missing plane.
A. there has been C. people had
B. we were having D. we are receiving

FRAGEN 19 BIS 36 : 5 PUNKTE

- Lies den Text, um die Fragen 19 bis 23 zu beantworten.*
- "Here you are, sir," said the waitress. "Enjoy your meal."
 "Ah, at last!" said Tom. "But weren't there supposed to be chips and peas with the steak?"
 "Sorry, sir, only chips today. We've run out of peas. I thought I told you."
 "What about my chicken?" asked a woman at the next table. "It's been twenty minutes since I ordered it."
 "It won't be long, madam," said the waitress, turning to go back to the kitchen.
 "Hey, wait a minute," said Tom. "This steak is like leather!"
 "If I take it back, sir, you'll have to wait while they cook another one."
 "Oh, forget it," said Tom. "I'll eat it, but I'm not coming here again."
- 19 Who are the people in this scene?
 A. Two men and a woman. C. Tom, his friend and a waitress.
 B. Two women and a man. D. Three customers in a restaurant.
- 20 Which sentence is true?
 A. Tom has got peas instead of chips.
 B. The restaurant doesn't usually serve peas.
 C. On the menu, it says that the steak comes with chips and peas.
 D. Tom hasn't got any chips on his plate.
- 21 What's the other customer's problem?
 A. She doesn't like her chicken.
 B. She has been waiting for a long time.
 C. She hasn't ordered her meal yet.
 D. She wants to change her order.
- 22 What's the problem with Tom's steak?
 A. It's too small. C. It's very tough.
 B. It's not cooked enough. D. It's cold.
- 23 What does Tom decide at the end?
 A. He's going to ask for another steak. C. He's going to eat the steak.
 B. He's going to order something else. D. He's going to leave.
- 24 If you jogging every morning, you'd soon lose some weight.
 A. go B. are going C. went D. have gone
- 25 An interstate in the USA would be called a in Britain.
 A. high-speed train C. national newspaper
 B. motorway D. long-distance marathon
- 26 I'm disappointed, John. You usually do very good translations, but this time you've made mistakes.
 A. far too few B. very few C. more than a little D. quite a few
- 27 In 2014, Scottish nationalists wanted the United Kingdom.
 A. that Scotland left C. their country to leave
 B. Scotland leave D. Scotland for leaving
- 28 There was queue at the Post Office this morning that I decided not to wait.
 A. such a B. so long C. a huge D. so much
- 29 A man says to you, "Key in your pin code, please." What are you doing?
 A. You are entering a building with a security code.
 B. You are helping a man who can't find his keys.
 C. You are paying for something with your bank card.
 D. You are talking to someone who wants to use your computer.
- 30 The outback is a huge remote area of
 A. Australia B. Canada C. New Zealand D. India
- 31 Thank you so much to see me. I really appreciate it.
 A. to have come B. for coming C. having come D. to promise
- 32 US cities are famous for their skyscrapers. Some of are in Chicago and New York.
 A. tallest ones B. the higher C. the oldest ones D. taller buildings
- 33 Pronunciation: "American" = o O o o; "politician" =
 A. O o o o B. o O o o C. o o O o D. o o o O
- 34 My job answering customers' questions by email.
 A. consists B. involves C. deserves D. attempts
- 35 I have no idea why me to her birthday party. I hardly know her.
 A. did she ask B. she invited C. has she invited D. is she asking
- 36 Which US organisation protects national security by collecting information from foreign countries?
 A. The BBC. B. MI6. C. The FDA. D. The CIA.

FRAGEN 37 BIS 54 : 6 PUNKTE

- 37 He was very nervous because he speaking in public.
 A. wasn't used to C. wasn't used for
 B. didn't used to D. hasn't been used for
- 38 A woman asks you a very personal question. You think she has no right to ask the question and you're not going to answer. What can you say to her?
 A. Don't worry about it. C. It's none of your business.
 B. You mustn't be upset. D. Please don't interrupt.
- 39 Which pair of words does **not** rhyme?
 A. street, neat B. heard, third C. niece, bees D. care, wear
- 40 A woman says, "Can you put me through to Mr Peterson, please?" What does she want?
 A. She wants directions to Mr Peterson's office.
 B. She wants to know where Mr Peterson is.
 C. She wants Mr Peterson's email address.
 D. She wants to speak to Mr Peterson on the phone.
- 41 I the tennis match but my opponent was on top form and I lost.
 A. should be winning C. should have won
 B. must have lost D. could win
- 42 Which word can replace "result" in the sentence: "The result of the discussion was a decision to close the factory?"
 A. bypass B. outlook C. turnout D. outcome
- 43 This is the project on at the moment.
 A. which I have been going C. that my friends finished
 B. I'm working D. whose result is
- 44 James has offered to repair Kathy's hairdryer. She watches him for a minute and then says, "You haven't got a clue, have you?" What does she mean?
 A. You aren't using the right tools. C. You're very talented.
 B. You're doing it very quickly. D. You have no idea what to do.
- 45 Which event took place in 1861?
 A. The beginning of the American Civil War.
 B. The death of Queen Victoria.
 C. The end of the American War of Independence.
 D. The assassination of President Lincoln.
- 46 "At this very moment," said the reporter, "hundreds of aid workers to the area to deal with the situation."
 A. have been gone C. will have been flying
 B. are gone D. are being flown
- 47 The organisers decided to cancel the concert. In other words, they decided to
 A. put it off B. call it off C. stop it up D. break it out
- 48 Once the new law , it will take about a month before it comes into effect.
 A. will have been passed C. has been passed
 B. will be debated D. will be passing
- 49 Prince Harry to the press for almost an hour. I hope he won't be much longer; he has an important appointment in ten minutes.
 A. has been spoken C. was speaking
 B. has spoken D. has been speaking
- 50 Your hair looks lovely. Have you just ?
 A. gone to the hairdresser's C. had restyled it
 B. had it done D. been cut
- 51 In the USA, a second-year high school or university student is called
 A. a senior B. a freshman C. a sophomore D. a junior
- 52 Pete and his girlfriend had an argument. Pete thinks it's finished between them. You don't agree. You tell him: "Don't worry,"
 A. there's no smoke without fire C. she's a wolf in sheep's clothing
 B. it's a storm in a teacup D. you aren't out of the woods yet
- 53 I do wish you things like that. You don't realise how offensive it is.
 A. aren't saying B. wouldn't say C. haven't said D. don't say
- 54 The Capitol in Washington is
 A. a monument that commemorates the War of Independence
 B. the equivalent of the Houses of Parliament in Britain
 C. the building that houses the Supreme Court
 D. where the FBI has its offices