

LEVEL 4

KLASSE 8

Donnerstag 10. Mai 2012
Dauer 45 Minuten

- Beim Wettbewerb sind keine Hilfsmittel erlaubt.
- Die Benutzung von Büchern und Wörterbüchern ist verboten.
- Pro Frage gibt es nur eine richtige Antwort.
- Auf dem ANTWORTBOGEN muss mit einem **schwarzen Kugelschreiber, Filzstift oder Füller** für jede einzelne Frage das entsprechende Kästchen der richtigen Antwort angekreuzt werden.
- Die Fragen 1 bis 18 bringen **4 Punkte** für jede richtige Antwort. Die Fragen 19 bis 36 bringen **5 Punkte** für jede richtige Antwort. Die Fragen 37 bis 54 bringen **6 Punkte** für jede richtige Antwort.
- Bei einer falschen Antwort gehen der Punktwert der Frage verloren, **und** es wird zusätzlich ein Viertel dieses Punktwertes abgezogen. Wenn auf eine Frage keine Antwort gegeben wird, geht diese Frage mit 0 Punkten in die Bewertung ein. Wenn auf eine Frage mehrere Antworten gegeben werden, geht diese Frage ebenfalls mit 0 Punkten in die Bewertung ein.

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↑ **Trage hier**

die 7-stellige Nummer ein, die auf Deinem Antwortbogen rechts oben eingetragen ist. Diese Nummer brauchst Du, um Deine Punktzahl im Internet einsehen zu können.

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FRAGEN 1 BIS 18 : 4 PUNKTE

- 1 "..... your mother today?" "Much better, thanks."
A. Where is B. How is C. How old D. Who are
- 2 The New York Times is a very good paper. My brother it every morning.
A. is buying B. get C. reads D. goes
- 3 Have enough money for your bus ticket?
A. you got B. do you C. there D. she
- 4 I'm sorry, you can't speak to Jane at the moment. She a bath.
A. is having B. taking C. has D. is looking
- 5 Which word is **not** the name of an animal?
A. wolf B. beef C. bear D. pig
- 6 Are you finish those chips? If not, I'll eat them.
A. like to B. have to C. thinking about D. going to
- 7 Your friend is taking an important exam soon and you send him a card. What message is it appropriate to write on the card?
A. Good luck! B. Help yourself! C. Well done! D. Good job!
- 8 "Would you like some peas?" "Just a, please."
A. lots B. few C. little D. lot
- 9 It's really hot now, so all go to the beach for the afternoon?
A. why don't we C. what if
B. how about D. what about
- 10 is a large city in the north-east of the USA.
A. Dallas C. Las Vegas
B. Detroit D. New Orleans
- 11 "Look at that man over there with grey hair. Is it Mr Harris?"
"..... ! Mr Harris has got brown hair."
A. It can't be C. It mustn't be
B. He must be D. He can't possibly
- 12 Has the notice about sports day? The headmaster has decided to cancel it.
A. they make C. Peter's read
B. everyone seen D. the teachers written
- 13 Complete the "family" of words: mountain, valley, river,.....
A. edge B. screen C. hill D. ladder
- 14 Brooklyn, Golden Gate and Tower are all names of famous
A. skyscrapers B. castles C. animals D. bridges
- 15 You were very good in the school play. You to go to drama school and become an actor.
A. should B. ought C. had better D. could
- 16 "Said" rhymes with "....."
A. laid B. played C. bread D. tied
- 17 You'll never pass your exams if you more time on your homework.
A. will spend B. give C. won't find D. don't spend
- 18 Which of these tourist attractions is on the border of two countries?
A. Mount Rushmore C. Niagara Falls
B. The Grand Canyon D. Times Square

FRAGEN 19 BIS 36 : 5 PUNKTE

- 19 There international news on local TV channels in the USA.
A. haven't got any C. aren't a lot of
B. isn't much D. isn't an
- 20 She's lived in China for three years but she speak the language.
A. hasn't already B. has just C. still can't D. isn't yet
- 21 Pronunciation: "revolution" = o o O o; "conservative" =
A. O o o o B. o O o o C. o o O o D. o o o O
- 22 Don't buy your tomatoes here. They've got in the shop across the street.
A. the better ones C. some better
B. nicer ones D. the nicest one
- 23 The train from Denver never arrives time. It's always late.
A. on B. in C. at D. to
- 24 That's the DVD for my birthday. But Mum and Dad gave me a book instead.
A. that I gave C. I wanted
B. which I would like D. that I would have
- 25 At the beach, you say to a friend, "Don't go swimming here! It's too dangerous!" He doesn't listen. What might he say before he runs into the sea?
A. Don't disturb me! C. You're welcome!
B. I don't care! D. It's out of order!
- 26 I'm afraid your ankle is badly twisted. You to play football for quite a long time.
A. won't be able B. are going C. will have D. mustn't
- 27 The American movement in the 1950s began because of racial discrimination.
A. feminist C. human rights
B. civil rights D. anti-slavery
- 28 George VI, was Queen Victoria, came to the throne in 1936 when his brother abdicated.
A. whose great-grandmother C. of which his grandmother
B. who's married D. who his mother
- 29 Which pair of words rhymes?
A. book, food C. key, grey
B. earn, burn D. heart, hurt
- 30 The plane over the Pacific Ocean when an engine caught fire. The pilot managed to land on a small island.
A. went up B. was flying C. flew D. crashed
- 31 "..... my house!" she shouted. "I never want to see you again!"
A. Go away B. Keep back C. Get out of D. Turn off
- 32 There a lot of crime in the city before the Mayor doubled the number of policemen.
A. used to be C. has been
B. could be D. were always
- 33 When I asked him what, he said, "Can't you see it? There, in the sky: a flying saucer!"
A. was he doing there C. could he see
B. he has looked for D. he was looking at
- 34 In text messages, "btw" means "by the way". What does "lol" mean?
A. lots of love C. let's go offline
B. laughing out loud D. last of the list
- 35 You can say "I don't mind" when
A. something doesn't bother you. C. you have a strong opinion.
B. someone steps on your foot. D. you hate something.
- 36 Most people think there would be a revolution if the President the country.
A. has visited B. left C. goes to D. won't help

FRAGEN 37 BIS 54 : 6 PUNKTE

- 37 English is not an official language in
A. India B. South Africa C. Argentina D. Pakistan
- 38 Your reaction me realise that I have been very stupid. I'm sorry.
A. can let B. has made C. allows D. leaves
- 39 Pronunciation: "development" = o O o o; "appropriate" = "....."
A. O o o o B. o O o o C. o o O o D. o o o O
- 40 If I, I'd ask the neighbours to help.
A. asked them C. were you
B. am in your position D. was your case
- 41 "You've got a wonderful smile!" Sarah told Peter. It was obvious that she on him.
A. had a crush C. was very interesting
B. wanted to go out D. felt love
- 42 "Can you smell ?"
"Oh no! I forgot to take the meat out of the oven!"
A. something burning C. something to burn
B. anything burns D. that burns
- 43 Which pair of words does not rhyme?
A. break, steak C. weight, eight
B. height, white D. above, move
- 44 The plants won't grow unless you regularly.
A. are taking care of them C. will look after them
B. water them D. don't give them water
- 45 Their dog was by a car and almost died.
A. run over C. got injured
B. knocked in D. taken across
- 46 He often goes to England by car but he's never really got on the left.
A. used to drive C. driven
B. having to drive D. used to driving
- 47 A Native American is someone
A. who came to the USA from a Spanish-speaking country
B. whose ancestors came to America on the Mayflower
C. who lived at the time of the American War of Independence
D. whose ancestors were in America before the Europeans arrived
- 48 Mike and his wife the old farmhouse for almost a year. They say it'll take another year to finish it.
A. have redecorated C. are working on
B. have been restoring D. were rebuilding
- 49 She loves playing computer games she's nearly seventy!
A. however C. by the time
B. therefore D. even though
- 50 It's going to be so lonely without you. I wish go away.
A. that you didn't C. you didn't have to
B. I don't D. you must
- 51 Complete the list: pavement/sidewalk, theatre/theater, lift/....
A. elevator B. escalator C. tractor D. helicopter
- 52 The motorway was closed for six months because it needed
A. to widen C. be repaired
B. widening D. it to repair
- 53 She had just washed the kitchen floor so she clean the mud off their shoes before they came in.
A. asked them for C. told the guests
B. had the children D. got everybody
- 54 What happened in 1775?
A. The American War of Independence began.
B. The Pilgrim Fathers arrived in America.
C. The American Civil War ended.
D. George Washington signed the American Constitution.