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Name, Vorname: _____

Dauer: **60 Minuten**

Hilfsmittel: **keine**

Die Teile *Reading Comprehension*, *Grammar & Vocabulary* und *Writing* zählen je ein Drittel.

	Punkte	**Note**
Reading Comprehension	(24)	
Grammar & Vocabulary	(35)	
Writing	(10)	
Note ungerundet		
Endnote		

Visum Erstkorrektur	
Visum Zweitkorrektur	

A. Reading Comprehension ……/24

1. Multiple choice: Choose the correct answer according to the text and circle the letter a), b) or c).

(1) Finish the following sentence: When pop-ups first appeared…
a. the economic circumstances were good.
b. they only found room in small niches.
c. the landlords offered them a permanent solution.

(2) What form can pop-ups take?
a. They are always in shopping centres or the high street.
b. They always have to do with food.
c. Pop-ups come in various forms.

(3) What happened in 2008?
a. Landlords closed businesses.
b. Some businesses could not continue.
c. The landlords rented out the available spaces for a long time.

(4) The pop-up shops have an influence on the high street in…
a. that they make the high street more attractive for shoppers.
b. that they can stop the threat of online shopping.
c. that they fit in with the shops found in the high street.

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2. Answer the following question in complete sentences using your own words. No points will be awarded for quoting the text.

(1) Name 3 aspects of how pop-up entrepreneurs can profit from this business model. (3 pts for content, 3 pts for grammar).

a. _____

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b. _____

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c. _____

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(2) How do landlords profit from this business model? Name two aspects. (2 pts for content, 2 pts for grammar)

a. _____

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b. _____

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3. Pick the appropriate synonym in the given context.

(1) run (line 8)
a. managed
b. regulated
c. established

(2) chefs (line 9)
a. chiefs
b. bosses
c. cooks

(3) fewer (line 14)
a. a smaller number of
b. a larger number of
c. the same number as

(4) opportunity (line 15)
a. occasion
b. chance
c. reality

(5) available (line 21)
a. sold
b. free
c. limited

(6) feature (line 30)
a. own
b. have
c. sell

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B. Grammar ..... / 25

1. Fill in the appropriate tense form of the verb in brackets.

I _____ (meet) Jack in 2005 when I _____ (travel) around New Zealand. At first we _____ (are) just friends, but we quickly _____ (find out) that we _____ (like) each other a lot.

One day we _____ (go) hiking in the mountains together. Everything _____ (go) well until we _____ (need) to cross an extremely narrow rocky ridge. Suddenly, it _____ (start) to rain really heavily. We _____ (stick) together as best as we could and _____ (make) our way safely to the other side.

It _____ (be) definitely the scariest and most challenging hike I _____ (ever do) in my life. Even to this day, we _____ (never forget) it.

Jack and I _____ (be) now married with two wonderful children who also love the outdoors. We _____ (tell) them our exciting hiking story many times over the years.

Right now I _____ (sit) at my computer at home and I _____ (just book) our summer holiday. Next July, we _____ (travel) to New Zealand and make new memories with our children that _____ (last) forever.

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2. Fill in the correct form of the verb (-ing or to + infinitive)

Our dog Daisy can't stand _____ (have) a bath. In fact she refuses _____ (do) anything involving water! She even avoids _____ (go) out in the rain! Sometimes I promise _____ (give) her a treat to get her into the bath and tell her _____ (be) a brave girl but it rarely works. One time my mum and I managed _____ (wash) her using the garden hose. But I think that was only because it was 30 degrees and she needed _____ (cool) down.

Daisy enjoys _____ (go) for walks every day. She knows how _____ (get) her lead from the drawer and often lies at the door with it in her mouth, almost asking _____ (go) for a stroll. When we agree _____ (take) her, she can't help _____ (jump) up on us. Once outside, Daisy pulls on the lead and wants _____ (run) ahead. Sometimes she stops to smell something interesting but usually she expects me to run along with her. Our neighbours love her too and often offer _____ (take) her for walks. They also try _____ (teach) her to sit and roll over but it usually doesn't work. Daisy is an independent dog and if she decides not _____ (do) something then it's almost impossible to make her change her mind.

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3. Complete the sentences using an appropriate verb from the box. Use each verb only once. You don't need two verbs.

don't have to	had to	might	shouldn't	
have to	allowed to	didn't have to	mustn't	must

1. A: You _____ come with me to the doctor today.
   B: I know but I'd like to, if that's ok with you.

2. You _____ use your mobile phone during lessons.
   It's against the school rules.

3. When you were younger were you _____ stay out late with your friends or did your parents forbid it?

4. I _____bring an umbrella because it might rain later.

5. My mum said I _____water the plants every day while she's away. If I don't, they will die.

6. Unfortunately my car stopped working this morning so I _____ take the bus to work.

7. My brother _____ come home in July. But I'm not sure about his plans.

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C. Vocabulary …… / 10

1. Complete the sentences with an appropriate phrasal verb <u>for example</u> *take off, put on*.

1. My brother needs to _____ his ex-girlfriend and move on with his life. I can't believe he still thinks about her.

2. I need to _____ an idea for my science project by Friday. But I can't think of anything I want to research. Can you help me think of something please?

3. Our cat Tilly went missing last year. Then she suddenly _____ on our doorstep four weeks later! We were so relieved to see her again.

4. The girl _____ from the crocodile and swam as quickly as she could to the side of the lake. She was very lucky to escape.

5. Yes, you're going in the right direction. Just _____ straight down this road until you come to the bank and then turn right. The park will be on your left.

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2. Circle the best option to complete the sentences.

1. My grandparents got married **with / at / to** 25. They were very young.
2. I almost crashed my car last week. It was a very **frightened / frightening / frighteningly** experience.
3. I **make / do / have** some exercises every day to keep fit.
4. You need to **register / log in / sign up** your details to use the website.
5. At this school we expect you to **manage / obey / agree** the rules.
6. At the weekend, I look **for/ after / around** my neighbour's baby.
7. I find it hard to **get up / stand up / come up** so early in the morning.
8. When I am older, I want to see many different **lands / countrys / countries.**
9. Stop **beeing / being / becoming** so naughty.
10. I have known him **for / since / recently** 2017.

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D. Writing an essay …….. / 10

Task / Content	**…… / 4**
Language	**…….. / 4**
Style	**…….. / 2**

Choose ONE of the following topics and write a short essay about it.
130 – 150 words. NO dictionaries are allowed.

Count your words and write the total at the end of the text.

Topic 1: What are the advantages and disadvantages of distance learning (Fernunterricht)?
Topic 2: Do you think it is a good idea to learn how to cook at school?

Total number of words: _____