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Englisch A

Lösung

2017

- **Totalzeit:** 90 Minuten
 - **Hilfsmittel:** Wörterbuch in Buchform Muttersprache – Englisch für Teil D, Schreiben
 - **Maximal erreichbare Punktzahl:** 100
 - **Für die Maximalnote 6 erforderliche Punktzahl:** 95
 - **Für die Note 4 erforderliche Minimalpunktzahl:** 55
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A **Listening comprehension** **(25 points)**

Part 1 (2 points for correct answers for 1 – 6; 1 point for 7 – 9; max. 15 points)

1. California families have to make enough money to provide basic **household** essentials.
2. The research was done by a **non-profit** organization.
3. An average two-parent family needs to make **24.60** Dollars an hour.
4. The Bay Area is the most **expensive** area in California.
5. The \$19,157 income level is recognized by the federal government as **impoverished**.
6. The project was based on **actual** costs.
7. What are some basic expenses for families living in the Bay Area?
 - education
 - food, housing, taxes
 - cars, boats, electronics
 - entertainment, clothing, vacations
8. Why do we know that the costs are rising in California?
 - It was written in the newspaper.
 - A group of people studied the costs of raising a family.
 - Some people do not believe it.
 - The governor said so in an interview.
9. What has the study about “the cost of living” made people think about?
 - What jobs are available to support families.
 - How to get a good deal on a new car.
 - How people can save more money.
 - What kind of houses people should buy.

Script Part 1

Address: <http://www.cdlponline.org/index.cfm?fuseaction=activity2&topicID=3&storyID=201>

New Study Shows Costs Skyrocketing for California Families

(This story was provided by News 10 KXTV Sacramento)

California families are facing a rapidly mounting uphill battle to make enough money to provide basic household essentials, according to a new study conducted by the California Budget Project.

The research compiled by the Sacramento-based non-profit organization concluded an average two-parent family with one employed adult in California needs to make \$51,177 a year, or \$24.60 cents an hour, to pay for housing, transportation, food, utilities, child care, health coverage, taxes and other basic expenses.

The number grows significantly higher in the Bay Area, the state's most expensive region. A Bay Area family of four with two working adults living in rental housing needs a combined income of \$79,946 to cover essential needs. That number is more than four times greater than the \$19,157 income level recognized by the federal government as impoverished.

The study is the fourth semi-annual survey conducted by the California Budget Project since 1999.

California Budget Project executive director Jean Ross said helping state officials and residents understand the numbers found in the report is crucial to moving families toward self-sufficiency.

"How should we be targeting some of our programs and policies? "How much do young people need to earn and what kind of a job should they be looking to train for if they want to have that salary that can support a family?"

CBP said the project was based on actual costs or generally accepted fair standard prices based on weighted averages found in ten California regions.

Source: California Distance Learning Project, Adult Learning Activities

Length of piece: 1:40 mins.

File name: Family Costs are Increasing (Full Story)

Part 2 (2 points for correct answers for 10 – 13; 1 point for 14 – 15; max. 10 points)

10. Many people go out of **town** for this holiday weekend.

11. People will have lots of **time** to look out of their windows.

12. Police officers hope to **direct** traffic.

13. Everyone needs to be ready for **longer** waits and **stay** calm.

14. usually bring more traffic.

- Saturdays
- People
- Sport events
- Holidays

15. Sometimes can get very bad.

- traffic
- animals
- the weather
- children

Script Part 2

Address: <http://www.cdlponline.org/index.cfm?fuseaction=activity1&topicID=10&storyID=58>

Many people go out of town for this long holiday weekend. Sometimes traffic can get very bad. Be ready for bad traffic if you are going to drive to the Lake Tahoe area.

Some are saying that people will have lots of time to look out their windows. Traffic will be very bad in the Lake Tahoe area. You will be sitting in your cars for a very long time.

Police officers will try to help. Many of them will go to the Lake Tahoe area. They hope to direct traffic and keep cars moving.

It is important for everyone to stay safe when they are on the road. Holidays usually bring more traffic. Everyone needs to be ready for longer waits and stay calm.

Source: California Distance Learning Project, Adult Learning Activities

Length of piece: 0:50 min

File name: Holiday Traffic

B **Reading comprehension** **(25 points)**

(1 point for each correct answer in **a**) to **d**); 2 points in **e**) to **i**); max. 14 points)

a) Patsy190 and Mellow Bunny both thought that the food was

- bad.
- overpriced.
- prepared well.
- good value for money.

b) Which statement is true?

- Patsy190 had only one room.
- MellowBunny was happy about the eggs.
- TomWheeler didn't have any hot water.
- SandyUnicorn thinks that the pictures show the reality.

c) TomWheeler was happy because

- he could easily find parking for his car.
- breakfast was good.
- the room was very clean.
- it was very quiet at night.

d) There was in the room.

- a tv
- a soap
- a big bathroom
- a minibar

e) How would you describe the interior of the rooms?

old furniture / bad smell in the room

f) Would anyone of the four reviewers stay again in the Coach Hotel? Why?

only MellowBunny because "very good value for money"

g) Name all the things in which TomWheeler and Patsy190 completely disagree.

cleanliness of the room / the shower

h) On which point do all of the four reviewers completely agree?

old furniture

i) About what was SandyUnicorn impressed?

nothing

Part 2 (1 point for each correct answer **a** to **e**; 2 points in **f**) to **h**) max 11 points)

	Statement	Cityname
Example	This is the only four star hotel.	Meisterschwanden
a	This hotel advertisement is especially for winter.	St. Moritz
b	This hotel has been in use for a very long time.	Basel / St. Moritz
c	In this hotel you can enjoy not only Swiss atmosphere.	Andermatt
d	This hotel was awarded.	Andermatt
e	This hotel offers a special kind of relaxing area.	Meisterschwanden / Zürich

f) What do three of the six Hotels have in common?

They are alpine lodges, they are in the mountains

g) Which hotel is not only used for holiday? Why?

Meisterschwanden, business

h) What do the hotels in Basel and Zurich have in common ?

They are city hotels, have gourmet, excellent restaurants

C**Use of English****(20 points)****Part 1 Grammar in use**

(1 point for each correct answer; max. 5 points)

1. to argue
2. is being organized
3. such
4. was John saying
5. knock down

Part 2 Vocabulary**A** (2 points for each correct answer; max. 10 points)

1. If you **study** hard, you **will pass** the exam
2. If he **gave up** smoking, he **would feel** a lot better.
3. If the factory **closes**, over 100 people **will lose** their jobs.
4. If I **sold** my grandfather's watch, I **would get** a lot of money for it.
If I **sell** my grandfather's watch, I **will get** a lot of money for it.
5. If I **see** Paul today, I **won't tell** him.

B (1 point for each correct answer; max. 5 points)

1. many CDs
2. in
3. without making
4. small brown leather
5. better than

D**Writing****(30 points)****Beurteilungskriterien**

Die Texte werden beurteilt mit der Skala, die den Voices Assessment Packs beigelegt ist. Die folgenden Kriterien werden für beide Texte beigezogen:

- Handlungsorientierung (max. 6 Punkte; Aufgabenerfüllung, relevante, klare und verständliche Aussagen zu allen Aspekten)
- Textmerkmale (max. 3 Punkte, strukturierter, kohärenter Text, ausreichend lang mit variierenden Satzmustern)
- Wortschatz (max. 3 Punkte; Spektrum an grundlegenden Wörtern, erweiterter Wortschatz, meist korrekte Verwendung der Wörter)
- Grammatische Strukturen (max. 3 Punkte; Spektrum an einfacheren und einigen komplexeren grammatischen Strukturen, meist korrekte Verwendung der einfacheren Strukturen).

Pro Aufgabe 15 Punkte, total 30 Punkte.