



TEST 1

Possessive pronouns

■ *Put the right possessive pronouns in these sentences.*

1. What is Sue doing? She is doing _____ homework.
2. Is this your parents' car? – Yes, it's _____.
3. Harvard is famous for _____ university.
4. I had forgotten to take _____ umbrella, so Maria gave me _____.
5. Are these _____ shoes? – No, _____ are in front of the door.



TEST 2

False friends

■ Please match the English false friends with their German translations.

box	Flur
speaker	Sekt
brief	Stockwerk
letter	Lektüre
wallet	Vortrag
briefcase	Sekte, Konfession
sect	Aktentasche
sparkling wine	(Lautsprecher-)Box
corridor	kurz
floor	Schachtel
lecture	Brieftasche
reading	Brief



TEST 3

Time markers

■ *Put in the right time markers.*

in five minutes – during – at the weekend – for two years – in 1874 – until

1. Winston Churchill was born _____.
2. I lived in London _____.
3. Nobody said a word _____ the meal.
4. Please wait here _____ I come back.
5. When are you leaving? – _____.
6. Did you go to the cinema _____?



TEST 4

The “wrong” side of the road

■ *Which of the following countries drive on the left and which on the right?*

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| Argentina | L <input type="checkbox"/> | R <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Australia | L <input type="checkbox"/> | R <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Kazakhstan | L <input type="checkbox"/> | R <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Namibia | L <input type="checkbox"/> | R <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Pakistan | L <input type="checkbox"/> | R <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Iceland | L <input type="checkbox"/> | R <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Seychelles | L <input type="checkbox"/> | R <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Mexico | L <input type="checkbox"/> | R <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Malta | L <input type="checkbox"/> | R <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Canada | L <input type="checkbox"/> | R <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Japan | L <input type="checkbox"/> | R <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Egypt | L <input type="checkbox"/> | R <input type="checkbox"/> |



TEST 5

Conjunctions

■ *Which conjunctions fit best in these sentences?*

although – so – because – but – if – or

1. It's a nice house _____ the garden is rather small.
2. I can't go swimming with you _____ I've got a cold.
3. Sam likes films, _____ she often goes to the cinema.
4. The house was very cold _____ the heating was on.
5. Do you drive to work _____ do you go by train?
6. _____ I have time tomorrow I will help you clean the windows.



TEST 6

Passive

■ *Translate these sentences with passives into English.*

1. Acht Menschen wurden bei dem Unfall verletzt.
2. Wann wurde das Auto gestohlen?
3. Die Hintertür muss immer abgeschlossen sein.
4. Unser Haus wurde 1990 gebaut.
5. Das Konzert wurde um eine Woche verschoben.
6. Dieses Gespräch wird aufgezeichnet.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____



TEST 7

Computer abbreviations

■ *What do the following computer abbreviations stand for?*

- BIOS _____
- CAD _____
- DPI _____
- DVD _____
- GB _____
- HTTP _____
- LAN _____
- LCD _____
- URL _____
- WWW _____



TEST 8

Weather idioms

■ *Please insert the following words into the gaps to complete the weather-related idioms.*

storm, raining, thunder, weather, snowed under, rain

1. to feel under the _____
2. to take a _____ check
3. to have a face like _____
4. It's a _____ in a teacup.
5. It's _____ cats and dogs.
6. to be _____ with work



TEST 9

Participle

■ *Join these sentences by using a participle. Start with the verb in bold type.*

1. John **felt** tired. He went to bed very early.
2. I **drove** home from the party. I almost fell asleep behind the wheel.
3. Lenny **crossed** the street. He walked into a puddle.
4. Sue **travelled** through Asia. She met lots of interesting people.
5. Kevin **is** unemployed. He has a lot of time but no money.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____



TEST 10

Adverbs of time

■ *How do you say these sentences in German?*

1. Ann and Roy have been together **since** they were teenagers.
2. I bought a new car one month **ago**.
3. Mark will be back from holiday **in** a couple of days.
4. I've **just** been bitten by a mosquito.
5. **Once** you have retired, you will have more time for the garden.
6. Have you **ever** worked in a factory?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____



TEST 11

False friends

■ *Match the English false friends with their German translations.*

to walk	ziellos umherstreifen
to wonder	sich wundern
to take over	irritieren
to wander	ärgern, reizen (Haut)
to irritate	überholen
to confuse	sich fragen
to be surprised	werden
to overtake	blenden
to blend	übernehmen
to dazzle	bekommen
to become	mischen
to get	wandern



TEST 12

Phrasal verbs

■ *Which phrasal verbs have these German meanings? Use these prepositions or adverbs.*

down – for – off – on – out – up

- | | |
|-------------------|---------------|
| 1. suchen: | to look _____ |
| 2. abheben: | to take _____ |
| 3. einsteigen: | to get _____ |
| 4. mithalten: | to keep _____ |
| 5. ablehnen: | to turn _____ |
| 6. zu Ende gehen: | to run _____ |