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an den Realschulen in Bayern



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Englisch

Listening Test

30 minutes

Name:

Time:

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ALOHA HAWAII

TASK 1: Reasons for visiting Hawaii

You will hear five statements why people visit Hawaii. What reasons are described? Write the correct numbers (1-5) in the boxes next to the categories (A-H). Be careful: Use each number only once.

(You will have 5 seconds after the first listening and 5 seconds after the second listening.)

- A Tourist infrastructure
- **B** Predictable weather
- C Active volcanoes
- **D** Special food

- E Cultural variety
- F Breathtaking geography
- **G** Surprising history
- H Friendly people

TASK 2: At Hawaii Volcanoes National Park

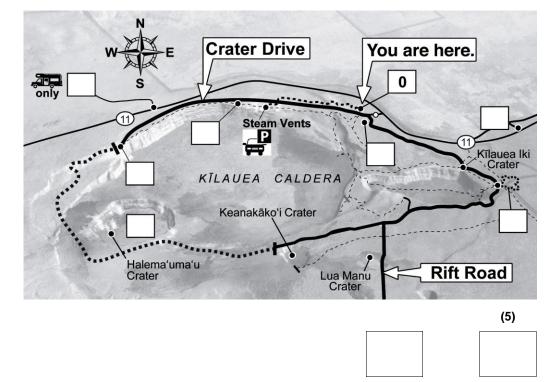
You will hear a conversation at the Visitor Center at Hawaii Volcanoes National Park. Look at the points of interest in the park (1-5). Find their position on the map. Write the numbers in the correct boxes.

Be careful: Use each number only once. There is one example (0) at the beginning. (You will have 5 seconds after the first listening and 5 seconds after the second listening.)

Points of interest:

(0) Visitor Center (EXAMPLE)

- 1 Viewing platform
- 2 Jaggar Museum
- 3 Closed zone
- 4 Lava cave
- 5 Volcano Hotel



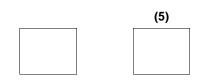
TASK 3: Kamakawiwo'ole Israel

You will hear a radio report about Kamakawiwo'ole Israel, a famous Hawaiian musician. **Find the <u>five</u> wrong words in the text and write the correct version in the space provided.** (You will have 10 seconds after the first listening and 15 seconds after the second listening.)

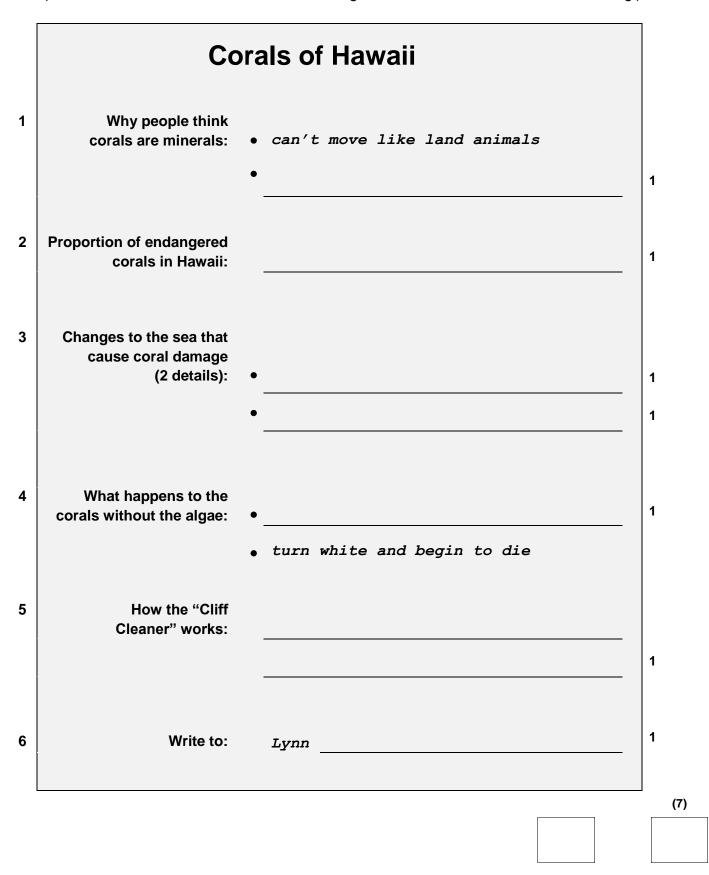
"Kamakawiwo'ole Israel"

Kamakawiwo'ole Israel, known to his fans as Iz, a singer and a musician as well as a campaigner for Hawaiian culture, sights and way of life, was born in Honolulu, Hawaii, in May 1959. At the age of six, Iz learned to master the ukulele by watching others play. He first performed publicly at around age ten, when he was hauled up to the stage at Steamboats, a popular Waikiki nightclub. In the 1970s Iz dropped out of high school. When his brother Skippy and other aspiring Hawaiian musicians formed a band in 1976, Iz was the band's first choice. In the 1980s, after the death of his beloved older brother, Kamakawiwo'ole began to be the star of the band. In 1993, seventeen years later, he launched a solo career. Shortly afterwards, the airing of his version of "Somewhere over the Rainbow" by a DJ on a California radio show catapulted Iz onto the world stage. His vision was to find and play music that connected to and represented the true spirit of Hawaii. When he passed away in 1997, the state honored the man and the legend: the Hawaiian flag was shown at half-mast.

Adapted from: Holub, Rona L.. "Kamakawiwo'ole, Israel Ka'ano'i" [online available on: http://www.anb.org]



You will hear a conversation between journalist Ed Young from "Youth & Nature" magazine and Dr. Pearl Oyster, who investigates the coral reefs of Hawaii. Listen and **take notes**. You do not have to write complete sentences but **one word is not enough**. (You will have 10 seconds after the first listening and 20 seconds after the second listening.)



TASK 5: The Hawaiian Language

You will hear an interview about the Hawaiian language. Listen to the interview and take notes. Be careful, one word is not enough.

(You will have 30 seconds after the first listening and 90 seconds after the second listening.)

1	The name Pauahi means	_	
		_ 1	
2	Until the mid-1980s the Hawaiian language		
3	Pauahi feels truly Hawaiian because her		
4	A language is in danger of dying out when it is regularly used by		
		_ 1	
5	People stop speaking their own language because of		
6	A long time ago fishermen used surf boards to	_	
7	In order to dance the hula, it is important to		
		_ 1	
8	"A hui hou!" is the Hawaiian expression for the English	_	
		_ 1	
	Good luck!		

Maximum Score: 30 points

First Examiner:

Second Examiner:

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Written Test

105 minutes

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THE VICTORIAN AGE

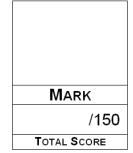
PART I: Reading

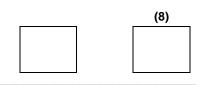
TASK 1

Read the text *History Project: Queen Victoria and her Time* (page 8). Are sentences 1-8 '*True*' (T) or '*False*' (F)? Choose '*Not in the text*' (N) if there is not enough information to answer '*True*' or '*False*'. **Tick** (\checkmark) **the correct answer**.

- 1 Young Victoria spoke two languages.
- 2 Victoria knew a lot about politics before she became queen.
- 3 Lord Melbourne introduced Victoria to numerous foreign statesmen.
- 4 It was Victoria who asked Albert to marry her.
- 5 The royal couple had heated arguments.
- 6 The Great Exhibition focused on Victorian paintings and sculptures.
- 7 In later life, Queen Victoria became interested in exotic languages.
- 8 The population of Great Britain more than doubled during her reign.

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Look at the text *History Project: Queen Victoria and her Time* (page 8). Six sentences have been removed from the text. Choose the correct gap **(1-8)** in the text for each of the sentences below **(A-F)**. Write the correct <u>number</u> of the gap behind each sentence. Be careful: There are two gaps which you do not need to use.

- A One of the first things the newly crowned monarch did was to pay off her father's debts.
- **B** For socially disadvantaged people, housing conditions in the overcrowded cities were disastrous.
- **C** All this shows a renewed interest in the person and times of Queen Victoria.
- **D** Other children of hers married royals from all over Europe including Russia.
- **E** At that time, it seemed unlikely that Victoria would ever be queen.
- **F** She had lost her most trusted adviser in politics.

Here are four texts about great achievements of the Victorian Age. Read them and **match them** with the statements 1-6 below. Choose the correct text (A-D) and write its letter in the box. The texts may be chosen more than once. There is one example (0) at the beginning.

A The opening of the Stockton & Darlington Line in 1825 marked the start of the modern railway age. With its ability to haul a train at over 30 miles per hour, Robert Stephenson's Rocket locomotive set the standard for engine design. By 1845, almost 2,500 miles of railway were open and 30 million passengers were being transported. Short trips to seaside towns with their pleasure piers became a familiar part of social life for Britons of all classes. Queen Victoria made her first train journey on June 13, 1842 and then became a regular passenger. By the end of the 19 th century, trains ran at speeds in excess of 70 miles per hour.	B The incandescent light bulb, as it was initially called, has become synonymous with Thomas Edison. But actually, a scientist called Joseph Swan was the first to demonstrate a more-or-less workable version of this remarkable creation in 1878. Swan's electric bulb burned out quickly, lasting just about 13½ hours. It was clear that in order to be truly successful the bulb would need to burn longer. This meant the end of Swan's dreams. Then Edison stepped in to improve Swan's creation. From 1879 on, he produced bulbs which lasted 1,500 hours. That – along with a talent for self-promotion – is why Edison became credited with inventing the first light bulb.
C The Crystal Palace was a huge glass and iron structure. It was originally built in 1851 for the Great Exhibition held in London's Hyde Park. The Palace, thought up by Prince Albert and designed by Sir Joseph Paxton, was enormous - 1,848 feet long and 408 feet wide including two huge towers and numerous fountains. The site fascinated two million international visitors a year and was also home to displays, festivals and music shows. However, after being moved to the suburbs of London, the Palace was a financial failure. A huge fire broke out in the night of November 30, 1936, spelling the end of this historic building. By morning the Palace was a burnt-out ruin.	D The spread of the railway in Victorian Britain was closely linked to the development of the electric telegraph. In 1837, Cooke and Wheatstone installed the electric telegraph system which linked Euston Train Station and Camden Town Station, and from there it spread all over the railway network. The technology of the telegraph expanded fast, making mass communication possible on both a national and a global scale. A telegraph cable was laid across the Channel in 1851. In 1866, a durable telegraph cable was laid across the Atlantic. Despite many problems, the global network grew rapidly.

- Travel speed more than doubled within the same century.
 It made communication between two railway stations possible.
 The main problem at the beginning was its short life.
 Although it attracted global attention, the project was an economic disaster.
 The ordinary worker as well as the royal family used it.
 It took nearly thirty years to establish intercontinental connections.
- 6 The original invention was only acceptable after an improvement had been made.

Adapted from: Atterbury, Paul. "Victorian Technology" [online available on: <u>http://www.bbc.co.uk/history</u>] Ganapati, Priya. "Dec. 18, 1878: Let there be Light – Electric Light" [online available on: <u>http://www.bbc.co.uk/london</u>] BBC London. "Crystal Palace: A History" [online available on: <u>http://www.bbc.co.uk/london</u>]



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TASK 4

Verwenden Sie die Informationen aus folgendem Text. **Bearbeiten Sie die Aufgaben (1-6)** stichpunktartig auf Deutsch. Es ist keine wörtliche Übersetzung nötig, die Aspekte müssen inhaltlich jedoch vollständig erfasst sein. Einzelwörter genügen nicht als Antwort.

Facts you might not know about Buckingham Palace

You have seen it in movies and on postcards, but how much do you actually know about Buckingham Palace? The original building, called Buckingham House, was built by John Sheffield as his London residence in 1703. Sheffield had been made the Duke of Buckingham shortly before, consequently he named the house after his new title. In the 1820s, Buckingham House, which had been purchased by King George III, was greatly enlarged into the palace we know today. Three weeks after she came to the throne in 1837 Queen Victoria declared the place her official residence. Queen Victoria's new palace was far from perfect: the bells could not be heard in the servants' rooms and airing the bathrooms was almost impossible. Other weak points of the palace as a family home were revealed when Victoria married Prince Albert in 1840. There was no satisfactory heating in the children's rooms and not enough space suitable for overnight visitors.

Today, Buckingham Palace is Queen Elizabeth's London residence. You can visit it during the absence of the royal family in summer - unless you are lucky enough to be invited to one of the royal receptions that take place throughout the year. People can tell whether the Queen is at home by the flag flying from the mast: if the Royal Standard is flying, it means the Queen is in residence, and at all other times the Union Jack will fly instead.

1	Warum nannte Sheffield sein neues Haus "Buckingham House"?	
2	Wie wurde aus "Buckingham House" ein königlicher Palast? (2 Details)	1
3	Welche Probleme mit dem Palast gab es zu Beginn von Viktorias Regentschaft? (2 Details)	2
4	Welche weiteren Schwächen des Palastes zeigten sich nach der Hochzeit? (2 Details)	2
5	Bei welchen Gelegenheiten kann man den Palast von innen sehen? (2 Details)	2
6	Was bedeutet es, wenn der Union Jack über dem "Buckingham Palace" weht?	2
	Adapted from: Abrahams, Luke. "11 Things We Bet You Didn't Know About Buckingham Palace" [online available on: <u>https://theculturetrip.com</u>] Royal UK. "Royal Residences: Buckingham Palace" [online available on: <u>https://www.royal.uk/royal-residences-buckingham-palace]</u> History Extra. "9 Facts about Buckingham Palace" [online available on: <u>https://www.historyextra.com]</u>	1 (10)

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Klasse 10

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PART II: Use of English

TASK 1

Look at text 1 (page 8). Find a word or expression which means the same as each of the words (1-5) below. The lines where you can find the words or expressions are indicated in brackets. There is one example (0) at the beginning.

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TASK 2

Look at text 1 (page 8). What do the following words mean? Match the expressions (A-F) as used in the text with their corresponding definitions (1-7). Write the correct numbers in the grid below. Be careful: There are two definitions that you do not need. One definition (0) has already been matched correctly.

> 0 a length of time in the history of a country

> > the delivery of items to a number of people

1 success, especially in making money

2

3

4

- A period (*l.* 6) **B** governess (*l.* 12)
- **C** heir (*l.* 16)
- **D** influence (*l.* 25)
- prosperity (l. 48) Ε F distribution (l. 54)
- 5 the effect someone has on the way a person thinks or acts 6

a group of people leading a country

a woman employed to teach the children of a rich family

a person who receives a dead person's money or title

7 something that a person owns

Α	В	С	D	E	F
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TASK 3

Use the word given in capitals at the end of some of the lines to form a word of the same word family that fits in the space in the same line. There is one example (0) at the beginning.

0	Looking at 19 th century English literature, one quickly (0) <u>realizes</u> that this period	REAL
1	is inseparably (1) to the name of one author: Charles	CONNECTION
2	Dickens. His many volumes (2) works such as A Christmas	INCLUSIVE
3	Carol and Oliver Twist. Dickens enjoyed great (3) during	POPULAR
4	his lifetime. He was admired for (4) criticizing Britain's	STRENGTH
	social system. Finally, in March 1870, three months before his death, Queen	
5	Victoria (5) him at Buckingham Palace.	RECEIPT
		(5)
	Adapted from: Lehner, Sebastian. "David Copperfield as an example of the Victorian socio-critical novel" [online available on: https://www.ellopos.net/dickens]	

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	TASK 4	
	Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the KEY WORD given in brackets. Do not change the KEY WORD given. You must use between two and five words including the KEY WORD. There is one example (0) .	
0	In Victorian times people dreamed of travelling to the seaside every year. (WISHED) (1) (2) (3) (4) In Victorian times people <u>wished they could travel</u> to the seaside every year.	
1	Victorian girls did not get a proper education if they did not come from a rich home. (UNLESS)	
	did not get a proper education.	1
2	During the Industrial Revolution, it was possible for the middle classes to invest in the decor of their homes for the first time. (WERE) During the Industrial Revolution, the middle classes	
	in the decor of their homes for the first time.	1
3	Pollution in the cities was a problem and light dresses turned grey, so that women wore dark colours. (INSTEAD) which turned	
	grey, women wore dark clothes, as pollution in the cities was a problem.	1
4	Doctors said they would manage to cure patients by giving them electrical shocks. (SUCCEED) Doctors said they would	
	by giving them electrical shocks.	1
5	The royal family published a picture showing them celebrating Christmas the German way, so the Christmas tree was introduced in England. (HOW)	
	The royal family published a picture showing	1
	the German way, so the Christmas tree was introduced in England.	(5)
	TASK 5	

Complete the following text. Use the correct forms of the words in brackets and find words of your own to replace the question marks. There is one example **(0)**.

Florence Nightingale was a revolutionary figure (0) in (???) nursing who reformed 19 th and			
20 th century public health care. She is known for her night rounds to aid the wounded,			
establishing her image as the "Lady with the Lamp". Florence Nightingale,			
(1) (???) work made nursing one of the most regulated and respected			
professions in the world, was born into an upper-class British family in May 1820. Women of her			
time and her class (2) (expect) to marry and maintain a lovely			
home. But Nightingale's plans and ambitions were very different from those imagined for her			
(3) (???) her parents. Though nursing was not a valued profession at			
the time, the 24-year-old woman fought very (4) (hard) to become			
a nurse. She left England for Düsseldorf where she enjoyed (5) (do)			
her studies at a hospital. Back in London she was soon promoted to head of nursing. Florence			
Nightingale improved sanitary conditions (6) (enormous).			
She insisted on (7) (have) fresh air, water and healthy			
food for her patients' recovery. And if it (8) (not be) for her			
diseases would not have been statistically documented at the time. Nightingale wrote more			
(9) (???) 60 books. Since that time, her hygienic procedures and			
lessons for hospital safety (10) (influence) nursing.			

Adapted from: Biography.com. "Florence Nightingale" [online available on: https://www.biography.com]

PART III: Guided Writing

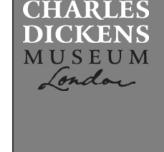
You only have to do one of the following two tasks.

Important: First read both tasks, then decide whether you want to do Task A or Task B. You can write down your ideas on your extra sheet before you do the task on your exam paper.

TASK A

Café Assistant

We offer a part-time job in our Museum Garden Café during the summer season. Some experience in serving guests as well as interest in 19th century literature and Victorian lifestyle are required. We will provide training in hygiene and food safety standards. Your ideas are welcome for this year's youth garden party!



Adapted from https://dickensmuseum.com/pages/vacancies-at-the-dickens-mi

Write a **letter of application** for the job offered above. **Include the following aspects:**

If this sounds like you, please send us your application.

- say why you want to work in the café
- explain what job experience you have gained so far
- ask questions about job details not mentioned in the ad
- describe your ideas for the youth garden party

Find a suitable beginning and ending. Write about 200 words. You need not write any addresses.

TASK B

In Victorian times, more and more people noted down their personal experiences, thoughts and feelings in their diaries. This year, the V&A Museum of Childhood in London has asked young people all over the world to describe online what their daily lives in the 21st century are like. You are taking part in this project.

Write a **personal text** for the museum's online project, describing your way of life. **Include the following information:**

- a description of your social life at present
- an important event in your personal past
- · thoughts and wishes about your life in the future
- if you think keeping a diary or writing blogs is important and why (not)

Find a suitable beginning and ending. Write about 200 words.

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History Project: Queen Victoria and her Time

On May 24, 1819, Victoria was born at Kensington Palace in London. She lived the life of a young royal and her mother was extremely watchful. This meant that Victoria had little contact

with other children, spending most of her days with her friendly

German governess and playing with dolls when she was young.

She grew up speaking German as well as English. Victoria also

enjoyed painting, drawing, and writing in her diary. When she

was born, she was fifth in line for the crown of England. (2)

However, after several deaths in her family she became heir to

In 1837, eighteen year-old Victoria was crowned Queen of the

United Kingdom. She was determined to be a good queen and to

restore the faith of the people of the United Kingdom in the

monarchy.(3) This impressed her people, who liked her from the

start. Victoria was not familiar with political issues. However,

she had a good friend and tutor in Lord Melbourne, the Prime

Minister at the time. Melbourne advised Victoria on politics and

On October 10, 1839, her German cousin, Prince Albert of

Saxe-Coburg and Gotha came to visit the royal court. Victoria

immediately fell in love with him. Five days later, they were

engaged to be married. (4) Victoria enjoyed married life. At

times their marriage was turbulent with furious confrontations

between two extremely strong personalities. However the couple

were intensely devoted to each other and had nine children.

Albert also helped Victoria find her way around British politics.

When Prince Albert suddenly died on December 14, 1861, Victoria sank into deep depression. (5) The Queen decided to

wear black for the rest of her life. Until 1866 she rarely

appeared in public. There was a time at which many people

questioned her ability to rule. Eventually Victoria recovered and

began to take a great interest in the British Empire and the

colonies, especially India, and was even given the title "Empress

Many of Victoria's nine children were married off into other

royal families of Europe. Her first-born daughter became the

wife of the Emperor of Germany. (6) Queen Victoria, the

"Grandmother of Europe" as she was called, had thirty-seven

had considerable influence over her for several years.

the throne of William IV, the king at that time.

Have you seen the film 'Victoria & Abdul'? It tells the true story of an unusual friendship between Queen Victoria and her servant, Abdul Karim. Or maybe you watched the series 'Victoria' on TV? (1) Our students have worked on a history project about this remarkable woman. People all over the world know her name; she's probably the most famous queen in history. Victoria was the ruler of a vast empire as well as of Britain. And a long period of history is named after her – the Victorian Age. Read on to learn more about her ...



Victorian Achievements

The time of Victoria's reign was a period of prosperity and peace for Great Britain. Rapid advances in 50 science and steam technology meant countless inventions, leading to the development of railway engines, bridges and power distribution networks. People had 55 their photos taken for the first time, had electric lights in their homes, made the first phone calls and went on their first car rides. There was incredible wealth but also extreme 60 poverty. (7)

One of the great events of the time was the Great Exhibition of 1851, where Britain's technological achievements and the art of 65 engineering were displayed. Victoria's husband took part in the organisation and it was a huge success. (8)

Interesting facts

- At an advanced age, Queen Victoria started learning Urdu and Hindustani through communicating with her servant Abdul Karim.
- In 1837, Victoria ruled over 16 million subjects in Britain. When she passed away in 1901, there were 41 million.

Adapted from: Biography.com. "Queen Victoria" [online available on: http://www.biography.com], BBC. "Primary History – Famous People" [online available on: http://www.bbc.co.uk]

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