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ENGLISCH
(ERHÖHTES ANFORDERUNGSNIVEAU)

Prüfungsaufgaben Prüfungsteile 2 und 3

Auswahlzeit:	30 Minuten
Bearbeitungszeit:	290 Minuten

Wählen Sie aus dem Prüfungsteil 2 ein Thema zur Bearbeitung aus und kreuzen Sie dieses an. Bestätigen Sie Ihre Entscheidung mit Ihrer Unterschrift.

Der Prüfungsteil 3 ist verpflichtend zu bearbeiten.

Prüfungsteil 2: Schreiben mit integriertem Leseverstehen

Thema A: Don't Believe the Lie That Voting Is All You Can Do

Thema B: Trust Exercise

Prüfungsteil 3: Sprachmittlung

Der Spargel kommt per Lastenrad

Unterschrift des Prüflings:

Prüfungsteil 2: Schreiben mit integriertem Leseverstehen

Thema A: Don't Believe the Lie That Voting Is All You Can Do

[Abbildung]

Part of the crowd at the historic 1963 March on Washington. [...] (Leonard Freed/Magnum Photos)

956 words

Hunter, D. (2020). Don't Believe the Lie That Voting Is All You Can Do. *New York Times*. 4 August, 2020.

¹ Jim Crow	here: laws that enforced racial segregation in the Southern states from the 1870s to the 1950s
² L.G.B.T. rights	rights affecting lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender people
³ GQ	a US magazine focusing on men's fashion and style
⁴ to write the majority opinion	write down the judicial opinion agreed to by the majority of the members of the Supreme Court
⁵ Rosa Parks	a black activist in the Civil Rights Movement who refused to give up her seat on the bus to a white passenger
⁶ a flagrantly racist president	reference to Donald Trump, US president at the time of publication
⁷ Time	US quality news magazine and website
⁸ March on Washington	political demonstration in Washington, D.C., in 1963 by the civil rights movement to protest against racial discrimination and show support for civil rights legislation that was pending in Congress
⁹ Civil Rights Act	legislation outlawing discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex or national origin
¹⁰ the election in November	reference to the 2020 US presidential election

Assignments

1. Outline what the author says about the general characteristics of social movements and their effectiveness.
2. Analyse how the author's opinion on social movements is conveyed, referring to the article and the function of the photo published with it.
3. Choose **one** of the following tasks.
 - 3.1 Using the article as a starting point, assess to what extent young people can contribute to social change.

or

- 3.2 "In Australia, and some other countries, there's mandatory voting. It would be transformative if everybody voted." (Former US President Barack Obama in 2015)

You are taking part in a session of the European Youth Parliament, an organization that encourages young people to express their ideas on pressing issues.

Write a speech, commenting on the idea of mandatory voting.

Thema B: Trust Exercise

by Susan Choi

In this excerpt, Latino student Manuel is auditioning for the school musical, "Guys and Dolls", an American musical romantic comedy from 1950. Among the audience are his charismatic drama teacher, Mr. Kingsley, and Sarah and Ellery, two of his classmates.

941 words

Choi, S. (2019). *Trust Exercise*. New York: Henry Holt and Co. pp. 41-43.

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| ¹ Sears | an American chain of department stores |
| ² Purple Heart Thrift Store | non-profit organization helping families who are in need |
| ³ pill | ball of loose fibres on clothes |
| ⁴ Ave Maria | musical version of the Latin prayer to the Virgin Mary used in the Catholic Church |
| ⁵ Mr. Bartoli | pianist who accompanies the students during their audition |
| ⁶ Bugs Bunny in braids | a cartoon character's parody of German opera |
| ⁷ PBS | Public Broadcasting Service (PBS) is an American public non-profit television network |
| ⁸ bona fide | <i>here</i> : something authentic, very suitable |
| ⁹ <i>hombre</i> | <i>Spanish</i> : man, sometimes used informally in English |
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Assignments

1. Outline the information about Manuel and his performance.
2. Analyse how atmosphere is created in this excerpt.
3. Choose **one** of the following tasks.
- 3.1 “We’ve all had this dream [...]. The dream in which, to the world’s surprise and our own, we turn out to be best.” (ll. 63–64)

Using the quotation and Manuel’s example as a starting point, assess to what extent educational institutions can help young people realise their potential.

or

- 3.2 You are taking part in a *TEDYouth* event on equality and social justice with live speakers and discussions for young people.

Write a speech, commenting on different ways to overcome prejudices in society.

Prüfungsteil 3: Sprachmittlung

Assignment

You are going to take part in an international youth conference about sustainable business ideas. To prepare for the discussions, participants share an example from their own country on the conference website.

Write an article for this website in which you present “Lieferrad DA”.

Der Spargel kommt per Lastenrad

von Astrid Ludwig

640 Wörter

Ludwig, A. (2021, 29. März). Der Spargel kommt per Lastenrad. Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung.

¹ DA Autokennzeichen Darmstadts

² Hiwi studentische wissenschaftliche Hilfskraft