

Zulassungsprüfungen

ENGLISCH

Oberstufe



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Folgende Bücher können bei der Vorbereitung der Themengebiete hilfreich sein:

- Prime Time
- English in Context
- Destination B1/B2
- Make your Way

PRÜFUNGSSTOFF

5. Klasse – B1

Schriftlich

Dauer: 50 Minuten

Ein Schreibtext (250 Wörter) aus den folgenden Textsorten ist zu verfassen:

- report
- article
- blog post / blog comment
- email

Wörterbücher sind **nicht** gestattet.

Mündlich

Zwei Fragen zu Gebieten aus dem Themenpool müssen ausreichend beantwortet werden.

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5. und 6. Klasse / Semester 1. – 4. (Kleine Zulassungsprüfung) B1+

Schriftlich (100 Minuten)

1. Sprachverwendung im Kontext (language in use)
2. Leseverständnis (reading)
3. Ein Schreibtext (250 Wörter) aus den folgenden Textsorten ist zu verfassen:
 - report
 - article
 - blog post / blog comment
 - email

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Mündlich

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7. und 8. Klasse / Semester 5. – 8. (Große Zulassungsprüfung) B2

Schriftlich (150 Minuten)

1. Sprachverwendung im Kontext (language in use)
2. Leseverständnis (reading)
3. Ein Schreibtext (400 Wörter) aus den folgenden Textsorten ist zu verfassen:
 - essay
 - report
 - article
 - blog post / blog comment

Wörterbücher sind **nicht** gestattet.

Mündlich

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Themenpool 5. Klasse

1. Relationships

- definition of friend/family/relationship/...
- the relevance of the number of friends a person has
- the pros and cons of social media
- classroom communication
- the ingredients of a successful relationship
- being single / being in a relationship
- internet dating
- first love and growing up
- arranged marriage
- different types of „family“ + their influence on the children
- same sex families
- teenage pregnancy
- pros and cons of having children
- working mums/dads
- maternity/paternity leave
- getting divorced

2. Living Spaces

- different types of housing
- moving out of your family home
- the pros and cons of living in a city versus living in the countryside
- looking for a new flat – important criteria
- dream house
- green home
- industrialized/agricultural areas
- suburbanites
- megacities

3. Media and Communication

- types of media (traditional vs. modern, social)
- role of media today
- media use today
- young people and the news
- watching TV - consumption and opinions of young people
- sitcoms – examples, attitudes, influence (on young people)
- reality shows and docu-soaps (e.g. The Truman Show) – examples, attitudes, influence (on [young] people)
- film – genres, forms of consumption, influence today
- film industry
- fiction vs. reality in films, shows

- surveillance and the media – identity and privacy
- celebrities
- paparazzi
- the future of the book
- e-books vs paper books
- newspapers (tabloids and broadsheets)
- language (English as a global language)
- means of communication in the past and present
- influence of modern technology on communication
- advantages and disadvantages of smartphone communication
- how to hold an oral presentation
- presentation techniques and skills

4. Nutrition and Health

- the food pyramid
- fast food
- healthy living/nutrition
- changing lifestyles
- vegetarian/vegan
- the food industry
- eating disorders
- social security
- welfare state
- smoking, smoking ban, health risks
- alcohol
- binge drinking
- drugs and addictions
- banning /legalizing drugs
- people with special needs
- stress
- the human body
- the advantages of doing sports
- the sports-week – important criteria
- extreme sports
- famous sportspersons

5. Education

- English as a global language
- reading and books and literature
- talking about films
- school education – now and then
- travelling
- school now and then - developments
- the influence of modern technology
- the ideal school
- presenting your own school

- life-long learning
- the problem of motivation
- gap year
- student loans
- university fees
- applying for university
- free education?

Themenpool 6. Klasse / Semester 3. und 4.

Alle Themen der 5. Klasse und zusätzlich:

6. Life and Style

- today's obsession with beauty – reasons and dangers
- the fashion industry
- fashion and the media
- unhealthy/dangerous trends regarding fashion
- eating disorders and size zero models
- modelling
- fashion icons and idols
- celebrities
- fashion and men
- beauty ideals
- plastic surgery
- beauty contests
- tattoos and body modification
- long necks, branding, implanting,...
- inner beauty
- clothes and getting dressed
- dress style
- body building
- peer pressure
- advertising

7. Travelling

- different means of transport
- rush hour, traffic jam
- different types of tourism
- new trends
- positive negative aspects
- problems and solutions
- volunteer work
- gap year
- eco-tourism
- mass tourism
- sustainable tourism
- planning a trip
- food miles
- carbon / water footprint

8. Environment

- climate change – facts, reasons and how to prevent it
- natural disasters
- the weather
- industry
- deforestation, ozone depletion, greenhouse gases,...
- global aspects of climate change
- forms of pollution and how to stop it
- an environmental friendly school
- energy production and the environment
- nature and sustainable development
- aspects of modern waste management
- protection of nature and the growth of modern cities
- role of the individual in fighting pollution and climate change
- environmental footprint
- (non) renewable energy (fossil fuels, solar energy, nuclear power plants, etc.)
- greenhouse effect
- sustainability
- biodiversity
- eco-friendly-lifestyle

9. World of Work

- workplace
- different working places
- working conditions
- working environments
- payment
- qualifications, competences and skills
- work experience
- internships
- blue / white collar
- assembly line work
- chances
- work-life-balance
- personal skills (strengths and weaknesses)
- job application/cv
- job interview
- job descriptions
- equal rights/opportunities of men and women
- (un)employment
- outsourcing
- brain drain
- working teenagers
- jobs of the future

10. Crime and Violence

- code of conduct
- misbehaviour/misconduct
- (teenage) crime (causes/prevention/measures)
- youth prison/alternatives
- consequences/punishment
- community service
- fines
- boot camps
- Rights and responsibilities
- Juvenile law
- Different types of crime
- surveillance and privacy
- rules at home
- rules at school
- social behaviour
- detention (school/home)
- bullying

Themenpool 7. und 8. Klasse / Semester 5. – 8.

Alle Themen der 5. und 6. Klasse und zusätzlich:

11. Consumerism

- different types advertisements
- effects of advertisements
- fundraising
- shopping for happiness?
- online shopping
- purchase decision
- marketing and marketing strategies
- marketing to children
- supermarket secrets / supermarket tricks
- bargains
- alternative shopping
- shopaholics
- spending/saving money
- earning money
- (fixed) expenses
- holiday /weekend jobs

12. Arts

- forms of art (classical vs. modern)
- functions of art
- attitudes expressed in art
- opinions and approaches to art
- own experiences with art
- art in Austria/Vienna
- places to experience art in Austria/Vienna
- role of education for understanding art
- attractive expressions of art for young people
- youth culture nowadays
- graffiti
- guerilla art
- abstract art
- music
- literature
- Shakespeare

13. Science and Technology

- modern technologies and their role for young people
- education and modern technologies
- influence of modern technologies on child development
- computer gaming – chances and risks
- traditional and modern forms of games
- influence of internet technology on modern life
- genetic engineering
- medicine
- genetic modification of food
- cloning

14. Growing Up

- how I see myself
- personal identity
- role models/ celebrities
- aspects of good upbringing
- individual choices
- personal interests and hobbies
- self-consciousness
- future perspectives for teenagers
- expectations
- personal freedom
- lifestyles
- personal aims
- future prospects / threats / fears / hopes
- education
- school and personal development
- lifelong learning
- gap year
- applying for university
- studying abroad
- jobs and professions for young people
- summer jobs
- working as a teenager
- money and job satisfaction
- volunteering
- jobs and family life
- future career
- global problems
- politics
- future trends (megacities, communication, environment, multicultural society etc.)
- importance and future of traditions
- chances in the future in different areas
- gender
- travelling

- social skills(problems with friends/parents)
- first love
- friends family
- relationships
- teenage pregnancy
- how to cope with problems
- teenage experiences
- film/novel(problems of growing up)

15. Globalisation

- colonialism / British Empire
- history of globalisation
- Americanisation
- global village
- pros/cons of globalization
- effects on society
- young people's attitudes
- world trade and international markets
- international outsourcing
- foreign products
- clothes
- modern communication technologies
- communication now and then
- the world wide web
- social networks
- entertainment electronics
- inventions (telephone)
- foreign TV channels
- books/films
- international travel
- multinational concerns
- global effects (nature vs industrialised nations)

16. Identity and Diversity

- multi-ethnic groups /diversity
- motivation for immigration
- benefits/problems of integration
- multi-cultural life
- conditions for integration
- problems/restriction of numbers of immigrants
- refugees
- asylum seekers
- race
- gender

- minorities
- (in)equality
- affirmative action (Quotenregelung)
- border controls, visa application (Trump)
- poverty
- student exchange
- cultural experience
- personal development
- social contributions
- gender roles
- equality
- career women/housewives
- future family life
- Influential (wo)men (historical, political, social, [wo]men of interest)
- personalities
- achievements
- historical importance
- popularity
- stereotypes
- youth groups
- generation conflicts
- language
- workplace
- education
- religion
- traditions and values
- politics
- role models/celebrities
- self-consciousness

17. Politics and Institutions

- right to vote
- importance/necessity of politics
- contribution to changes
- areas of political influence
- representative democracy
- political institutions
- political education in school
- direct democracy
- other state forms
- politicians 'roles
- political systems (UK, USA, Austria, ...)
- (presidential) elections
- voluntary work
- charities
- NGOs (e.g. AI, UN, ect.)
- donating money

- human rights
- protests and rebellion
- peace
- civil disobedience
- slavery
- homelessness
- ethics
- political correctness

18. Reading and Literature

- e-reader
- future of books
- reading habits
- choosing a book
- favourite book
- genres
- what makes a good book
- book vs film