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Englisch

Serie: B₁

Dauer: 30 Minuten

Hilfsmittel: keine

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Maximal erreichbare Punktzahl:	50	Punkte	Ergebnis	
- Textverständnis	15	Punkte	Punkte
- Textproduktion	15	Punkte	Punkte
- Sprachbetrachtung	20	Punkte	Punkte

Erreichte Punktzahl **Punkte**

Prüfungsnote (auf halbe Noten gerundet)

Die Expertin / der Experte:

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TASK 1 READING

How galleries are finally welcoming disabled people

Wheelchair-user Ciara O'Connor protested on social media that there was no ramp¹ at the Tate Gallery in London to enable her to enter and experience an exhibition by the Danish/Icelandic artist Olafur Eliasson.

Within days, more than 2,000 people had retweeted her words and more than 100 tweeted their own angry anecdotes, drawing apologies from the London museum and from the artist's studio. There is now a video showing what it is like to pass through. Both the Tate and Eliasson have promised to do better in future.

"It turns out that this is about far more than me, a ramp, the Tate, Eliasson," says O'Connor, who clearly spoke for many when she tweeted: "I am always, always aware of my body, how it's blocking people, how it's taking up space, how it's inconvenient."

A new permanent gallery at the Wellcome Collection aims to address these issues. Entitled "Being Human", the gallery's mission is to "explore trust, identity and health in a changing world". Several leading disability activists contributed to the exhibition – so one of the first things they had to get right was accessibility².

The Wellcome Collection opened in 2007 and is one of London's most inclusive museums. Its baby-changing facilities make it a busy rainy-day refuge³ for mothers with small children. The new gallery is on the first floor, with tall windows looking out over the road. Entry is either from one end, up a flight of stairs, or via a lift that deposits you at double doors in the centre of the room.

Curator Clare Barlow, who was putting the finishing touches to the new gallery explains, "one challenge was to make the first view equally impressive from both directions." Working with the architects, and in consultation with disability groups, they created a grid of display cases that have been cleverly placed to allow wheelchairs to get close. Labelling it in braille⁴ and audio, as well as written text.

"The Wellcome Collection exists to make people think about health issues," says Barlow. "We tend to do that through works of art that makes you think or encourage you to explore your feelings."

After years of being neglected and made to feel in the way, disabled people are finally getting galleries to listen – and enable access to all.

adapted from an article on: <https://www.theguardian.com/artanddesign/2019/sep/06/being-human-wellcome-collection-london-art-and-disability-rights>

¹ ramp = Rampe

² accessibility = Zugänglichkeit

³ refuge = Zuflucht

⁴ braille = Blindenschrift

TASK 1a

- Read the text and then decide if the following statements are **True (T)** or **False (F)**.
- If there is not enough information to answer *True* or *False*, choose **Doesn't say (DS)**.

Example:

Text: Sarah is in her twenties. T **(F)** DS
 Statement: Sarah is 18 years old.

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| 1. A letter by Ciara O'Connor started the discussion on entering the Tate Gallery. | T | F | DS |
| 2. The Tate Gallery does not have ramps for wheelchair users. | T | F | DS |
| 3. After Ciara O'Connor's tweet over 2,000 people tweeted about their experience at the Tate Gallery. | T | F | DS |
| 4. A video was taken by O'Connor to show how difficult it is to access the gallery. | T | F | DS |
| 5. The Tate Gallery and the artist have promised to install ramps on every floor of the gallery. | T | F | DS |
| 6. Disability activists helped to create the exhibition "Being Human". | T | F | DS |
| 7. The Wellcome Collection is the first to allow mothers with small children into a gallery. | T | F | DS |
| 8. There is more than one entrance to the room. | T | F | DS |
| 9. Barlow says that the Wellcome Collection makes people think about health issues. | T | F | DS |
| 10. Disabled people are still made to feel unwelcome in all galleries. | T | F | DS |

Points: ____/10

TASK 1b

- Read the text and match each synonym listed below with one of the underlined words from the text.
- If the word you need is a verb write the **infinitive** of the verb, if it is a plural noun, write the **singular** of the noun.

Example:

The king was very popular.
 Synonym: widely liked Word in text: popular

- | <u>Synonym:</u> | <u>Word in text:</u> |
|-------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. to complain | to _____ |
| 2. long-lasting, stable | _____ |
| 3. to attract | to _____ |
| 4. to ignore | to _____ |
| 5. dramatic | _____ |

Points: ____/5



TASK 2 WRITING

**Write about a situation where you were afraid. Why were you afraid and what did you do?
Write a short text of about 60 words.**

Content: ____/3

Vocabulary: ____/6

Grammar: ____/6

Points: ___/15

TASK 3

Complete the text with the correct form of the word(s) in brackets or with a suitable word/phrase if no word is given.

Example: I haven't met any (some) of my friends yet.

1. One _____ (different) between Canadian English and American English is that Canadians always put "eh" at the end of a sentence.
2. Last year I bought a lot of books. This year I haven't bought as _____.
3. You didn't eat dinner yesterday, _____ you?
4. I _____ (talk) on the phone when the hurricane hit my house.
5. In fall the trees turn red and finally shake off their _____ (leaf).
6. If you heat water to a 100 °C, it _____ (boil).
7. My friend worked _____ (hard) to pass this test and so did I.
8. The Shanghai Maglev is _____ (fast) train in the world with a maximum operating speed of 430 km/h.
9. One week ago, the gardeners _____ (dig) holes to plant young trees.
10. Before Max moved to Australia, he _____ (live) in New Zealand for six years.

Points: _____/10

TASK 4

Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence. The words need not be the same.

Example:

0. *A panther is faster than a tortoise.*

A tortoise is not as fast as a panther.

1. Don't you think that eating a lot of vegetables is healthy?
Eating a lot of vegetables is healthy, _____ it?
2. If you don't clear the table, we can't eat here.
_____ you clear the table, we can't eat here.
3. My mother doesn't like all of the Beatles' songs.
My mother only likes _____ of the Beatles' songs.
4. Boris Johnson took over as Prime Minister.
Boris Johnson is the man _____ took over as Prime Minister.
5. Stephanie is not happy to leave school next year.
Stephanie is not looking forward to _____ school next year.
6. The Street Parade is more noisy than any other festival in Zurich.
The Street Parade is the _____ festival in Zurich.
7. What is the number of students in your class?
_____ students do you have in your class?
8. "Thanks to my dad, my laptop is working again".
My laptop is working again – my dad has _____ it.
9. The UN has organised a meeting between Trump and Kim Jong Un next year.
Trump and Kim Jong Un _____ next year.
10. Students who have finished cooking can start with the washing-up.
_____ you have finished cooking, you can start with the washing-up.

Points: ____/10