

**Luzerner Berufs-und Fachmittelschulen**

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**AUFNAHMEPRÜFUNG 2017**

**ENGLISCH**

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**Zeit** 50 Minuten

**Hilfsmittel** Keine

**Hinweise** Die Prüfung umfasst 8 Seiten.  
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Die Prüfung ist mit Kugelschreiber zu schreiben.

Notizpapier liegt auf den Arbeitstischen.

**ALLE ANTWORTEN MÜSSEN AUF DIE LÖSUNGSBLÄTTER  
ÜBERTRAGEN WERDEN!**

Prüfungsteil			Maximale Punktzahl
Hörverstehen	Seiten	2-3	18
Leseverstehen	Seiten	4-7	25
Textproduktion	Seite	8	20
<b>Total</b>			<b>63</b>

## LISTENING

18 points

**You will hear each recording twice. There will be a pause before each part to allow you to look through the questions.**

### Part 1 (6 points, 1 point for each correct answer)

Look at the six sentences for this part. You will hear a conversation between a girl, Alison, and a boy, Bob, about pets. Decide if each sentence is correct or incorrect. If it is correct, put a tick (✓) in the box under **A for YES**. If it is not correct, put a tick (✓) in the box under **B for NO**.

	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>
	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
1. Bob thinks a dog would be good company for Alison's grandma.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Bob doesn't like dogs.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Bob has found homes for the kittens.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Alison would be happy to work without getting paid.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Bob thinks Alison is mad.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Bob and Alison will go to the dogs' home together.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

***DO NOT FORGET to transfer your answers to the separate ANSWER SHEET.***

Part 2 (12 points, 2 points for each correct answer)

You will hear a tour guide talking to a group of people. For each question, fill in the missing information in the numbered space.

**EXCURSION TO BRIGHTON  
ITINERARY**

**COACH PICK-UP TIME:** 8 am

**PICK-UP POINT:** outside the **(7)** \_\_\_\_\_

**ARRIVAL TIME IN BRIGHTON:** 10 am

**DROP-OFF POINT:** Pool Valley Coach  
Station

**GUIDED WALKING TOUR**

**10.15 – 10.45:** Tour of the famous Brighton Lanes (used to be lined with **(8)**  
\_\_\_\_\_).

**11 am – 12.30** Coffee break. Refreshments are available inside the **(9)**  
**pm:** \_\_\_\_\_ or in the Pavilion  
Gardens Cafe.

**11.30 – 12.30:** Guided tour of the palace.

**12.45 – 2 pm:** Lunch at Donatello's Restaurant.  
Two-course lunch: **(10)** £ \_\_\_\_\_.  
Three-course lunch: £ 8.95.  
Coffee/tea included.

**2 pm – 3 pm:** Brighton Museum & Art Gallery.  
Guided tour optional and free of charge.

**3 pm – 5 pm:** Free time on Brighton seafront.  
Recommended sights: Brighton Pier, the **(11)**  
\_\_\_\_\_ and artists' studios.

**5.10 – 6 pm:** Grand Hotel for **(12)** \_\_\_\_\_.  
Departure from Pool Valley Coach Station.

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## READING

25 points

### Part 1 (10 points, 2 points for each correct answer)

Read the text and questions below. For each question, mark the correct letter A, B, C or D on your answer sheet.

#### **Roland Pearson, Astrophotographer**

When I first started taking photographs of the night sky, I never thought I'd end up doing it for a living. I'd always been interested in photography, I used to drive my family crazy because I was always taking photographs of them. Then one day I saw a poster of Earth taken from outer space. Posters like that were really popular in the 1970s. I had seen lots of them, but there was something different about this one. It fascinated me and it ended up changing my life!

It hasn't always been easy though. I remember trying to take a picture of Hale Bopp Comet for a photography competition in 1997. I checked with experts at the local weather station to make sure they weren't expecting clouds or strong winds. At 3.30am I set the camera up on a tripod in my garden, and then I began the countdown to 4am, when the comet was scheduled to appear. I recall thinking, 'If everything goes as planned, the photo will show the comet as a line of light moving across a background of faint white stars.' But suddenly everything went terribly wrong! At 3.59, just as I was making the final adjustments, out of the bushes came a streak of black heading straight for my feet, and before I knew it the camera, tripod and I were on the ground! The streak of black was my neighbour's cat Tiddles out for his late-night exercise, and he had ruined the only chance I had for the next 2000 years of capturing the spectacular comet on film!

But missed photo opportunities aside, astrophotography is a great job, and it can also be a fascinating hobby. Surprisingly, enough, you don't need any special equipment: just a 35mm camera, a tripod and some slow-speed film. But you must remember to take care of your equipment. Otherwise that mysterious shadow on the moon's surface could be ruined by a tiny speck of dust on your camera lens!

1. In this text, the writer describes
  - A how he trained as an astrophotographer.
  - B how he takes photographs for posters.
  - C how he takes photographs of people.
  - D how he became an astrophotographer.
  
2. What changed the writer's life?
  - A taking family photographs for a living
  - B taking up astrophotography as a hobby
  - C becoming a popular photographer in the 1970s.
  - D seeing a poster of Earth taken from outer space
  
3. The writer's photograph of the Hale Bopp Comet was
  - A meant for a competition.
  - B ruined by a streak of light.
  - C covered by a dark cloud.
  - D taken just before 4am.
  
4. The writer's photograph of the comet
  - A turned out exactly as he had planned.
  - B showed the comet moving across the sky.
  - C was not taken because of a neighbour's cat.
  - D could not be taken until the year 2000.
  
5. What might Roland say about his job?
  - A 'It's fascinating although it can be a challenge at times, if there are some unexpected problems'.
  - B 'It's a really popular job, but you do have to spend a lot of time waiting.'
  - C 'My photographs would be better if I had a lot more equipment.'
  - D 'I drive my family and friends crazy because I'm always taking photographs.'

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**Part 2** (5 points, 1 point for each correct answer)

Look at the sign (left column) in each question. Someone asks you what it means.

Mark the letter next to the correct explanation A, B, C or D – on your answer sheet.

1. BRIGHTSON'S TRAVEL AGENCY: OUR NEW ENTRANCE IS BETWEEN THE BANK AND THE LIBRARY	A. The library is now a travel agency. B. The travel agency is no longer open. C. The travel agency has moved its entrance. D. The entrance to the bank is through the library.
2. WE ARE CLOSED FOR STAFF TRAINING UNTIL 09.30	A. We can train you to work here. B. We are not open today because of staff training. C. The shop is run by trained staff. D. The shop will open at 09.30 today.
3. ADD YOUR NAME TO THIS LIST IF YOU WANT TO GO ON THE TRIP	A. This list should be signed by people wanting to go on the trip. B. Check this list for information if you are going on the trip. C. If you find your name on this list, you can go on the trip. D. This list shows who has been chosen to go on the trip.
4. WE ONLY REPAIR COMPUTERS WHICH WERE BOUGHT HERE	A. Bring your computer here for repairs. B. We will not mend computers bought from other shops. C. We charge to repair computers not bought here. D. Computers bought here never need repairing.
5. WE REGRET WE CANNOT ACCEPT PAYMENT BY CREDIT CARD FOR SALES OF UNDER £10	A. If you spend more than 10 pounds, you must pay by credit card. B. We make a charge if you pay by credit card. C. If you spend less than 10 pounds, you cannot pay by credit card. D. We prefer cash payment for large sales.

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Part 3 (10 points, 1 point for each correct answer)

Read the text below and choose the correct word for each space.

For each question, mark the letter next to the correct word (A, B, C or D) on your answer sheet. There is an example (0) at the beginning.

**THE RECIPE FOR GOOD COMMUNICATION**

How many people do you communicate (0) with in a day? Probably a lot more (1) \_\_\_\_\_ you did ten years ago. With a few pieces of equipment, we can 'talk' to people in more and more ways, not (2) \_\_\_\_\_ face-to-face and on the phone, but also via the Internet. It is very important, therefore, (3) \_\_\_\_\_ everyone to try and improve their communication skills. Despite all the technological advances of (4) \_\_\_\_\_ years, the art of good conversation is still at the heart of successful communication. (5) \_\_\_\_\_ it's a good idea to remember the four golden rules of good communication. Firstly, be as clear as you can.

Misunderstandings arise if we don't say exactly (6) \_\_\_\_\_ we mean.

Secondly, we have to work (7) \_\_\_\_\_ at listening. Pay attention to what the other person is saying. Thirdly, ask (8) \_\_\_\_\_ people what they think, don't only tell them what you think. And finally show respect for other people, give them time to say what they want, and (9) \_\_\_\_\_ interest in what they say.

If you (10) \_\_\_\_\_ these rules, you will be a good communicator.

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| 0. (A) on    | (B) <b>with</b> | (C) in     | (D) about   |
| 1. (A) like  | (B) than        | (C) as     | (D) then    |
| 2. (A) yet   | (B) even        | (C) just   | (D) still   |
| 3. (A) for   | (B) if          | (C) by     | (D) from    |
| 4. (A) close | (B) last        | (C) late   | (D) recent  |
| 5. (A) There | (B) So          | (C) Such   | (D) Or      |
| 6. (A) when  | (B) what        | (C) which  | (D) whom    |
| 7. (A) hard  | (B) much        | (C) great  | (D) very    |
| 8. (A) every | (B) other       | (C) each   | (D) another |
| 9. (A) get   | (B) put         | (C) be     | (D) show    |
| 10. (A) act  | (B) move        | (C) follow | (D) go      |

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## WRITING

**20 points**

*You want to go to a concert of a band you saw last year. Write an email to your friend and invite him/her to come along with you next weekend.*

*Tell him/her*

- about the singer / the band and why you like him/her/them
- why you liked the concert last year
- why you think your friend should go too
- where the concert will be and how you will get there

*Write 120-150 words on your answer sheet.*

***If you write less than 120 words or more than 150 words,  
you will lose points.***

***Write your text on the ANSWER SHEET.***