

Themengebiete

Grammatik:

Zeiten: present tense, present tense progressive, past tense simple, present perfect tense, will-future, going to-future

Fragen (Are you...? Do you...? Fragen mit Fragewörtern: What, Why... ?)

Präpositionen

Themengebiete: friends and family, school, hobbies and sports, eating habits, holidays and celebrations

Reading A2

Listening A2

PRACTICE TASKS

READING

Read the text about Kimberly and tick (T) or False (F).

Kimberly's Journey: A Story of Change and Growth

It took Kimberley Vlamincx three long years and nine painful laser treatments to finally look like herself again - her face no longer has 56 tattooed stars on it.

Kimberly, who is from a small town in Belgium, has a special family tradition – everyone in her family had a tattoo, a little mark on their skin that meant something important to them. Kimberly's dad was especially proud of their family tradition. He even said he'd pay for her first tattoo. Excited by the idea, Kimberly went to a tattoo artist to get one. But things didn't go as planned. Instead of a small tattoo, she ended up with 56 stars on the left side of her face!

When her dad saw what she had done, he was very angry. He couldn't understand why she had done something so big without telling him. Kimberly panicked and told him a lie – she said the tattoo artist had done it while she was sleeping. But that wasn't true. She had asked for the stars herself.

As time passed, Kimberly realized she couldn't keep living with the big tattoos on her face. It was hard for her to find a job or make friends. So, she decided to remove them. It was a long and painful process, but Kimberly was determined to change. With each session, the tattoos faded* a little more. And as they faded, Kimberly felt lighter and happier. She realized that her true beauty came from inside, not from what was on her skin.

Nowadays, Kimberly shares her story with others. She wants people to know that it's okay to make mistakes and that it's never too late to change. The tattoos may be gone, but they will always be a part of her story – a reminder of where she's been and how far she's come.

Kimberly's journey teaches us that it's important to be true to ourselves and to embrace our flaws. And as for Kimberly, she's still on her journey, one step at a time.

*to fade- verblissen

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2.	Her dad wanted to pay for her tattoo.		
3.	Kimberly just got a small star on the left side of her face.		
4.	Kimberly's dad was furious when he saw her tattoos.		
5.	Kimberly lied and claimed that she had not asked for the tattoos.		
6.	She found a good job with her tattoos.		
7.	Removing the tattoos from her face was a quick and easy process for Kimberly.		
8.	Kimberly's story teaches us that true beauty comes only from what's on the outside.		
9.	Kimberly wants people to know that mistakes can happen.		
10.	The tattoos on Kimberly's face will always be a painful reminder of her past mistakes.		

GRAMMAR

Write the correct question using the present tense simple to complete the dialogue.

Sarah: Hi, Amy! _____?

Amy: Hi, Sarah! Sure, I'd love to! _____?

Sarah: It's called "Cats and Spies." I heard it's really funny!

Amy: Oh, that sounds like fun! _____?

Sarah: It starts at 4:30 p.m. Do you think we can make it after school?

Amy: Yes, I think so. Let's meet outside the school gate at 4:15 p.m. Is that okay?

Sarah: Sounds perfect!

Amy: _____?

Sarah: It's the "Odeon Cinema" at the mall, near the park.

Amy: Ah, okay. _____?

Sarah: We can walk, or we can take the bus.

Amy: Great idea! See you at 4:15 then!

Sarah: See you later!

The first words of the questions are mixed up. Write down the correct questions.

Are is your favourite colour?

Have do your grandparents live? -

How you coming to the cinema with us?

o _____

What much pocket money do you get?

Where you got any pets?

Write down the sentences in correct order.

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subject/in school/maths/ is/my favourite

to clean/my mum/the dishwasher/asked me

anything/they/today/eaten/haven't

Present tense simple- fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb (positive sentence, negation, question)

1. Sarah _____ (watch) a movie tonight.
2. The cat _____ (not sleep) on the couch.
3. They _____ (play) basketball every Saturday.
4. I _____ (not like) to eat pizza for dinner.
7. He _____ (read) a book in the library?
8. The dog _____ (bark) loudly at night.
9. We _____ (not drink) coffee in the evening.
10. The sun _____ (shine) brightly in the morning.
11. _____ he _____ (study) English at school?
12. Mary never _____ (eat) pizza on weekdays.

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Max and his friend John went on a climbing holiday in Scotland. They _____ (climb) many mountains and enjoyed the beautiful scenery. Max _____ (take) lots of photos to remember the trip, but John _____ (not take) any. One day, they _____ (reach) the summit of Ben Nevis, the tallest mountain in the UK. They _____ (feel) happy and proud. However, the weather _____ (not be) always good. One day, they even _____ (get) caught in a sudden rainstorm while hiking and they _____ (not have) any rain jackets! Despite the challenges, they _____ (have) a fantastic time exploring the Scottish Highlands. When they _____ (return) home, they _____ (share) their exciting stories with their friends and family. Overall, it _____ (be) a memorable adventure for Max and his friend. Where _____ (you go) on holidays?

Will-future-fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb (positive sentence, negation, question)

1. He _____ (cook) dinner for his family tomorrow.
2. _____ you _____ (come) to my birthday party next week?
3. We _____ (play) soccer in the park this afternoon.
4. She _____ (not go) to the party tonight.
5. Sarah _____ (study) for her exam tomorrow.
6. The dog _____ (learn) new tricks next month.
7. He _____ (buy) a car next year.
8. They _____ (not eat) sushi for dinner tomorrow.
9. They _____ (visit) Paris next summer.
10. _____ she _____ (travel) to Italy next month?
11. I _____ (start) a new job next week.
12. We _____ (have) a party next Friday.

Going to-future- fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb (positive sentence, negation, question)

1. I _____ (not have) any dessert after dinner tonight.
2. _____ you _____ (watch) the new movie at the cinema tomorrow?
3. She _____ (not attend) the party on Friday because she's feeling unwell.
4. What _____ (happen) if you don't finish your homework on time?
5. They _____ (not travel) abroad this summer due to financial constraints.
6. _____ (you join) us for lunch later?
7. I _____ (not buy) that expensive handbag; it's way out of my budget.
8. How _____ (you celebrate) your birthday next month?
9. We _____ (not stay) at that hotel because it's too expensive.
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Prepositions-fill in the gaps using "with 3x, between, under, at 2x, from, of, ":

My Wonderful Saturday

On Saturday morning, I wake up early _____ 7 o'clock. Then, I have breakfast _____ my family. After that, I go to the park _____ my friends.

In the park, we play games like hide-and-seek and tag. We also have a picnic _____ a big tree. We eat sandwiches _____ cheese and ham, and fruit like apples and grapes. After the picnic, we walk to the lake. We will skip stones over the water and try to spot fish _____ the surface.

Later in the afternoon, we go to the cinema to watch a movie. I heard it's a comedy with lots _____ funny scenes. I sit _____ Sara and Tom.

In the evening, I relax _____ home. I take a book _____ the shelf and read it.

Complete the letter. Write one word for each space.

Dear Mr Featherington,

I _____ to inform you about a problem I had during my recent stay at your hotel. I booked a room for two _____ from Friday _____ Sunday. However, when I arrived, I realized there was a _____ with the room. The air conditioner _____ not working properly, and it made the room quite uncomfortable, especially _____ the night.

Additionally, there was a strange _____ coming from the bathroom, which made it difficult to sleep. I called the front desk to report these issues, but unfortunately, no one came to _____ me.

I hope you can solve these problems and I would like some money back.

With regards,

Otto Mayer

WRITING/SPEAKING

Talk about your favourite holiday. When and how is it celebrated? Why do you like it so much? (~80 words)

Write about your school. What do you like/dislike about it? What is your favourite subject? Who is your favourite teacher? (~80 words)

Do you have a healthy diet? Why (not)? What is your favourite food? (~80 words)

Describe your family. Where do you live? Who is living with you? What do you like/dislike about your family? (~80 words)

What do you do in your free time? Do you like to play sports? (~80 words)

Solution

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11.	Kimberly was the first person in her family to get a tattoo.		X
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16.	She found a good job with her tattoos.		X
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Amy: Oh, that sounds like fun! *When does it start? / At what time does it start?*

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Amy: Yes, I think so. Let's meet outside the school gate at 4:15 p.m. Is that okay?

Sarah: Sounds perfect!

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anything/they/today/eaten/haven't

They haven't eaten anything today.

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