



HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION

2000

GERMAN

2/3 UNIT (COMMON)

SPEAKING SKILLS

(20 Marks)

*Time allowed—Approximately 10 minutes
(Plus 15 minutes preparation time)*

DIRECTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Attempt ALL FIVE Situations in order.
- You are NOT allowed to write anything during this examination, nor ask the Teacher/Examiner for help with German expressions.
- You will be given 15 minutes preparation time.
- This examination is to be recorded on cassette. The cassette recorder should NOT be stopped until the whole examination is completed.
- You are to state your Student Number and Centre Number.

CANDIDATE'S COPY

You are to respond in GERMAN to the Teacher/Examiner's statements or questions according to the outlines given in English. You are expected to give detailed responses where required.

Attempt ALL FIVE Situations.

Intervals of more than approximately 15 seconds between Situations are NOT permitted.

SITUATION 1 New boy/girlfriend

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Mention the name of your new friend. Say where and when you met.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Describe your new friend's appearance. Give THREE details.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Explain why you like him/her. Give TWO details.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Say that you and your friend will meet this weekend. Say what you are planning to do.*

SITUATION 2 The lost bicycle

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Apologise to your parent for getting home so late. Say you are late because your bike was stolen.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Say where you were and what you were doing there.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Explain how you got home without your bike.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Say what you plan to do to find your bike.*

SITUATION 3 Future study plans

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Give TWO reasons why you want to study in Germany.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Say where you would like to study and why.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Describe the sort of accommodation you would like. Give TWO reasons.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Say when you would like to start your studies and why that time suits you.*

SITUATION 4 Helping your elderly neighbour

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Say that you helped your elderly neighbour. Say what you did for him/her. Give details.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Say that the work was terrible and explain what went wrong.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Say how much money you received for the work and what you plan to do with it.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Say why you would/would not work for your neighbour again.*

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SITUATION 5 Telling a tourist about your area

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Tell the person that you speak German and ask how you can help.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Mention THREE sites worth seeing in your area. Give details.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Mention TWO things to do in your area. Give details.*

EXAMINER

CANDIDATE *Say that you have been in Germany. Say where you stayed and for how long.*

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