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Ecole de commerce de Fribourg et Bulle

**Anglais  
Englisch**

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**Listening comprehension**

\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 pts

You're going to listen to two texts twice (2x). First, listen to the text, then tick the correct answer. You have now thirty seconds to read the questions.

**Text 1: Daily schedule****Tick the correct answer****5 pts**

1. What time does the man get up?

- at 5:00 a.m.
- at 6:00 a.m.
- at 7:00 a.m.

2. What time does he get to work?

- at 7:00 a.m.
- at 8:00 a.m.
- at 9:00 a.m.

3. What does he do with his family around 6:30 p.m.?

- They read books together.
- They play games.
- They eat dinner.

4. What do the man and his wife do after the kids go to bed?

- They watch TV.
- They clean the house.
- They listen to music.

5. What is one thing the man does NOT say about his wife?

- She has to take their children to school.
- She helps the kids with their homework.
- She goes shopping for food.

**You have now thirty seconds to read the questions**

**Text 2 : Social Media Web sites**

**Tick the correct answer**

**5 pts**

1. What is the man's name?

- His name is Robert.
- The man's name is Ronald.
- The man goes by Russel.

2. Where was the man born?

- in Texas.
- in California.
- in Canada.

3. What does the man do for a living?

- He works as a teacher.
- He is a store cashier.
- He sells animals.

4. What about the man's family?

- He has two brothers and three dogs.
- He lives with his sisters and mother.
- He has an older brother and younger sister.

5. What is the man's telephone number?

- His number is 789-3050.
- You can reach him at 789-1350.
- You can call him at 789-1315.

**Reading comprehension**

\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 pts

**Read the text below. Then answer the questions.****YOUNG SUPERCHEF: A student's guide to cooking**

After a **thrilling** final last night, the winner of this year's Young Superchef competition has been announced. James Penry, a 19-year-old engineering student, has beaten 120 other contestants to win the title of Young Superchef. Here James tells us about how he first got into cooking.

"My first term at university was fantastic! I met lots of interesting people, I spent a lot of time going to parties and playing football for the university team and I even did a little work, too! But I was so busy with going to lectures (=lessons), parties and sports practice that I didn't bother to cook. I had a couple of snack bars for breakfast, a few slices of bread and some crisps for lunch, followed by a big bar of chocolate, and then I usually had sausage and chips at the college canteen in the evening. I didn't eat any fruit or vegetables. I started to feel tired all the time and my skin and hair looked **awful**. When I went home over the holidays my dad and my sisters were really shocked at my state of health. They spent every day over the next two weeks teaching me how to cook. I've learned that it is possible to cook great food even when you don't have much money. You don't have to buy many expensive ingredients. I get very little food from the supermarket – instead I buy fresh fruit and vegetables from the local market, and I buy pasta, rice, lentils, kidney beans and other things online – you can get them really cheaply if you buy them **in bulk**. I love making stir fries (=émincés) in my wok or cooking some soup or stew. I like spicy food, and a little cumin can make a boring dish taste much better. Very few of my friends can cook as well as me, so I get a lot of visitors to my house at dinner time!

For the competition, I created a traditional British menu. The **starter** was tomato and basil soup, followed by roast chicken with broccoli and roast potatoes. The dessert was a warm dark chocolate pudding with vanilla ice cream."

**A. Write T if the statement is true and F if it is false.****5 pts**

1. The Superchef winner is a professional cook. \_\_\_\_\_
2. He usually ate at the canteen. \_\_\_\_\_
3. His family was afraid for him. \_\_\_\_\_
4. He needs a lot of money to cook. \_\_\_\_\_
5. He often cooks for his friends. \_\_\_\_\_



**B. Answer the questions with complete sentences.**

**5 pts**

1. Why didn't James cook during his first term at university?

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2. Who taught James to cook?

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3. How much fruit did he eat in his first term?

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4. Where does he mostly buy his food from?

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5. How does he improve the taste of a boring dish?

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**Grammar**

**\_\_\_\_\_ / 15 pts**

**A. Vocabulary: here are some words taken from the text "Young Superchef",**

**tick (✓) the synonym of the following words.**

**4 pts**

1. thrilling:  exciting

curious

boring

2. awful:  great

terrible

grey

3. in bulk:  online

in large quantities

in big baskets

4. The starter:  the first lesson of cooking

the first time you cook this dish

the first dish in a meal

**B. Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first one. Use no more than three words. 3 pts**

1. Maria lives a long way from her office.

Maria's office is \_\_\_\_\_ her home.

2. The first shop was so big that we got lost in it.

We got lost in the first shop \_\_\_\_\_ it was so big.

3. Madonna is possibly the most famous woman in the world.

Madonna is possibly \_\_\_\_\_ than any other woman in the world.

4. The flat has two bedrooms.

There \_\_\_\_\_ in the flat.

5. Who does this van belong to ?

Whose \_\_\_\_\_ this ?

6. The library is in front of the station.

The station is \_\_\_\_\_ the library.

**C. Circle the correct answer. 2.5 pts**

1. What did you buy / did you bought at the shop yesterday?

2. It's a nice day today. The sun is shining / shines.

3. I can't come to the cinema with you tomorrow, I'm going to visit / I visit my granny.

4. Emily is a writer. She's writing / She writes books for children.

5. Tom was tired last night, so he went / goes to bed early.

**D. Prepositions: complete the sentences with a suitable preposition when necessary. 2.5 pts**

1. I'll see you \_\_\_\_\_ Tuesday afternoon.

2. Shall we drive \_\_\_\_\_ Scotland or go \_\_\_\_\_ train?

3. When did you arrive \_\_\_\_\_ the station.

4. \_\_\_\_\_ what time does the lesson start?

5. I'm never hungry early \_\_\_\_\_ the morning.

6. Bill was here \_\_\_\_\_ last week.

7. It's late. You'd better go \_\_\_\_\_ home now.

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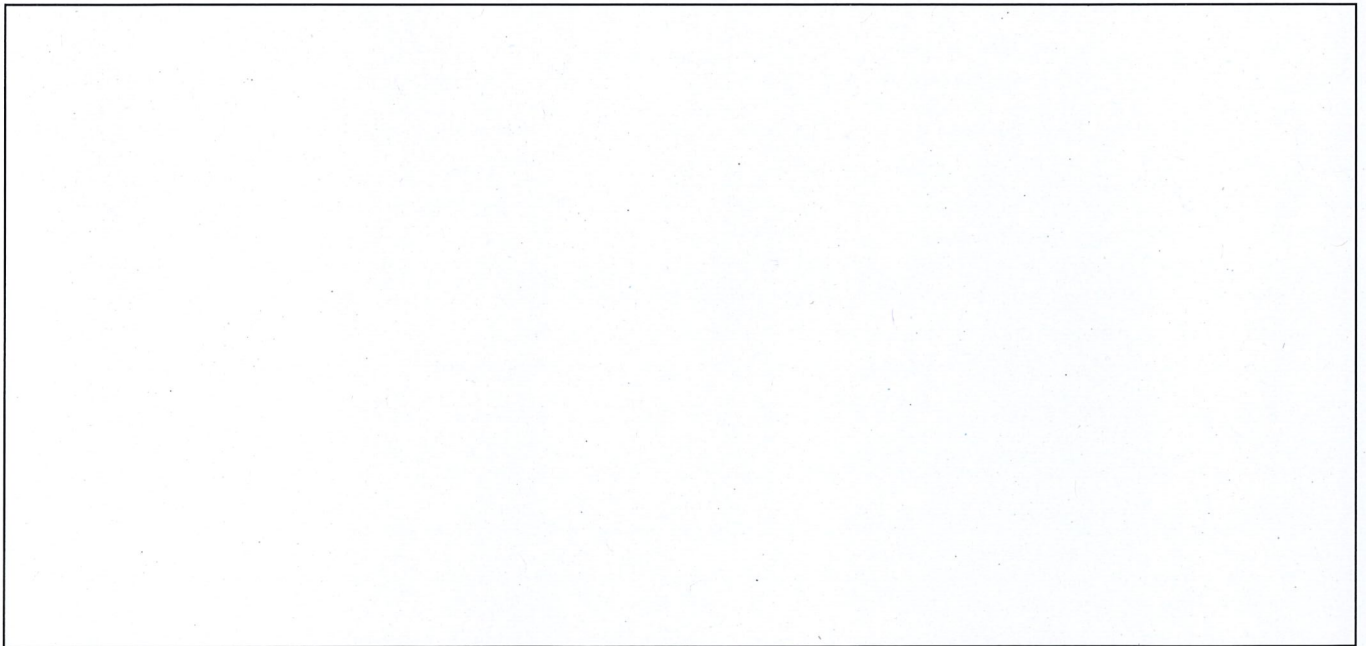
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5. What is one thing the man does NOT say about his wife?
  - She has to take their children to school.
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**Text 2 :**

**Social Media Web sites: 1 point per answer, right or wrong**

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  - His name is Robert.
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  - The man goes by Russel.
  
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**A. Write T if the statement is true and F if it is false****5 pts****1 point per answer, right or wrong**

1. The Superchef winner is a professional cook. **F**
2. He usually ate at the canteen. **T**
3. His family was afraid for him. **T**
4. He needs a lot of money to cook. **F**
5. He often cooks for his friends. **T**

**B. Answer the questions with complete sentences****5 pts****1 point per answer. Do not count the grammar mistakes as long as the answer is understandable. If you must guess the answer, take ½ pt off**

1. Why didn't James cook during his first term at university?

**He was so busy with going to lectures, parties and sports practice.****OR: He didn't have time for cooking.**

2. Who taught James to cook?

**His dad and his sisters taught him to cook. (½ pt for Dad and ½ pt for sisters)**

3. How much fruit did he eat in his first term?

**He ate very little fruit.**

4. Where does he mostly buy his food from?

**He buys his food from the local market.**

5. How does he improve the taste of a boring dish?

**He adds some spice, like cumin to improve his dish.**



**Grammar**

\_\_\_\_ / 15 pts

A. **Vocabulary:** tick (✓) the synonym of the following words taken from the text 4 pts

**1 point per answer, right or wrong**

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|---------------|--|-----------------|--|
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B. Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first one. Use no more than three words 3 pts

**½ point per answer, right or wrong**

- Maria lives a long way from her office.  
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- Madonna is possibly the most famous woman in the world.  
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- The flat has two bedrooms.  
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- Who does this van belong to ?  
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- The library is in front of the station.  
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C. Circle the correct answer

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- What **did you buy** / did you bought at the shop yesterday?
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4. Emily is a writer. She's writing / **She writes** books for children.
5. Tom was tired last night, so he went / goes to bed early.

**D. Fill in the blank with the ONE suitable word****2.5 pts****½ point per answer, right or wrong**

1. I'll see you **on** Tuesday afternoon.
2. Shall we drive **to** Scotland or go **by** train?
3. When did you arrive **at / in** the station.
4. **At / blank** what time does the lesson start?
5. I'm never hungry early **in** the morning.
6. Bill was here \_\_\_\_\_ last week.
7. It's late. You'd better go \_\_\_\_\_ home now.
8. Why are all those papers **on** the floor?
9. Are you interested **in** pop music?

**E. Build sentences with the following words.****3 pts****½ point per answer, right or wrong**

1. Susan / go / to the cinema / usually / once a week / . /  
**Susan usually goes to the cinema once a week.**
2. How much / cost / this car / ? /  
**How much does this car cost?**
3. It / snow / not often / in California / . /  
**It doesn't often snow in California.**
4. Tom and Lena / be not / last Saturday / at the party / . /  
**Tom and Lena weren't at the party last Saturday.**
5. How many letters / you / write / yesterday / ? /  
**How many letters did you write yesterday?**
6. your friends / from / where / be / ? /  
**Where are your friends from?**



**Expression****\_\_\_\_\_ / 15 pts**

Here is part of a letter you received from Dan, your English friend:

“For my next holiday, I want to visit your country with my parents and my 6-year-old sister. Tell me when I should come and what to visit”

**Write a letter to your friend. In your letter you should**

- tell him what season they should come and why
- say what they should visit (2 places minimum) and why you recommend them
- say what you are going to do with your friend when he's in Switzerland

**Write about 100-150 words.**

**CRITERIA GRID**

	<b>5 points</b>	<b>4 points</b>	<b>3 points</b>	<b>2 points</b>	<b>1 point</b>	<b>0 point</b>
<b>Task achievement</b>	Totally respected	Mostly respected	Respected	Partially respected	Barely respected	Not respected
	<b>5 points</b>	<b>4 points</b>	<b>3 points</b>	<b>2 points</b>	<b>1 point</b>	<b>0 point</b>
<b>Communication</b>	Totally appropriate	Mostly appropriate	Appropriate	Only partially appropriate	Barely appropriate	Inappropriate
	<b>5 points</b>	<b>4 points</b>	<b>3 points</b>	<b>2 points</b>	<b>1 point</b>	<b>0 point</b>
<b>Formal aspects</b>	No errors or few errors that don't impair communication	Some errors that may impair communication	Errors that impair communication	A lot of errors that greatly impair communication	The text is barely understandable	The text is incomprehensible

1. **Task achievement:** total respect of the task (required elements are developed in a suitable way)
2. **Communication:** structure of the text (introduction + paragraphs + conclusion), logical order of the elements, links between the sentences, variety of sentence structure and vocabulary, use of new vocabulary and adequacy of communication to the given situation
3. **Formal aspects:** syntax, conjugation, spelling, punctuation, ...



## DAILY SCHEDULE

**Woman:** So, what's your usual day like? You always seem so busy.

**Man:** Well, I usually get up around 5:00 a.m. and work on the computer until 6:00 a.m.

**Woman:** Why do you get up so early?

**Man:** Well, I have to leave home at twenty to seven (6:40 a.m.) so I can **catch** a bus at 7:00 o'clock . It takes me about twenty minutes to walk to the bus stop from my house.

**Woman:** And what time do you get to work?

**Man:** Uh, my bus takes about an hour to get there, but it stops right in front of my office.

**Woman:** That's nice. And what time do you **get off work**?

**Man:** Uh, around 5:00 o'clock. Then, we eat **dinner** around 6:30, and my wife and I read and play with the **kids** until 8:00 or so.

**Woman:** So, when do you work on your website? You said one time that you create it at home?

**Man:** Well, my wife and I often watch TV or talk until 10:00 o'clock. She then often reads while I work on my site, and I sometimes **stay up** until the early hours of the morning, but I try to finish everything by one or two.

**Woman:** And then you get up at 5:00 a.m.?

**Man:** Well, yeah, but it's important to live a balanced life. I enjoy what I do, but you have to **set aside** time for the family and yourself.

**Woman:** I agree.

**Man:** But I think my wife has the **toughest** job. She spends her whole day **taking care of** our family . . . taking the kids to school, working in the garden, buying **groceries**, taking the kids to piano lessons . . . [Wow!] It's a full-time job, but she enjoys what she does.

**Woman:** Well, it sounds like you're a busy, but lucky man.

**Man:** I think so too.

## SOCIAL MEDIA WEBSITES

**Stephanie:** Hi, this is Stephanie. I can't answer the phone right now. I'm away, but feel free to call, leave a message, or text. Alright. Bye.

**Ronald:** Uh, hello, uh yeah. Hi, Stephanie, or Steffi. Uh, I can't do this? Oh yeah. Uh. Yes, Stephanie, my name is Ronald, but my friends call me Ron. My parents call me, well, forget about that. Uh, I'm **originally** from Canada, but I grew in Texas.

I'm 24 years old, and uh, I **graduated** from high school about five years ago, and I'm the manager of an **exotic** pet shop. We **carry** all kinds of birds, and snakes, and spiders, and fish. We even have one snake that is about four meters long, but I keep him at home. And oh, yeah. Um, my **hobbies**. I fish, hunt, and ride horses in my free time. My favorite foods are beef, beef, and beef. I don't eat many vegetables, except potatoes with my beef. And, oh yeah, I sometimes eat apples and beef sometimes.

I have two brothers. Both of them live with me because they don't have jobs, and my mom lives with me, and I have three dogs: Brutus, Charlie, and Samantha. Oh, and one more thing. This might seem **strange**, but I enjoy reading poetry. So, that's about it. I hope to hear from you. You can call me if you want. The number is 789-1350. Yeah, uh, right. Catch later, alligator. Oh, oh, that's so stupid. Uh, oh, Good-bye.