














# The Big Challenge 2024









## Schulstufe 8







1		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Sorry, how much?</li><li>• No, not today, thanks.</li><li>• <b>Thank you. You too.</b></li><li>• It's fine, I can manage.</li></ul>
2		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>It's Rover.</b></li><li>• It's a boy.</li><li>• He's a husky.</li><li>• He's four.</li></ul>
3		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>A</b></li><li>• B</li><li>• C</li><li>• D</li></ul>
4		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 09:30</li><li>• 02:00</li><li>• 07:30</li><li>• <b>11:30</b></li></ul>
5		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A doughnut</li><li>• <b>A bottle of glue</b></li><li>• An armchair</li><li>• A knife</li></ul>
6		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>A</b></li><li>• B</li><li>• C</li><li>• D</li></ul>
7		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A</li><li>• B</li><li>• C</li><li>• <b>D</b></li></ul>





8		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• One coffee and one tea.</li> <li>• Two coffees and a tea, no milk.</li> <li>• Two teas with milk and one coffee.</li> <li>• <b>Two coffees with milk, and a tea.</b></li> </ul>
9		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>There's one in five minutes.</b></li> <li>• We go to the shopping centre.</li> <li>• It's £1.20.</li> <li>• There's lots of room upstairs.</li> </ul>
10		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A</li> <li>• <b>B</b></li> <li>• C</li> <li>• D</li> </ul>
11		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A</li> <li>• B</li> <li>• <b>C</b></li> <li>• D</li> </ul>
12		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>G1smo!</b></li> <li>• J1zm0</li> <li>• Gizmo?</li> <li>• glsNO!</li> </ul>
13		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>The station.</b></li> <li>• The museum.</li> <li>• The school.</li> <li>• The hospital.</li> </ul>
14		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• They're in the cinema.</li> <li>• <b>Turn that off!</b></li> <li>• She's talking on her phone.</li> <li>• I need to hang up, sorry!</li> </ul>





15		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A</li> <li>• B</li> <li>• C</li> <li>• <b>D</b></li> </ul>
16		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A</li> <li>• <b>B</b></li> <li>• C</li> <li>• D</li> </ul>
17		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A</li> <li>• <b>B</b></li> <li>• C</li> <li>• D</li> </ul>
18		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A</b></li> <li>• B</li> <li>• C</li> <li>• D</li> </ul>
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21		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr and Mrs Browns went to their neighbour's party last night.</li> <li>• Mrs Brown called the police because of the noise.</li> <li>• Mrs Brown didn't get any rest.</li> <li>• <b>Their young neighbour's parents will have a shock when they return.</b></li> </ul>

22		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Can you help me?</li> <li>• <b>Can I try?</b></li> <li>• Can I come?</li> <li>• Can you play?</li> </ul>
23		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nervous</li> <li>• Disappointed</li> <li>• Jealous</li> <li>• <b>Impressed</b></li> </ul>
24		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oscar is learning to swim.</li> <li>• <b>Swimming helps Oscar relax.</b></li> <li>• Ellie thinks their school work is enjoyable.</li> <li>• Oscar is training for a swimming competition.</li> </ul>
25		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exhausted after the run.</li> <li>• Embarrassed she didn't win.</li> <li>• <b>Proud that she finished the course.</b></li> <li>• Relieved she wasn't last.</li> </ul>
26		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It's not fair.</li> <li>• I wish you well.</li> <li>• <b>You shouldn't have.</b></li> <li>• I can't stand them.</li> </ul>
27		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• I'll bring it up myself.</li> <li>• <b>Carry on without me.</b></li> <li>• I can get along with anyone.</li> <li>• You can catch up with me.</li> </ul>







28		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mark is not very interesting.</li> <li>• <b>Mark can be dishonest.</b></li> <li>• Mark often says cruel things.</li> <li>• Mark's information is always out of date.</li> </ul>
29		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• pour</li> <li>• <b>power</b></li> <li>• poor</li> <li>• pound</li> </ul>
30		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• lemon</li> <li>• ketchup</li> <li>• reduce</li> <li>• <b>tennis</b></li> </ul>
31		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• this guy is great</li> <li>• no evening rain</li> <li>• the snow storm</li> <li>• <b>but there's no</b></li> </ul>
32		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>New Zealand</b></li> <li>• Great Britain</li> <li>• The Republic of Ireland</li> <li>• South Africa</li> </ul>
33		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uluru (or Ayers Rock)</li> <li>• <b>The Great Barrier Reef</b></li> <li>• Tasmania</li> <li>• Sydney Harbour</li> </ul>
34	<p>Pablo Picasso was a Spanish artist ..... paintings are known all over the world.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• who</li> <li>• that</li> <li>• <b>whose</b></li> <li>• which</li> </ul>
35	<p>My brother is ..... me at tennis.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• not good enough</li> <li>• no good</li> <li>• not too good</li> <li>• <b>not as good as</b></li> </ul>

36	..... to the new shopping centre in town yet?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Did you visit</li> <li>• Will you go</li> <li>• <b>Have you been</b></li> <li>• Are you seeing</li> </ul>
37	I'm ..... at the barber's tomorrow.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• cutting my hair</li> <li>• getting cut my hair</li> <li>• <b>getting my hair cut</b></li> <li>• going to cut my hair</li> </ul>
38	I wish my parents ..... me go to the concert but they've said no.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>would let</b></li> <li>• would have let</li> <li>• will let</li> <li>• are letting</li> </ul>
39	We know that the information ..... by someone in the company but we don't know whom.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• is giving</li> <li>• didn't arrive</li> <li>• <b>was leaked</b></li> <li>• escaped</li> </ul>
40	Sophia Dixon .....		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• is a journalist who writes for this magazine</li> <li>• works in the tech industry</li> <li>• studies computer games</li> <li>• <b>is someone who reads this online magazine</b></li> </ul>
41	How did Sophia get her game console?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• She bought it with her own money.</li> <li>• She won it in a competition.</li> <li>• <b>Her parents bought it for her.</b></li> <li>• A friend gave it to her.</li> </ul>

42	Sophia was a little unhappy because .....		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• there were fewer games for the new console than she previously thought</li> <li>• <b>some games that she used to play no longer work with the new console</b></li> <li>• the chat function was complicated to operate on the new console</li> <li>• certain games were a bit boring despite being very expensive</li> </ul>
43	Find the sentence that matches the information in the text.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>You can send video game reviews directly to the magazine.</b></li> <li>• Other companies make game consoles of similar quality.</li> <li>• Older people are likely to find the GameHub 3 difficult to use.</li> <li>• You can find cheap games in some high street shops.</li> </ul>
44	This post is mainly about a ..... festival.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>music</b></li> <li>• food</li> <li>• art</li> <li>• film</li> </ul>
45	We know that Louis .....		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• spent the weekend at a festival</li> <li>• <b>had a new experience yesterday</b></li> <li>• slept in a tent on Saturday</li> <li>• and his friends went camping</li> </ul>

46	Louis says that .....		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Calista Miles was his favourite performer of the festival</li> <li>• he didn't expect to enjoy Calista Miles and he was right</li> <li>• Calista Miles was entertaining but had a weak voice</li> <li>• <b>he sang a song that he doesn't usually like</b></li> </ul>
47	Find the sentence that is true.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A rapper who performed on Saturday has got a new fan.</b></li> <li>• Louis downloaded 'My Heart and You' this morning.</li> <li>• The only bad thing about Tuned In Festival was the cost of the food.</li> <li>• Louis had to wait a long time to charge his phone.</li> </ul>
48	Find the sentence that ISN'T true.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Despite a couple of issues, Louis is already planning his next visit.</li> <li>• Louis didn't have his own mobile phone charger with him.</li> <li>• When Louis is older, his parents will let him camp at the festival.</li> <li>• <b>The toilets were clean until the end of the day.</b></li> </ul>
49	In 2022, the United Kingdom had three prime ministers. Their names were Rishi Sunak, Liz Truss and .....		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• David Cameron</li> <li>• Tony Blair</li> <li>• Theresa May</li> <li>• <b>Boris Johnson</b></li> </ul>



50	In the United States, ..... is on the fourth Thursday in ..... .		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Halloween ..... October</li> <li>• Independence Day ..... July</li> <li>• <b>Thanksgiving ..... November</b></li> <li>• Easter ..... April</li> </ul>
51	One third of the buildings in London were destroyed in 1666 by ..... .		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the Blitz</li> <li>• the English Civil War</li> <li>• the Great Plague of London</li> <li>• <b>the Great Fire of London</b></li> </ul>
52	Complete the word: “It was nice to finally read some up..... news after all the depressing stories we've had recently.”		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• turning</li> <li>• rising</li> <li>• taking</li> <li>• <b>lifting</b></li> </ul>
53	“To let the ..... out of the bag” means to reveal a secret.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>cat</b></li> <li>• snake</li> <li>• rat</li> <li>• spider</li> </ul>
54	The woman ..... gave a million dollars to charity.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• who are really rich</li> <li>• , which was very wealthy,</li> <li>• asked the celebrities to</li> <li>• <b>that won the lottery</b></li> </ul>
55	Black pudding and hash brown are sometimes served with ..... .		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>an English breakfast</b></li> <li>• Christmas dinner in Britain</li> <li>• Thanksgiving dinner in the US</li> <li>• afternoon tea in England</li> </ul>