











# Papierversion Marathon 2020

## Klasse 9

1		<p>In the photo, a boy and his father are ..... about something.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• hurrying</li> <li>• pointing</li> <li>• <b>arguing</b></li> <li>• enjoying</li> </ul>
2		<p>The boy is saying, "....., please, Dad!"</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Give it back</b></li> <li>• Put it away</li> <li>• Hold it for me</li> <li>• Don't stop</li> </ul>
3		<p>Find the sentence that corresponds to the situation.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The man has just hidden his son's gamepad.</li> <li>• <b>The boy was playing a video game instead of studying.</b></li> <li>• The man wants his son to play a game.</li> <li>• The boy was trying to work when his father sat next to him.</li> </ul>
4	<p>Even ..... I read the question several times, I couldn't understand it.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• that</li> <li>• since</li> <li>• <b>though</b></li> <li>• because</li> </ul>
5	<p>She wanted to win the contest, so she was very ..... when she didn't.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>disappointed</b></li> <li>• enthusiastic</li> <li>• grateful</li> <li>• glad</li> </ul>
6	<p>Why did Dad ..... off his beard? Everyone liked it.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• brush</li> <li>• <b>shave</b></li> <li>• burn</li> <li>• glue</li> </ul>




7	The first ..... that the teachers discussed at the meeting was violence in the school.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• cage</li> <li>• <b>issue</b></li> <li>• suitcase</li> <li>• material</li> </ul>
8	The pigeon walked into the road and was killed when a car .....		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• came into it</li> <li>• drove through it</li> <li>• <b>ran over it</b></li> <li>• put it down</li> </ul>
9		Ron has posted this message because he .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>wants to go back to an Escape Room with some friends</b></li> <li>• has heard about a new Escape Room and wants to try it</li> <li>• wants to know more about Escape Rooms</li> <li>• is part of a group that is going to an Escape Room today</li> </ul>
10		In order to get out of an Escape Room, you	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• have to look everywhere in the room for the key</li> <li>• <b>are given things to do which lead you to the key</b></li> <li>• put the pieces of a key together and open the door</li> <li>• must lock the door in less than an hour</li> </ul>


11		<p>Jeff's group had to .....</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• look for a missing millionaire</li> <li>• find what was missing from a bedroom</li> <li>• discover who committed a robbery</li> <li>• <b>find who was responsible for a crime</b></li> </ul>
12		<p>Find the information that is NOT in Ron's post.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ron enjoyed himself so much that he wants to go back.</li> <li>• Jeff and his friends only just got out of their room in time.</li> <li>• <b>You have to stay in an Escape Room until you've found the key.</b></li> <li>• It's been a long time since Ron had such a good time.</li> </ul>
13	<p>You won't be able to get in unless you ..... this badge.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• will wear</li> <li>• <b>are wearing</b></li> <li>• must wear</li> <li>• wore</li> </ul>
14	<p>Ken didn't know ..... to school because the buses and trains were on strike.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>how he was going to get</b></li> <li>• when he went</li> <li>• if he can get to</li> <li>• if he has been able to go</li> </ul>
15	<p>I'm sure there'd be less pollution if everyone ..... electric cars.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• would have</li> <li>• has driven</li> <li>• buys</li> <li>• <b>drove</b></li> </ul>

16	It's your own fault if you feel tired this morning. You ..... to bed so late last night.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• would have to stay</li> <li>• ought to go</li> <li>• <b>shouldn't have gone</b></li> <li>• have gone</li> </ul>
17	For the last two months, she ..... the songs for her new album and she still has one left to write.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• is writing</li> <li>• <b>has been writing</b></li> <li>• was writing</li> <li>• has written</li> </ul>
18		In this supermarket, there is a large ..... of fresh vegetables.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• case</li> <li>• <b>choice</b></li> <li>• scale</li> <li>• corner</li> </ul>
19		It is appropriate to describe the woman in the picture as physically .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• reduced</li> <li>• <b>disabled</b></li> <li>• damaged</li> <li>• defective</li> </ul>
20		They are trying to ..... about which pepper to buy.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• select the best</li> <li>• decide themselves</li> <li>• put off a decision</li> <li>• <b>make up their minds</b></li> </ul>
21		Find the list containing one word that is not associated with what you can see in a supermarket.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>check-out, display, cattle</b></li> <li>• shelf, tin, loaf</li> <li>• basket, label, jar</li> <li>• trolley, cashier, pack</li> </ul>
22	Miami, the Everglades and Walt Disney World in Orlando are in .....		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• California</li> <li>• <b>Florida</b></li> <li>• Texas</li> <li>• New York</li> </ul>

23	St Patrick is the patron saint of .....		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scotland</li> <li>• Wales</li> <li>• <b>Ireland</b></li> <li>• England</li> </ul>
24	..... was born in England in 1890 and wrote plays and novels.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• William Shakespeare</li> <li>• <b>Agatha Christie</b></li> <li>• Ernest Hemingway</li> <li>• J. K. Rowling</li> </ul>
25	The ..... were the key leaders who united 13 British colonies in America in their fight for independence in the late 18th century.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Founding Fathers</b></li> <li>• Pilgrim Fathers</li> <li>• Native Americans</li> <li>• Founders of Liberty</li> </ul>
26	Which expression can you use to say goodbye to someone?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>“Take care.”</b></li> <li>• “Keep going.”</li> <li>• “Get well.”</li> <li>• “Good job.”</li> </ul>
27	Peter says to Kate: “Guess what I found in the street – a diamond ring!” Kate answers: “Are you having me on?” What does she mean?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>“Are you joking?”</b></li> <li>• “Are you trying to impress me?”</li> <li>• “Do you mean it's for me?”</li> <li>• “Are you going to show it to me?”</li> </ul>
28	A girl says, “Bob told me that Sue made it all up. I suppose she just wanted his sympathy.” What did Sue do?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• She wore a lot of make-up because she thought Bob would like it.</li> <li>• She felt sorry for Bob so she forgot their differences.</li> <li>• She finally decided to go out with Bob again.</li> <li>• <b>She told Bob a lot of lies in order to get his attention.</b></li> </ul>

29	A man says, "Short at the back, please, but leave it long on top." Who is he talking to?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A tailor.</li> <li>• <b>A hairdresser.</b></li> <li>• A chef.</li> <li>• A cleaner.</li> </ul>
30	"Where's my jacket?" Caroline asks Harry. Harry has absolutely no idea where it is. What can he say?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• "It's up in the air."</li> <li>• <b>"I haven't a clue."</b></li> <li>• "It's all Greek to me."</li> <li>• "I can't make it out."</li> </ul>
31	Maria says to Paul: "You're angry because your Mum won't let you go to the concert, but don't take it out on me." She means that ..... .		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Paul shouldn't talk to her about his problems</li> <li>• it's not a good idea for her to go out with Paul</li> <li>• she isn't going to try and change his mother's mind</li> <li>• <b>Paul has no reason to be angry with her</b></li> </ul>
32	Complete the list: most, toast, host, ..... .		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• frost</li> <li>• lost</li> <li>• <b>ghost</b></li> <li>• crossed</li> </ul>
33	"Blew" doesn't rhyme with "....."		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• crew</li> <li>• shoe</li> <li>• <b>sew</b></li> <li>• true</li> </ul>
34	"Desperation" = o o O o. "Astronomer" = .....		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• O o o o</li> <li>• <b>o O o o</b></li> <li>• o o O o</li> <li>• o o o O</li> </ul>

<p>35</p>		<p>Mrs Hathaway .....</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>doesn't look very welcoming</b></li> <li>• has a friendly expression</li> <li>• lives next door to Lisa and Sam</li> <li>• lives centrally in a small town</li> </ul>
<p>36</p>		<p>Lisa and Sam knocked at Mrs Hathaway's door because they .....</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• have been looking for a nice place to stay</li> <li>• know that the cottage isn't expensive</li> <li>• <b>like the cottage and noticed it was for sale</b></li> <li>• hope they can sell her a cottage</li> </ul>
<p>37</p>		<p>One of the reasons why the cottage hasn't been sold yet is .....</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• because the local estate agents haven't tried to sell it</li> <li>• that it's far too expensive for a house of that size</li> <li>• that people don't want such a huge old house</li> <li>• <b>that, despite being reasonably priced, it's too isolated</b></li> </ul>

38		Find the true sentence.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lisa mentions that the price won't affect their decision.</li> <li>• Sam stops Lisa from entering the cottage because she has gone pale.</li> <li>• Mrs Hathaway won't bring down the price any further.</li> <li>• <b>Lisa has second thoughts about visiting the cottage.</b></li> </ul>
39	The police asked me if I remembered ..... a black jacket just before the bomb went off.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>seeing anyone wearing</b></li> <li>• to have seen someone wearing</li> <li>• the terrorist to have worn</li> <li>• to see a person wearing</li> </ul>
40	The fortune-teller believes that, by 2021, her predictions ..... true.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• will be seen so</li> <li>• <b>will have come</b></li> <li>• would become absolutely</li> <li>• prove they have been</li> </ul>
41	Don't laugh at my little brother for collecting insects. .... you ..... that when you were his age?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Didn't ... ever use to do</b></li> <li>• Weren't ... used to do</li> <li>• Would have ... never done</li> <li>• Did ... used to doing</li> </ul>



42	In the US, the phrases “over easy” or “sunny side up” refer to .....		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• being optimistic</li> <li>• singing</li> <li>• sunbathing</li> <li>• <b>frying eggs</b></li> </ul>
43	Which of the following cannot complete this sentence? “He suggested ..... to the cinema.”		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• our going</li> <li>• we go</li> <li>• we should go</li> <li>• <b>us to go</b></li> </ul>
44	Complete the proverb: “Many hands make ..... work”.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>light</b></li> <li>• the devil</li> <li>• more</li> <li>• wise</li> </ul>
45	Find the two missing words: dawn/sunset, lose/find, deserted/inhabited, lower/....., enthusiastic/.....		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>raise ... reluctant</b></li> <li>• increase ... willing</li> <li>• higher ... eager</li> <li>• descend ... hesitant</li> </ul>