

Examen VWO

2013

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dinsdag 18 juni
13.30 - 16.00 uur

Engels

Bij dit examen hoort een bijlage.

Dit examen bestaat uit 41 vragen.

Voor dit examen zijn maximaal 48 punten te behalen.

Voor elk vraagnummer staat hoeveel punten met een goed antwoord behaald kunnen worden.

Geef niet meer antwoorden (zinnen, redenen, voorbeelden e.d.) dan er worden gevraagd. Als er bijvoorbeeld één zin wordt gevraagd en je antwoordt met meer dan één zin, dan wordt alleen de eerste zin in de beoordeling meegeteld.

Let op: beantwoord een open vraag altijd in het Nederlands, behalve als het anders is aangegeven. Als je in het Engels antwoordt, levert dat 0 punten op.

Tekst 1 Sh-ambleside!

- 1p 1 Which of the following quotes contains sarcasm on the part of the writer of the article?
- A “The new university had one shining gem” (lines 9-10)
 - B “the axe was sharpened” (lines 24-25)
 - C “there was only one choice” (lines 25-26)
 - D “The board of governors will consider proposals for a two-year mothballing” (lines 28-30)

Tekst 2 Living solar cells power sun-loving hornet

Volgens de tekst slaat de oosterse horzel zonne-energie op in het gele deel van zijn opperhuid.

- 1p 2 Leg uit waarom de oosterse horzel juist het gele deel hiervoor gebruikt.

Tekst 3 Model behaviour

Hieronder staan negen uitspraken. Bij elk van de commentaren uit de tekst “Model Behaviour” hoort één uitspraak.

Kies voor het beantwoorden van vraag 3 tot en met 7 steeds één van de onderstaande uitspraken. Let op: een uitspraak mag maar één keer gebruikt worden.

- 1 All successful migrants should make it their duty to help other migrants who are eager to integrate.
- 2 Becoming a valuable citizen is a process in which every migrant should be engaged.
- 3 Migrants who work in hospitals or residential care should be rewarded for their contribution with full citizenship.
- 4 The proposal with regard to citizenship adds to the difficulties faced by migrants who are willing to integrate.
- 5 The economic benefits of migration should be used to help solve problems that migration may cause.
- 6 The full cost of immigration will become clear when racial discrimination leads to social disintegration.
- 7 The proposal with regard to citizenship appears to be based on a view of migrants as second-rate citizens.
- 8 The state should provide for sufficient facilities for migrants to learn English.
- 9 The vitality of a society should be measured by the number of integrated migrants.

- 1p 3 Welke van de voorafgaande uitspraken is in overeenstemming met de inhoud van tekst A?
Noteer het cijfer van de juiste uitspraak.
- 1p 4 Welke van de voorafgaande uitspraken is in overeenstemming met de inhoud van tekst B?
Noteer het cijfer van de juiste uitspraak.
- 1p 5 Welke van de voorafgaande uitspraken is in overeenstemming met de inhoud van tekst C?
Noteer het cijfer van de juiste uitspraak.
- 1p 6 Welke van de voorafgaande uitspraken is in overeenstemming met de inhoud van tekst D?
Noteer het cijfer van de juiste uitspraak.
- 1p 7 Welke van de voorafgaande uitspraken is in overeenstemming met de inhoud van tekst E?
Noteer het cijfer van de juiste uitspraak.

Tekst 4 If only they could talk

- 1p 8 What is the main point made in paragraph 1?
- A Animal welfare is considered important only insofar as it effects productivity and profit.
 - B Modern farming techniques have led to a steady increase in the numbers of unhealthy animals.
 - C Over the years the number of laboratory tests on animals has increased tremendously.
 - D The economic principles of agribusiness contribute to a decline in human health.
 - E There is no denying that the exploitation of animals for human benefit has increased.

- 3p **9** Geef van elk van de volgende beweringen aan of deze wel of niet overeenkomt met de inhoud van alinea 2.
- 1 Food should not necessarily be expected to come cheap.
 - 2 Modern farming techniques have led to a steady increase in the amount of pain inflicted on animals.
 - 3 Disgust at cruelty to animals keeps people from consuming cheap food.
 - 4 Research projects involving animals degrade man's dignity.
 - 5 The decrease in the number and variety of species has an adverse effect on the environment.
 - 6 The author of the book proposes that animals should be granted certain legal rights.
- Noteer het nummer van elke bewering gevolgd door "wel" of "niet".
- 1p **10** Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 3?
- A clearly illustrates
 - B only obscures
 - C paves the way to
 - D renders irrational
- 1p **11** Which of the following is/are in agreement with what is stated in paragraph 4?
- 1 Wise considers the idea of man at the top of the natural hierarchy controversial.
 - 2 Wise extends the view on human rights as evolved in the course of history to animals.
- A Only 1.
 - B Only 2.
 - C Both 1 and 2.
 - D Neither 1 nor 2.
- 1p **12** Which of the following fits the gap at the beginning of paragraph 5?
- A A safe assumption
 - B A serious complication
 - C The anthropocentric angle
 - D The scientific argument
- 1p **13** Op welke mening heeft "this prejudice" (alinea 6) betrekking?
- 1p **14** Why does the writer mention Terrence Deacon (paragraph 7)?
- A To illustrate the range of Wise's scientific research.
 - B To lend support to Wise's line of reasoning.
 - C To point to the political incorrectness of Wise's views.
 - D To show the disputability of Wise's argumentation.

“he does ... of personhood” (halfway paragraph 8)

- 1p 15 What is Appleyard’s underlying assumption?
Chimpansees and other smart animals
- A are unable to profit from personhood status.
 - B differ too much from human beings.
 - C would not live up to human expectations.

“Wise also undermines his position” (beginning of paragraph 9)

- 1p 16 How?
- A By not restricting his reasoning to the animals highest in intelligence.
 - B By using an argument on which there is no scientific consensus.
 - C By using evidence that disproves as much as it proves his position.

The original text consists of 10 paragraphs. The last paragraph has been left out.

- 1p 17 Which of the following is the last paragraph of this text?
- A *Rattling the Cage* explains how the failure to recognize the basic legal rights of chimpanzees and bonobos in light of modern scientific findings creates a glaring contradiction in our law. In this witty, moving, persuasive, and impeccably researched argument, Wise demonstrates that the cognitive, emotional, and social capacities of these apes entitle them to freedom from imprisonment and abuse.
 - B *Rattling the Cage* is a must-read for anyone who has an interest in justice, human and nonhuman animal psychology, jurisprudence, or simply cares about animals. This book intellectualizes what many know in their heart: that the way the law treats nonhuman animals is illogical, anachronistic (not to mention shameful), and ripe for change. Moreover, it does so in an articulate, humorous, and extremely readable way.
 - C Wise is an American lawyer, however, and this is an American lawyer’s book, full of the energetic swagger of an eloquent defence attorney. As such, it is an immensely valuable statement of a case that can now reasonably be made. That case does not, for these and many other reasons, stand. But the message, that we owe a much larger duty of care to animals than we are currently prepared to accept, is beyond all argument, legal or scientific. It is a matter of compassion.

Tekst 5 There are better ways to help poor students

- 1p 18 Which of the following is in accordance with paragraphs 1 and 2?
Lord Mandelson wants universities to
- A adjust standard admission requirements for poorer pupils.
 - B facilitate higher education for pupils who have not been taught proper academic skills.
 - C offer better education programmes to pupils from schools with low performance levels.
 - D submit poorer pupils to additional university entrance examinations.
- 1p 19 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 3?
- A As a result
 - B Meanwhile
 - C Paradoxically
 - D Similarly
- “There are many reasons for this, most notably the fact that ... in recent years.” (alinea 3)
- 3p 20 Welke drie andere redenen worden in alinea 4 genoemd?
- 1p 21 Which of the following is proposed in paragraph 6 with regard to “children from poor backgrounds”?
- A Their admittance to university should depend on a variety of assessment tools.
 - B They should be enabled to change to independent or good state schools.
 - C Universities should get funding to offer places to poor students even with below average performance.
- 1p 22 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 7?
- A advocates making university admission for poorer pupils more complex
 - B seeks to increase the financial strain on poorer pupils’ parents
 - C wants a lowering of university standards

Tekst 6 Organic food is just a tax on the gullible

- 1p 23 “he has had an encouragingly uncomfortable week” (alinea 2)
Leg uit waarom de auteur van het artikel het woord “encouragingly” gebruikt.

- 1p **24** Which of the following is/are true with regard to paragraphs 2-4?
In these paragraphs Dominic Lawson
- 1 illustrates the amount of antipathy to the subject of organic food.
 - 2 makes clear that Dangour's conclusions are supported by Goldacre.
- A** Only 1.
B Only 2.
C Both 1 and 2.
D Neither 1 nor 2.
- 1p **25** Which of the following characterises paragraph 5?
- A** It defines Dominic Lawson's stand on the organic movement.
B It elaborates on the reactions evoked by Goldacre's column.
C It points out the dangers involved in tampering with nature.
- 3p **26** Geef van elk van de volgende stellingen aan of deze wel of niet overeenkomt met de inhoud van alinea 6.
- 1 Alan Dangour's findings support the point of view taken by some proponents of organic products.
 - 2 Both the Soil Association and Canadian Organic Growers discredit a truly scientific approach.
 - 3 Organic food producers need to lower prices and improve their marketing strategies.
 - 4 Organic food producers thrive on the consumers' blind faith.
 - 5 Responsible mothers accept the high prices of organic food.
- Noteer het nummer van elke stelling, gevolgd door "wel" of "niet".
- 1p **27** Which of the following fits the gap at the beginning of paragraph 8?
- A** And there is no end to it
B Consider the downside
C Suppose there is no alternative
D Think about it from the other end
- 1p **28** Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 10?
- A** benefits to
B guarantees to
C shock for
D threat to
- 2p **29** Geef van elk van de volgende beweringen aan of deze wel of niet overeenkomt met de inhoud van de alinea's 11 en 12.
- 1 Developments in farming have contributed to adaption in people's diets.
 - 2 Modern agriculture may have played a role in the decrease in cancer.
 - 3 The industrial production of food has caused a rise in the consumption of unhealthy food.
 - 4 Modern farming has heightened the awareness of the role of diet in the prevention of cancer.
- Noteer het nummer van elke bewering, gevolgd door "wel" of "niet".

- 1p 30 What is meant by “the organic balloon bursting” in paragraph 13?
- A The food price explosion during the last few decades.
 - B The myth that organic food is healthier than regular food.
 - C The protests referred to in paragraph 2.
 - D The rapid expansion of the organic movement.
- 1p 31 Which of the following quotations contains sarcasm on the part of the writer?
- A “His linking of the organic movement with homeopathy is telling.” (paragraph 5)
 - B “Such gullibility can have dangerous effects on your health” (paragraph 7)
 - C “I realise that publicising Professor Trewavas’s paper might itself cause medical problems, as Soil Association executives choke with rage.” (paragraph 10)
 - D “A high-fat diet is as bad for you when the food has an “organic” sticker on it as when it doesn’t.” (paragraph 12)

Tekst 7 On the road to nowhere

- 1p 32 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 2?
- A more frightened and more aggressive
 - B more stupid and more powerful
 - C more vulnerable and more fearsome
- 1p 33 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 3?
- A But then
 - B Consequently
 - C Even so
 - D For this reason
- 1p 34 Which of the following is in line with paragraph 4?
- A Vanderbilt emphasises the inefficiency of rules and regulations.
 - B Vanderbilt paints a picture of man’s dilemmas that extend beyond his problems in traffic.
 - C Vanderbilt questions the negative impact of conflicting regulations on people’s behaviour.
 - D Vanderbilt underestimates man’s ability to assess complex situations.

- 1p **35** Welke twee van de onderstaande beweringen komen overeen met de inhoud van de alinea's 5 en 6?
- 1 Fast moving traffic restricts communication with other motorists.
 - 2 People consider all time spent on the road a necessary evil.
 - 3 Motorists underestimate the difficulty of getting signals across to other road users.
 - 4 The prevention of accidents requires a certain amount of social interaction.
 - 5 People become furious when other drivers' behaviour puts their safety at risk.
 - 6 Drivers' instinct says that their own safety comes before other people's safety.
- Noteer de twee nummers.

- 1p **36** Which of the following is made clear in paragraph 7?
- A Drivers are apt to ignore speed limits when there is not much traffic.
 - B Drivers tend to be overconfident of their abilities.
 - C Fast drivers are more likely to get injured in traffic accidents than slow drivers.
 - D The possibility of being fined does not deter fast drivers.

- 1p **37** Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 8?
- A afraid of
 - B attentive to
 - C complacent about

- 1p **38** Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 9?
- A adjusts to
 - B conforms to
 - C imitates
 - D interferes with

Let op: de laatste vragen van dit examen staan op de volgende pagina.

Tekst 8 The puzzles of energy pricing

“The puzzles of energy pricing” (heading)

- 1p 39 Which of the following would contribute to solving these puzzles, according to David Leonhardt?
- 1 a cap-and-trade system
 - 2 carbon tax
 - 3 government funding
- A Only 1.
B Only 2.
C Only 3.
D Only 1 and 2.
E Only 2 and 3.
F 1, 2 and 3.

Tekst 9 Jittery crickets

- 1p 40 Which of the following hypotheses did Jonathan Storm hope to verify, judging from text 9?
- A A fear of spiders makes female crickets more protective of their offspring.
B Experience with spiders causes female crickets to instil a fear of spiders into their young.
C Young crickets are more alert to spiders when their mothers give off warning signals.
D Young crickets' behaviour indicates that they are aware of spiders in the vicinity.

Tekst 10 Terms and Conditions of Sale

Een klant heeft vanuit Nederland in de VS het product Alyxir besteld bij BioHealth Corporation. Dit product blijkt door de Nederlandse douane geweigerd en daarna teruggestuurd te zijn.

- 1p 41 In welk geval heeft deze klant volgens de verkoopvoorwaarden recht op enige vergoeding van de gemaakte kosten?
- A Wanneer aantoonbaar is dat tevoren alle kosten, inclusief transportkosten, zijn betaald.
B Wanneer de douane ten onrechte heeft geweigerd het product toe te laten.
C Wanneer de prijs van het product hoger is dan de transportkosten.
D Wanneer een verzekering voor gegarandeerde aflevering is afgesloten.

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