

Examen VWO  
**2017**

tijdvak 1  
vrijdag 12 mei  
13.30 - 16.00 uur

**Engels**

Bij dit examen horen een bijlage en een antwoordblad.

Beantwoord alle vragen op het antwoordblad.

Achter het correctievoorschrift zijn twee aanvullingen op het correctievoorschrift opgenomen.

Dit examen bestaat uit 42 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 Balanced argument

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- 1p 1 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 1?
- A both leftist goals
  - B economic indicators
  - C essentially interchangeable
  - D hidden motives
  - E mutually exclusive

## Tekst 2 Spotting musical talent

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- 1p 2 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 3?
- A Accordingly
  - B For example
  - C In contrast
  - D In other words
  - E To be fair

Verschillende factoren zorgen er volgens de tekst voor dat sterren **niet** ontdekt worden.

- 3p 3 Noteer drie van deze factoren achter elk nummer op het antwoordblad.

## Tekst 3 The race docket

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- 1p 4 Which of the following becomes clear from paragraph 1?
- A Brazilian politicians who distinguish between races have been taken to court.
  - B Brazil's multicultural society disfavours making distinctions based on race.
  - C Differentiation between races undermines the economic position of minorities in Brazil.
  - D Positive discrimination has a negative impact on Brazil's mixed society.
- 1p 5 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 3?
- A alternatively,
  - B but
  - C instead,

- 1p 6 Which of the following is true according to paragraphs 5 and 6?
- A A racially diverse environment enhances the quality of the learning process.
  - B At Brazilian universities positive discrimination measures are taken to attract the most gifted students.
  - C Many Brazilian academic admission centres wish to increase ethnic diversity among their students.
  - D The sentence imposed by the Supreme Court will make it harder to apply positive discrimination in Brazil.
  - E Universities in Brazil argue about implementing positive discrimination measures.

“the practicalities” (paragraph 7)

- 1p 7 Which of the following refers to such a practicality?
- A “One survey listed 136 sample skin colours.” (paragraph 2)
  - B “Although Brazil’s races are not separate, they are not equal either.” (first sentence paragraph 3)
  - C “such policies conflict with Brazil’s tradition of legal race-blindness” (first sentence paragraph 4)
  - D “The aid is tied to the share of blacks and others” (paragraph 5)
- 1p 8 Which of the following was the original subtitle of “The race docket”?
- A America in favour of Brazil’s step towards equality
  - B Discrimination against blacks to be forbidden by Brazilian law
  - C Should Brazil use discrimination against deprivation?
  - D Why would Brazil take legal steps which hamper racial harmony?

## Tekst 4 Clinical trials on trial

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- 1p 9 What is the main function of the Tuskegee example?
- A to illustrate that medical experiments on humans used to be more brutal than they are now
  - B to indicate that evil deeds are sometimes necessary to achieve something good
  - C to point out that conducting medical trials on unconsenting subjects continued after WWII
  - D to reveal the infamous origin of clinical trials in the United States
  - E to suggest that vulnerable groups of patients should be given special treatment

- 1p 10 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 4?  
A Because  
B But  
C Even  
D Only  
E Whereas
- 1p 11 Which of the following conclusions is in line with the “2005 Bloomberg Markets report” (paragraph 6)?  
A Clinical research has shifted its preferred method from demand-oriented to supply-oriented.  
B In twenty years’ time human testing has developed into the preferred method of conducting clinical research.  
C Past clinical trials proved that weaker members of society are particularly suitable test subjects.  
D Recruiting a sufficient number of participants for clinical trials is becoming increasingly difficult.
- 1p 12 Which of the following is a finding of the 2009 study published in *The New England Journal of Medicine* (paragraph 8)?  
1 The American pharmaceutical industry increasingly outsources its medical tests across borders.  
2 The Third World is in greater need of appropriate regulatory authorities than the US.  
A only 1  
B only 2  
C both 1 and 2  
D neither 1 nor 2
- 1p 13 What becomes clear from paragraph 10?  
The writer is concerned that  
A prisoners may fall victim to the medical industry as soon as new rules come into effect.  
B prisoners will be granted more leave to meet the increasing demand for thorough medical research.  
C scientists will be working with a test population consisting solely of prisoners.  
D scientists will manipulate prisoners into accepting money in exchange for participation in clinical trials.
- 1p 14 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 12?  
A As a result  
B Likewise  
C Nevertheless  
D Rather

## Tekst 5 Britain's Brussels Syndrome

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- 1p 15 Which of the following about *The Daily Mail* is in line with paragraphs 1 and 2?
- A It has lost its impartiality and accuracy.
  - B It no longer publishes articles on Britain's political role in the EU.
  - C It successfully targets readers of the lower classes.
  - D It thrives on nostalgia and shallowness.
- 1p 16 What is the main idea discussed in paragraph 3?
- A the disproportionate British preoccupation with European interference
  - B the populist sentiment that is becoming mainstream in British politics
  - C the sickening influence of the European Union on life in Britain
  - D *The Sun* and *The Daily Mail* spreading communist-type propaganda
- 1p 17 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 4?
- A Consequently
  - B Incomprehensibly
  - C Nevertheless
  - D True
  - E Ultimately
- 1p 18 Which of the following applies to Britain, according to paragraphs 4 and 5?
- A It opposes financial programmes designed to help the economically weaker member states.
  - B It rejects a strategy of doing justice to both euro-zone and non-euro-zone countries.
  - C It resists a centralised Europe that frustrates the national policies of individual members.
  - D It threatens to leave the European Union if forced to replace its own currency.
- 1p 19 What is the author's intention in paragraphs 6 and 7?
- A to challenge the idea of further integration of Britain in a single European state
  - B to demonstrate that innovative ideas are smothered by red tape and bureaucracy
  - C to expose a former fellow student as a reporter fuelling anti-EU sentiments
  - D to substantiate his view that *The Daily Mail* is exaggerating the role of the EU
- 1p 20 Citeer een zin uit alinea 8 of 9 die beschouwd kan worden als de kern van deze twee alinea's.  
Citeer de eerste twee woorden van deze zin.

- 1p 21 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 13?  
A Furthermore  
B Indeed  
C Meanwhile  
D Nevertheless  
E Thus
- 1p 22 “What *The Mail* hates is not Brussels, but this Britain.” (alinea 14)  
Welke zinsnede in alinea 10-14 illustreert de betekenis van het woord “this”?
- 1p 23 Which of the following is meant ironically in the article?  
A “*The Daily Mail* is the best bad newspaper in the world.” (paragraph 2)  
B “regulate everything from female quotas in boardrooms to your doctor’s hours” (paragraph 3)  
C “Its southern littoral is an economic horror show.” (paragraph 4)  
D “As for the Union’s great achievements, like say, peace on a borderless continent, they are oh-so 20th-century.” (paragraph 5)  
E “and declares Britain in Europe ‘a square peg in a round hole’” (paragraph 10)

## Tekst 6 The nanny state

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- 1p 24 How does the writer introduce the topic of this text in paragraph 1?  
A by demonstrating the many tasks involved in parenting nowadays  
B by describing how the authorities try to aid troubled families  
C by giving examples of hostile situations welfare workers encounter  
D by implying that the interference of social workers is frowned upon
- 1p 25 Why does the writer refer to Charlie Chaplin?  
A to demonstrate the longstanding bad reputation of social services in Britain  
B to emphasise that children are still separated from their parents in family crises  
C to illustrate the role the British government has played in the history of social care  
D to prove that having been in the care system is not an obstacle to success
- 1p 26 “the new scheme” (eerste regel alinea 3)  
Wat is het doel van de nieuwe aanpak?  
Leg uit in je eigen woorden.

“Part of the reason for this success” (alinea 5)

De Westminster-aanpak blijkt succesvol te zijn.

- 2p 27 Aan welke twee factoren heeft de aanpak zijn succes te danken volgens mevrouw Bishopp?
- 1p 28 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 6?
- A ambivalent attitudes on how
  - B been prevailed upon in the end
  - C come to similar conclusions about the way
  - D reluctantly acknowledged their responsibility
  - E strongly encouraged nannies
- 1p 29 How can the tone of the last sentence be described best?
- A critical
  - B matter-of-fact
  - C relieved
  - D tongue-in-cheek

## Tekst 7 We Need to Talk About Kevin

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- 1p 30 Waarnaar verwijst het zinsdeel “one trifling incident” in alinea 1? Leg uit in je eigen woorden.
- “my tales were exotic imports” (alinea 2)
- 1p 31 Welk spreekwoord typeert Franklins houding ten aanzien van deze “imports”?
- A Al is de leugen nog zo snel, de waarheid achterhaalt hem wel.
  - B Eigen haard is goud waard.
  - C Over smaak valt niet te twisten.
  - D Wat van ver komt is lekker.
  - E Ware schoonheid zit van binnen.
- 3p 32 Geef van elke van de volgende beweringen over de hoofdpersoon aan of deze wel of niet in overeenstemming is met alinea 4-9.
- 1 The main character feels emotionally strong now time has passed.
  - 2 The main character is speaking negatively about Mary Woolford, because Mary took advantage of her in the past.
  - 3 The main character is convinced that she would deal differently with the death of a loved one than Mary Woolford.
  - 4 The main character thinks that other shoppers in the store will be observing her.
  - 5 The main character blames Mary Woolford for being mentally unstable.
- Noteer “wel” of “niet” achter elk nummer op het antwoordblad.

## Tekst 8 Shaken, stirred and confused

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“So it is fitting that special agent 007 celebrates his jubilee wrapped in a Union Jack.” (alinea 1)

- 1p 33 Waarom?  
Leg uit in je eigen woorden.
- 1p 34 Which question does the reviewer focus on in paragraphs 2 and 3?  
A Does James Bond have second thoughts about betraying his Scottish roots?  
B Does James Bond’s loyalty lie with his native Scotland or with England?  
C Has James Bond’s attachment to England made him renounce his principles?  
D Has James Bond’s loyalty to England been affected by his exposure to foreign cultures?
- 1p 35 “If he seems a bit confused, it’s not without good reason.” (alinea 4)  
Wat is de oorzaak van deze verwarring?  
Leg uit in je eigen woorden.
- 1p 36 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 6?  
A ambiguously  
B evasively  
C innocently  
D mysteriously  
E straightforwardly

## Tekst 9 On the scent of wine that never goes off

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“scientists discovered an additive” (eerste zin alinea 1)

- 1p 37 In welke zin wordt gerefereerd aan de nadelen van deze toevoeging?  
Citeer de eerste twee woorden van deze zin.
- 1p 38 Which of the following is in line with the first paragraph?  
A Chelation compounds enhance the ability to identify odours and flavours in wine.  
B Removing small metal elements from wine will result in higher production.  
C Researchers have discovered how to cultivate the taste for white wine.  
D The new additive reduces the problems resulting from the process of oxidation.

- 1p 39 Welk voordeel heeft zwaveldioxide (SO<sub>2</sub>) ten opzichte van chelatoren volgens Johnblood27?

Johnblood27 wrote:

25-Nov-2013 at 20:16:19 (GMT)

Use of chelation to bind iron and reduce oxidative damage to wines is all well and good, but sulfur dioxide is used for more than oxidation control.

The property of microbial inhibition by the "molecular" SO<sub>2</sub> level and subsequent wine preservation would be compromised.

With the non-sterile nature of wine production the removal of SO<sub>2</sub> from the process would increase the microbial risk of spoilage in bottled wines substantially.

I would caution against too much celebration of wine oxidative damage being solved by chelation.

<http://www.wine-searcher.com/m/2013/11/science-serves-up-a-sulfur-substitute>

## Tekst 10 Alpha male seeks lower stress level

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- 1p 40 Citeer de woordgroep die expliciet verwoordt wat het doel is van deze brief.

## Tekst 11 Not just gesture politics?

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- 1p 41 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 2?
- A can often have a snowball effect
  - B may well reflect a critical attitude
  - C might even be harmful
  - D should obviously be ignored
  - E will only be taken seriously

**Let op: de laatste vraag van dit examen staat op de volgende pagina.**

## Tekst 12 Plymouth Marine Laboratory

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- 2p 42 Voor welke van de onderstaande taken zou Plymouth Marine Laboratory benaderd kunnen worden op basis van de advertentie?
- 1 Advising government bodies on environmental issues affecting the polar regions.
  - 2 Notifying the navy of the violation of the international Marine Environmental Law.
  - 3 Providing expertise and guidance in developing databases for marine research.
  - 4 Prosecuting companies for having committed environmental crimes.
- Noteer “wel” of “niet” achter elk nummer op het antwoordblad.

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