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WT_K06_F04_SG

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Date 28 Nov 06 Score 4.3 Grade B

Writing Test K06 Scoring Guide (F2004)

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WT_K06_F04 Writing Test #2 (Fall 2004)

Name _____

This test has TWO pages. There are THREE parts, counting equally. Allow yourself **one hour** for the entire test. In the spaces below, provide the information that certifies that you took the test.

date taken 11-14-06

signature of valued witness _____

Part 1: You've just arrived in a German-speaking country and are going out to get your first solid meal. You're worried that fatigue and fear will frustrate your fluency. So make up a "cheat sheet" of key words, phrases, questions, and sentences that can help you handle the situation from the time you sit down to when you walk out the door after your meal. Your list will be judged on how helpful it would be, not just how long it is or how few mistakes it contains.

word & phrases

Bier, Wein, Orangensaft,
Kaffee, Tee, wurst, Kartoffelsalat, Zucker,
milch, rauchen, Zahlen, Ober, Käse, wasser,
"Euro zurück"

questions & sentences

Wann ist Mittagessen?
Wieviel kostet ein Flasche Mineralwasser?
Haben Sie Kartoffelsalat?
Ich mag Kaffee mit Milch und Zucker.
Ich möchte ein Tisch für rauchen.
Herr Ober, Zahlen, bitte!

Part 2: You want to make advance reservations by phone to spend a few more days at the little Austrian inn you stayed at earlier during your trip through central Europe. The elderly couple who run the place don't speak much English; the phone answering machine doesn't understand any English at all; and, for all you know, your call will be answered by the young Bosnian refugee woman who works there part-time. She speaks a little more German than you do, but no English (true story, folks!) So write a paragraph, in German or Bosnian, to take care of the following information, so that you can just read it over the phone if you get panicky:

- 1) Identify yourself and jog their memory about your stay there earlier. *Some*
- 2) Tell them about your plans to return to their fair village.
- 3) State your accommodation needs.
- 4) Take care of the possibility that the inn will be full when you want to stay there, or will not have precisely the kind of room you want.

Ich heiße Geri Lynn Woods. Ich habe zwei Vorwachen mit Sie schlafen. In Dezember ich gehe bis sein seine Hotel. Ich möchte ein Doppelzimmer mit Bad und Dusche, oder zwei Einzelzimmer mit Bad.

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Part 3: A valued e-mail acquaintance in a German-speaking country has asked you to arrange accommodations for a friend who is traveling to the United States and will be spending a few days in your area. Your search has been fairly successful – the place you found is 2 out of the following 3: nice, convenient, cheap (or maybe even free!). Report back to your acquaintance with your information to pass on to the traveler, and offer all the support you can. Remember: You are writing about accommodations in the U.S., and they are NOT for the person you are writing TO.

Unserer Freund Arthur kommt bis Österreich
zum USA. Er geht auf Las Vegas. Er hat
ein Doppelzimmer mit Bad und Dusche. Das
Hotel ist schön und nicht vielen Dollars.
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Students' self-evaluation

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