Dich Kännezlerne

Swiss German · B1

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The grammar · z + verb (to …)

Find it: __ / 2

1 · SEE IT

Es isch nöd eifach, öpper z aarede,

It's not easy **to** approach someone **z** is a form of **z**, "to (do something)".

2 · LEARN IT

z rede	to talk	**z gseh**	to see
z aarede	to speak to (someone)	**z'känne**	to meet, to know
kännezlerne	to get to know	**nüt z tue**	nothing to do

3 · FIND IT

Circle every form of z. One line has none.

1. Wil du en würkli coole Mäntsch bisch.
2. Dich kännezlerne isch doch gar nöd so schwär.
3. Aber wänn me s macht, dänn gits vill z rede.

1 · Word Match

__ / 5

Write the letter of the meaning.

überrascht _____
schwär _____
wunderbar _____
wuchenänd _____
mäntsch _____

a) person · b) difficult · c) weekend · d) wonderful · e) surprised

2 · Lyric Scramble

__ / 5

Number the lines 1 to 5, in song order.

- ☐ Chumm, mir fanged a!
- ☐ Wil ich s Läbe i de Stadt so gärn ha.
- ☐ Ich stah am Morge uf und gahn go schaffe,
- ☐ Ja!
- ☐ Es isch Ziit.

3 · True or False

__ / 4

Does the translation match the line? Tick T or F.

Ich fröge mi, öb ich dich aarede chan. T ☐ F ☐
I wonder if I can talk to you

Ich dänke, dass das en guete Aafang isch, T ☐ F ☐
You think this is a good start.

Mir chönd eifach laufe Hand i Hand. T ☐ F ☐
We can just walk hand in hand.

Vilicht chönd mir spöter öppis go trinke. T ☐ F ☐
Maybe they can go for a drink later

4 · Fill in the Blank

__ / 1

Use z.

1. Grüezi mitenand, es freut mi, dich _____ gseh.

Sing it together

Play the song. Everyone sings the chorus. Then two halves take turns, line by line.

My score ____ / 17

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Swiss German · B1 · Grammar: z + verb (to ...) · 17 points

Grammar · Find it (2)

1 none 2 kännezlerne 3 z

1 · Word Match (5)

überrascht – e) surprised schwär – b) difficult wunderbar – d) wonderful
wuchenänd – c) weekend mäntsch – a) person

2 · Lyric Scramble (5)

Chumm, mir fanged a! 2 · Wil ich s Läbe i de Stadt so gärn ha. 5 · Ich stah am Morge uf und gahn go schaffe, 4 · Ja! 1 · Es isch Ziit. 3

3 · True or False (4)

1 T 2 F: I think this is a good start. 3 T 4 F: Maybe we can go for a drink later

4 · Fill in the Blank (1)

1 z

For the teacher

Play the song once with the lyrics. Do "See it" and "Learn it" together; students do "Find it". Students do the 4 games alone or as homework, add up their score and hand in the sheet. Each game is also in the app's Arcade.

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