Halbi Stund Zmittag

Swiss German · B1

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The grammar · wil (because)

Find it: __ / 3

1 · SEE IT

Ich hock a d Bar, wil s det am schnällschte gaht,

I sit at the bar **because** it's quickest there, **wil** is a form of **wil**, "because".

2 · LEARN IT

..., wil ich müed bi	..., because I am tired	**..., wil s chalt isch**	..., because it is cold
..., wil ich Hunger ha	..., because I am hungry	**Wil ich neu bi, ...**	Because I am new, ...
wil's mir guet tuet	because it does me good	**wüll, well, wyl**	because (regional)

3 · FIND IT

Circle every form of wil. One line has none.

1. De Mage chnurrt, wil ich hüt kei Zmorge gha ha,
2. "Chan ich grad zahle?", frög ich, wil d Ziit drängt.
3. Ich zahl grad sofort, wil ich pressiere mues,
4. Halbi Stund Zmittag!

1 · Word Match

__ / 5

Write the letter of the meaning.

parat _____

Minute _____

Poulet _____

Uhr _____

Kohlesüüri _____

a) ready · b) fizz · c) minutes · d) chicken · e) clock

2 · Lyric Scramble

__ / 5

Number the lines 1 to 5, in song order.

- ☐ Mittagspause, nume e halbi Stund, und los!
- ☐ "Hüt gits Suppe, Poulet mit Riis und Salat."
- ☐ "Und es Mineral ohni Kohlesüüri, bitte grad."
- ☐ "Was dörfs sii?", fröget sie und lächlet mir zue.
- ☐ "Ich hett gärn s Mittagsmenü, bitte, wänn das schnäll gaht."

3 · True or False

__ / 4

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

und d Serviertochter, wo mich känn t, isch scho parat.
and the waitress, who knows me, is all set already. T ☐ F ☐

und s Poulet isch so fein, dass ich fasch vergiss, wie spat s isch.
and the chicken is so good that you almost forget how late it is. T ☐ F ☐

Hopp, Mittagspause, los!
Come on, lunch break, let's go! T ☐ F ☐

Ich luege uf d Uhr, d Ziit lauft devo,
You look at the clock, time is running away, T ☐ F ☐

4 · Fill in the Blank

__ / 1

Use wil.

1. jetzt heisst s Gas gää, _____ ich zrugg mues is Büro.

Sing it together

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

My score ☐ **/ 18**

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Grammar · Find it (3)

1 wil 2 wil 3 wil 4 none

1 · Word Match (5)

parat – a) ready Minute – c) minutes Poulet – d) chicken Uhr – e) clock
Kohlesüüri – b) fizz

2 · Lyric Scramble (5)

Mittagspause, nume e halbi Stund, und los! 1 · "Hüt gits Suppe, Poulet mit Riis und Salat." 4 · "Und es Mineral ohni Kohlesüüri, bitte grad." 5 · "Was dörfs sii?", fröget sie und lächlet mir zue. 2 · "Ich hett gärn s Mittagsmenü, bitte, wänn das schnäll gaht." 3

3 · True or False (4)

1 T 2 F: and the chicken is so good that I almost forget how late it is. 3 T
4 F: I look at the clock, time is running away,

4 · Fill in the Blank (1)

1 wil

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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