Hand ue

Swiss German · A1

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The grammar · sii (to be)

Find it: __ / 4

1 · SEE IT

Ich bi vo Thun.

I'm from Thun. **bi** is a form of **sii**, "to be".

2 · LEARN IT

ich **bi**	I am	du **bisch**	you are
er/si/es **isch**	he/she/it is	mir **sind**	we are
ihr **sind**	you (all) are	si **sind**	they are

3 · FIND IT

Circle every form of sii. One line has none.

1. Ich bi de Beni, tschau zäme!
2. Wo bisch du dihei?
3. Ich bi d Ana.
4. Vo wo bisch du?
5. Ich wohne z Winterthur.

1 · Word Match

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Write the letter of the meaning.

Platz _____
Italie _____
jung _____
alt _____
gross _____

a) square · b) Italy · c) young · d) old · e) big

2 · Lyric Scramble

__ / 5

Number the lines 1 to 5, in song order.

- ☐ Gross und chlii, jung und alt.
- ☐ Hand ue, wer chunnt vo Sanggalle?
- ☐ Hand ue, wer chunnt vo Luzärn?
- ☐ Mir chömed vo Luzärn!
- ☐ Jetzt frög ich eu.

3 · True or False

__ / 4

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

Hand ue, mir fanged aa!
Hands up, let's get started! T ☐ F ☐

Du döt vorne, wie heissisch du?
You there at the front, what's my name? T ☐ F ☐

Merci vilmal, zäme!
Thanks a lot, everyone! T ☐ F ☐

Ich chume us Italie.
You come from Italy. T ☐ F ☐

4 · Fill in the Blank

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Use bi, isch or sind.

1. De Platz _____ voll.
2. Alli _____ da.
3. D Musig _____ guet.
4. Ich _____ de Gino.

Sing it together

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

My score ☐ / 22

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Swiss German · A1 · Grammar: sii (to be) · 22 points

Grammar · Find it (4)

1 bi 2 bisch 3 bi 4 bisch 5 none

1 · Word Match (5)

Platz – a) square Italie – b) Italy jung – c) young alt – d) old gross – e) big

2 · Lyric Scramble (5)

Gross und chlii, jung und alt. 1 · Hand ue, wer chunnt vo Sanggalle? 5 · Hand ue, wer chunnt vo Luzärn? 3 · Mir chömed vo Luzärn! 4 · Jetzt frög ich eu. 2

3 · True or False (4)

1 T 2 F: You there at the front, what's your name? 3 T 4 F: I come from Italy.

4 · Fill in the Blank (4)

1 isch 2 sind 3 isch 4 bi

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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