Wo Würsch Du Dihei Sii?

Swiss German · B2

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The grammar · wär (would be)

Find it: __ / 2

1 · SEE IT

Oder wärsch du z'Basel, wo de Rhii sich lang schlänglet,

Or **would you be** in Basel, where the Rhine winds along, **wärsch** is a form of **sii**, "would be / were".

2 · LEARN IT

ich **wär (wäri)**	I would be / I were	du **wärsch**	you would be
er/si/es **wär**	he/she/it would be	mir **wäred**	we would be
ihr **wäred**	you (all) would be	si **wäred**	they would be

3 · FIND IT

Circle every form of sii. One line has none.

1. Verzell mir vo de Wurzle, das isch gar nöd schwär!
2. Wänn ich döt dihei wär, würd ich alles verstah.
3. Vo wo wärsch du cho, wänn d'Wält anders wär?

1 · Word Match

__ / 5

Write the letter of the meaning.

Rhii _____
schwär _____
froh _____
de _____
Velo _____

a) bicycle · b) Rhine · c) happy · d) difficult · e) the

2 · Lyric Scramble

__ / 5

Number the lines 1 to 5, in song order.

- ☐ Wo würsch du dihei sii, i welem Kanton?
- ☐ Und ich wott wüsse, was du dir würkli wünschsch.
- ☐ und s'Schiffli am Ufer eifach liisli verbii gaht?
- ☐ Ich lose dir zue und ich ghöre din Ton.
- ☐ Du häsch mir gseit, dass du vo Sanggalle chunsch.

3 · True or False

__ / 4

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

Wo würsch du dihei sii?
Where would you call home? T ☐ F ☐

Aber sie hät für d'Liebi uf Lozärn müesse gah.
But he had to go to Lucerne for love. T ☐ F ☐

würsch du z'Züri bliibe, wo de See so wiit staht?
would you stay in Zurich, where the lake is so wide? T ☐ F ☐

Ich bi go luege, wie d'Lüüt z'Gämf so läbed.
You went to see how people live in Geneva. T ☐ F ☐

4 · Fill in the Blank

__ / 1

Use wärsch.

1. Stell dir vor, du _____ vo Bärn!

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 · B2 · Grammar: wär (would be) · 17 points

Grammar · Find it (2)

1 none 2 wär 3 wärsch, wär

1 · Word Match (5)

Rhii – b) Rhine schwär – d) difficult froh – c) happy de – e) the Velo – a) bicycle

2 · Lyric Scramble (5)

Wo würsch du dihei sii, i welem Kanton? 4 · Und ich wott wüsse, was du dir würkli wünschsch. 3 · und s'Schiffli am Ufer eifach liisli verbii gaht? 1 · Ich lose dir zue und ich ghöre din Ton. 5 · Du häsch mir gseit, dass du vo Sanggalle chunsch. 2

3 · True or False (4)

1 T 2 F: But she had to go to Lucerne for love. 3 T

4 F: I went to see how people live in Geneva.

4 · Fill in the Blank (1)

1 wärsch

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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