De Zuug Faahrt Verbii

Swiss German · C1

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The grammar · halt, ja, doch: little mood words

Find it: __ / 3

1 · SEE IT

Mängisch wott mer eifach gah, döt hii wo de Pfeffer wachst.

Sometimes you just wanna go, where the pepper grows.

2 · LEARN IT

halt	just, simply (that's how it is)	**ja**	after all, as you know
doch	surely, come on	**eifach**	just, simply
äbe	well, you see	**gäll / gäu**	right?, isn't it?

3 · FIND IT

Circle every example of halt, ja, doch. One line has none.

1. Si hät mi gfragt, vo wo ich chumme, s seg doch scho chli spaat hüt.
2. Gester bi ich uf Basel gfahre, eifach go luege, was so lauft.
3. Eifach wägg vo da, au wänn du nöd vill drüber lachsch.
4. Aber am Ändi vom Tag isch de Wäg überall gliich härt.

1 · Word Match

__ / 5

Write the letter of the meaning.

tag _____

Bärn _____

Portemonnaie _____

Gleis _____

s _____

a) track · b) wallet · c) bear · d) a · e) day

2 · Lyric Scramble

__ / 5

Number the lines 1 to 5, in song order.

- ☐ Loset zue, was ich eu hüt säge.
- ☐ De Maa, wo döt am Bahnhof staht, chunnt us Gämf hüt da.
- ☐ Ich ha em Ruedi siis Velo hüt uf em Trottoir gseh stah.
- ☐ Ich frage en, vo wo er chunnt und gib em mini Hand.
- ☐ Mmh, s chunnt e chalti Brise über s Gleis.

3 · True or False

__ / 4

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

Öb us Züri oder Bärn.
Whether from Zurich or Bern. T ☐ F ☐

Er lacht und meint, er chömi us eme ganz anderne Land.
She laughs and says he comes from a completely different country. T ☐ F ☐

Du bisch us Bärn, ich bi us Züri, mir gsehnd das Läbe gliich.
You're from Bern, I'm from Zurich, we see eye to eye. T ☐ F ☐

Ich ha das Läbe gärn.
You love this life. T ☐ F ☐

4 · Fill in the Blank

__ / 1

Use eifach.

1. D Wält isch chlii, d Schwyz isch gross, wänn mer s _____ richtig macht.

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 doch 2 eifach 3 eifach 4 none

1 · Word Match (5)

tag – e) day Bärn – c) bear Portemonnaie – b) wallet Gleis – a) track s – d) a

2 · Lyric Scramble (5)

Loset zue, was ich eu hüt säge. 2 · De Maa, wo döt am Bahnhof staht, chunnt us Gämf hüt da. 4 · Ich ha em Ruedi siis Velo hüt uf em Trottoir gseh stah. 3 · Ich frage en, vo wo er chunnt und gib em mini Hand. 5 · Mmh, s chunnt e chalti Brise über s Gleis. 1

3 · True or False (4)

1 T 2 F: He laughs and says he comes from a completely different country. 3 T
4 F: I love this life.

4 · Fill in the Blank (1)

1 eifach

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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