Im Warechorb

Swiss German · C1

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

Find it: __ / 2

1 · SEE IT

Mis Portemonnaie protestiert nöd,
es isch ja nume no e Zahl,
My wallet doesn't protest, **after all** it's only a number now

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. ich lösch d App, ich bi doch kei Opfer vom Algorithmus.
2. und ich lan mi ja nöd lumpe, also drück ich uf Bestelle.
3. Gratis Versand ab füfzg Franke, also nimm ich grad no zwei.

1 · Word Match

__ / 5

Write the letter of the meaning.

Vernunft _____
Schatz _____
äng _____
Bildschirm _____
Tatsache _____

a) sweetheart · b) reason · c) screen · d) facts · e) tight

2 · Lyric Scramble

__ / 5

Number the lines 1 to 5, in song order.

- ☐ Im Warechorb isch alles schöner als im Läbe,
- ☐ im Warechorb hät s Glück e Lieferfrist.
- ☐ wo uf em Bildschirm vergaht, wil d Vernunft scho schlaft.
- ☐ Im Warechorb bin ich ganz us em Hüsli,
- ☐ im Warechorb, bis de Pöstler lüütet.

3 · True or False

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

dänn isch de Pulli z äng, und ich land hert uf em Bode vo de Tatsache. T ☐ F ☐
then the sweater is too tight, and you come crashing back down to earth.

Im Warechorb, im Warechorb, wartet s Glück uf de Pöstler. T ☐ F ☐
In the shopping cart, in the shopping cart, happiness waits for the postman.

d Nachbarin fragt scho, ob ich es Gschäft ufgmacht heig. T ☐ F ☐
the neighbour is already asking whether you've opened a shop.

D Bestellbestätigung chunnt schnäller als jedi Antwort vo mim Schatz. T ☐ F ☐
The order confirmation arrives faster than any reply from my sweetheart.

Sing it together

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

My score ☐ **/ 16**

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Grammar · Find it (2)

1 doch 2 ja 3 none

1 · Word Match (5)

Vernunft – b) reason Schatz – a) sweetheart äng – e) tight Bildschirm – c) screen Tatsache – d) facts

2 · Lyric Scramble (5)

Im Warechorb isch alles schöner als im Läbe, 2 · im Warechorb hät s Glück e Lieferfrist. 3 · wo uf em Bildschirm vergaht, wil d Vernunft scho schlaft. 1 · Im Warechorb bin ich ganz us em Hüsli, 4 · im Warechorb, bis de Pöstler lüütet. 5

3 · True or False (4)

1 F: then the sweater is too tight, and I come crashing back down to earth. 2 T

3 F: the neighbour is already asking whether I've opened a shop. 4 T

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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