

# SCAVENGER HUNT

## General Instructions

There are TWO parts to the event. You will work together as a team for Part One but individually for Part Two. Your team should have at least one electronic device (SmartPhone, iPad, etc.) with a QR reader app already installed; however, it is recommended that each team member have his/her own such device along with earbuds or headphones.

Report to the assigned room to check in at your start time. Your team will have 1 hour to complete both parts. All team members must be present for all of both parts.

**Part One** (recommended time 35 minutes): Follow written German directions to find 4 QR codes posted around the contest venue.

- At each of the 4 stations, use your devices to access a video (max. 3 minutes per video). All team members should view all videos. Ignore any U.S./English advertising.
- Watch and listen to the video carefully as many times as you want (keeping the 1-hour time limit in mind). Make notes and discuss the content of the videos with your teammates if you wish (but not with anyone else). You may consult paper or online dictionaries during Part One.
- Total video running time is 6-12 minutes.
- QR codes are numbered 1, 2, 3, 4 and also have EINS, ZWEI, DREI, VIER written on them.

**Part Two** (recommended time 25 minutes):

Return to room. Each team member will be given a quiz to complete independently. The quiz has 4 multiple-choice questions and 1 question requiring a written German response based on each of the 4 videos that you have viewed (20 items total). The questions are in German.

- Team members must turn in their electronic devices to the proctor before starting the quiz.
- Team members may not talk to each other or otherwise communicate and may not watch the videos again or otherwise use their electronic devices.
- Team members **may** refer to their own handwritten notes from Part One and paper dictionaries that will be provided in the contest room.
- When writing sentence answers, provide as much relevant information as you can but limit yourself to the space provided. These answers are graded for content and grammar and may be used in the event of a tie-breaker.

**Regarding Time Limits** (1 hour total):

- For each team member who exceeds the 1-hour time limit up to 5 minutes, 20 points will be deducted from his/her quiz score.
- If any team member exceeds the time limit by more than 5 minutes, the entire team will be disqualified.
- Each team member is responsible for monitoring his/her own time limit, but the time at which the quiz is due will have been written at the top of the quiz paper by a proctor, and the official clock will be visible to all in the testing room.

**In the event of a tie:**

- 1<sup>st</sup> tie-breaker: The team with the highest individual score.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> tie-breaker: If the best quizzes from each of the tied teams also happen to have the same scores, then the scores of the second-best quizzes from each team will be compared.
- Final tie-breaker: Judges will compare the best quiz from each team and determine which demonstrates the greatest sophistication, detail, and grammatical accuracy on the German response portion.

## Viel Spaß!