

# **Examen VMBO-KB**

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**Engels CSE KB**

Bij dit examen horen een bijlage en een uitwerkbijlage.

Beantwoord alle vragen in de uitwerkbijlage.

Dit examen bestaat uit 40 vragen.

Voor dit examen zijn maximaal 45 punten te behalen.

Voor elk vraagnummer staat hoeveel punten met een goed antwoord behaald kunnen worden.

*Let op: beantwoord een open vraag altijd in het Nederlands, behalve als het anders is aangegeven. Als je in het Engels antwoordt, levert dat 0 punten op.*

## Tekst 1

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- 1p 1 What did Amy try to cover up?  
A not being on time for a meeting  
B not knowing how to pronounce a word  
C not understanding the team activity

## Tekst 2

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- 1p 2 Why did Tesco apologise?  
The book *Colour Me Good Arrggghhh!!* was accidentally  
A given away as a promotional gift.  
B included in a final sale.  
C put in the wrong section.  
D sold by a few stores only.

## Tekst 3

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- 1p 3 What becomes clear about the Whitechapel fatberg in paragraphs 1 and 2?  
A It was caused by defects in the sewage system.  
B It was incredibly difficult to clear it away.  
C It was never necessary to get rid of it before.  
D It was removed as part of a new television show.
- 1p 4 Welk ander woord in alinea 2 wordt gebruikt voor de 'fatberg'?  
*Citeer (= schrijf over uit de tekst) dat woord.*
- 1p 5 What has become clear after the removal of the fatberg according to paragraph 3?  
People should use  
A a garbage can more often.  
B better cleaning products.  
C less sheets of toilet paper.
- 1p 6 What is pointed out in paragraph 4?  
A Removing the fatberg was so hard because of the many obstructions in the sewer.  
B Thames Water was surprised by how disgusting the fatberg turned out to be.  
C The residents will be charged more because of their carelessness.

## Tekst 4

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- 2p 7 Geef van elke bewering aan of deze juist of onjuist is volgens alinea 1.  
*Omcirkel achter elk nummer ‘juist’ of ‘onjuist’ in de uitwerkbijlage.*
- 1 Het schrikkeljaar is ingevoerd om ervoor te zorgen dat de seizoenen steeds op hetzelfde moment beginnen en eindigen.
  - 2 Het idee van een schrikkeljaar is ontstaan in de Romeinse oudheid en is later nog eens aangepast.
  - 3 Eens in de zoveel jaar is er geen schrikkeldag.
  - 4 Er wordt nog altijd gewerkt aan het verbeteren van de Gregoriaanse kalender.
- 1p 8 What is true about Leap Day birthdays according to paragraph 2?
- A Adult leapers only throw a birthday party once in every four years.
  - B Leapers' birth registrations often get lost in the system.
  - C Leapers usually celebrate their birthday before the actual date.
  - D Most leapers would rather have been born on a different day.

## Tekst 5

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- 1p 9 What is pointed out about Josh Harrison in paragraph 1?
- A how he became a professional photographer
  - B how he carries out his work in the Arctic
  - C why he likes photographing in the Arctic
  - D why he won an important photography prize
- 1p 10 What does Josh Harrison mention as a reason for his exhibition in paragraph 2?  
He wants to
- A demonstrate what it is like to live in a small town.
  - B inform people about environmental developments.
  - C receive donations for preserving wildlife.
  - D reveal various items he brought back from the Arctic.
- 1p 11 Which is true according to paragraph 3?
- A Animals in the Arctic are victims of worldwide pollution.
  - B Chemicals that were forbidden in the Arctic are now being used again.
  - C More and more people would like to visit the Arctic nowadays.
- 1p 12 What becomes clear about Josh in paragraph 4?
- A He never thought he would go to the Arctic.
  - B He still wants to visit some faraway places in the future.
  - C He travelled the world before deciding to become a photographer.
  - D He turned his hobby into his profession.

- 2p 13 Geef van elke bewering aan of deze juist of onjuist is volgens alinea 5 en/of 6.  
*Omcirkel achter elk nummer ‘juist’ of ‘onjuist’ in de uitwerkbijlage.*
- 1 Josh heeft met zijn foto's al meerdere belangrijke prijzen gewonnen.
  - 2 De walvissen waren verdwenen toen Josh foto's ging maken.
  - 3 Josh vindt het risico dat hij moet nemen om de juiste foto te maken, soms te groot.
  - 4 Josh heeft er moeite mee dat het op de Noordpool zo lang licht kan blijven.

## Tekst 6

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- 1p 14 What becomes clear from paragraph 1?
- A The fear of bacteria in dips is overdone.
  - B There are more bacteria in dips after double dipping.
  - C Water usually contains more bacteria than dips.
- 1p 15 Kies bij 15 in alinea 2 het juiste antwoord uit de gegeven mogelijkheden.
- A For example,
  - B Furthermore,
  - C However,
  - D Therefore,
- 1p 16 What is concluded about double-dipping in paragraph 3?
- A It is completely safe if you are in good health.
  - B It is more embarrassing than dangerous.
  - C Its consequences might be unpleasant.
  - D Its effects may never be fully discovered.
- 1p 17 What is the **main** purpose of this text?
- A advising people on food hygiene
  - B explaining what double dipping actually is
  - C introducing the subject of food etiquette
  - D presenting an opinion on the topic of bacteria in food

## Tekst 7

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- 1p 18 What is said about Starbucks in paragraph 1?
- A It provided drinks at polling stations.
  - B It sent volunteers to help in the election.
  - C It sponsored a politician's campaign.
  - D It tried to encourage people to vote.

- 1p **19** “can we seriously take their word for it?” (paragraph 2)  
What does ‘it’ refer to?  
A that businesses care for their employees  
B that businesses support various charities  
C that businesses try to get more media attention  
D that businesses want to make the world a better place
- 1p **20** What becomes clear from paragraph 3?  
A In the past, employees used to obey their employers.  
B In the past, values were generally accepted.  
C Nowadays, brands focus on commitment from clients.  
D Nowadays, consumers care about doing the right thing.
- 1p **21** What becomes clear from paragraph 4?  
A Heineken is making more money than years ago.  
B Heineken wants to expand to new markets.  
C People criticise beer brewers for promoting bad habits.  
D Young adults appear to consume less beer nowadays.
- 1p **22** Het einde van de laatste zin van alinea 5 ontbreekt.  
Kies bij 22 in de tekst het juiste antwoord uit de gegeven mogelijkheden.  
A which customers don’t always appreciate  
B which makes for much better campaigns  
C which might increase sales even further
- 1p **23** “Can companies make us better citizens?” (title)  
What is the answer to this question, according to this article?  
A Yes, but they have other motives as well.  
B Yes, but they have to be forced by the public.  
C Yes, but they need the support of governments.  
D Yes, but they need to be well-known brands.

## Tekst 8

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- 1p **24** What becomes clear about older dogs from this article?  
A They are capable of acquiring new skills.  
B They can give their older owners a hard time.  
C They can only learn from game-like activities.  
D They should be allowed to play more.

- 2p 25 Geef van elke bewering aan of deze wel of niet wordt genoemd in alinea 2 en/of 3.

*Omcirkel achter elk nummer ‘wel’ of ‘niet’ in de uitwerkbijlage.*

- 1 Het is moeilijk om een hond slechte gewoonten af te leren.
- 2 Jonge honden zijn gehoorzamer dan oude honden.
- 3 Gebruik dagelijkse bezigheden met je hond als leermomenten.
- 4 Wissel de routines met je hond voldoende af.

## Tekst 9

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- 1p 26 What is pointed out about Kate McWilliams and Luke Elsworth in paragraph 1?

- A They are only allowed to fly short distances.
- B They are younger than the average pilot.
- C They hardly ever fly together because of their age.
- D They have made a record number of flights in one week.

- 1p 27 Which is true according to paragraph 2?

- A Kate McWilliams can be a role model for other women.
- B Kate McWilliams joined the BWPA to help women find a job.
- C Most women still think men should be in charge in the cockpit.
- D The BWPA argues that it is too difficult for women to become captains.

- 1p 28 “I never even thought it could be an option available to me.” (paragraph 3) Which option does Kate McWilliams mean?

- A to be higher in rank than a man
- B to be promoted to captain this quickly
- C to become a professional pilot
- D to fly from an airport close to home

## Tekst 10

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- 1p 29 What is the **main** function of paragraphs 1 and 2?

They describe

- A the event that made Larson decide to become a biologist.
- B the moment Larson’s job turned out to be almost fatal to him.
- C the specialist skills that Larson needs to develop further.
- D the types of activities that are part of Larson’s job.

- 1p 30 ‘He is a new breed of scientist’ (paragraph 3)

How does that become clear?

- A He collects data in unconventional ways.
- B He prefers working in nature to studying.
- C He reports on his findings through social media.
- D He researches animals that others aren’t interested in.

- 1p 31 Er ontbreekt een aantal zinnen in alinea 4. Ze staan hieronder, maar in de verkeerde volgorde.  
→ Schrijf de letters van de zinnen in de juiste volgorde op in de uitwerkbijlage.
- [a] But after shadowing an optometrist, he realized it wasn't for him.  
[b] He studied biology in school but planned to go into optometry, which seemed like a respectable profession.  
[c] Instead, he decided to follow his passion for bears and approached Tom Smith, a bear expert at Brigham Young University, to take him on as a student, but Smith said no.
- 2p 32 Geef van elke bewering aan of deze wel of niet wordt genoemd in alinea 5.  
*Omcirkel achter elk nummer ‘wel’ of ‘niet’ in de uitwerkbijlage.*
- 1 Larson doet onderzoek naar de winterslaap van de vrouwelijke ijsbeer.  
2 IJsberen hebben veel last van milieuvervuiling.  
3 Na hun winterslaap worden de ijsberen bijgevoerd.  
4 Ijsberen zijn extreem gevaarlijk als ze jongen hebben.
- 1p 33 What does Larson say about his Instagram posts in paragraph 6?  
He uses them to
- A become famous as a photographer.  
B inspire teachers to go on field trips.  
C involve the public in environmental science.  
D present his results to other scientists.

## Tekst 11

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- 1p 34 What becomes clear about the Merlin Entertainments Group from paragraphs 1 and 2?
- A It has a very popular vacancy.  
B It is changing its business strategy.  
C It tries to take children's opinions into account.  
D It was contacted by an unexpected jobseeker.
- 1p 35 What becomes clear about Stanley in paragraphs 3 and 4?
- A He is a very gifted Lego builder.  
B He was rewarded for writing a letter.  
C He was selected for a consultancy role.
- 1p 36 Uit welke zin in alinea 2, 3 of 4 blijkt dat Stanley nu nog niet in aanmerking komt voor de baan van Lego model designer?  
*Citeer (= schrijf over uit de tekst) de eerste twee woorden van deze zin*

**Let op: de laatste vragen van dit examen staan op de volgende pagina.**

## Tekst 12

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- 1p 37 Why are there many tourists in Ferryland, according to paragraph 1?  
because in Ferryland
- A an exceptional iceberg has stranded quite near the coast
  - B there are more icebergs than anywhere else
  - C you can sail past an iceberg in a special boat
  - D you can see the impact of climate change on icebergs
- 2p 38 Op welke **twee** manieren kan de ijsberg in alinea 2 verdwijnen uit Ferryland?  
*Geef antwoord in het Nederlands.*

## Tekst 13

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- 1p 39 Waarvoor werd Sheyla White veroordeeld?
- A Ze had een onterechte schadeclaim bij haar werkgever ingediend.
  - B Ze had geprobeerd om spullen te stelen op kantoor.
  - C Ze had haar werkgever vals beschuldigd van privacyschending.
  - D Ze had schade toegebracht aan eigendommen van haar werkgever.
  - E Ze had stiekem camera-opnamen gemaakt op haar werk.

## Tekst 14

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- 1p 40 Waarom mogen mensen hun sigarettenpeuken niet in het riool gooien volgens dit bord?
- A Dat heeft ernstige gevolgen voor dieren.
  - B Dat kan ervoor zorgen dat er brand ontstaat.
  - C Dat kan verstopping van de leidingen veroorzaken.
  - D Dat leidt tot vervuiling van de goten.

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