

**OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS  
ADVANCED SUBSIDIARY GCE**

**F711**

**GERMAN**

**Speaking**

**ROLE PLAY A**

**15 MARCH – 15 MAY 2009**

**SUITABLE FOR VISUALLY IMPAIRED CANDIDATES**

**This Candidate's Sheet is to be handed to the candidate  
20 minutes in advance.**

**READ INSTRUCTIONS OVERLEAF**

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- **You should use the time available to study the instructions overleaf. You may make notes on this sheet, which you should take into the examination room with you.**
- **When the test begins you will be asked:**
  - (i) to carry out the task described overleaf**
  - (ii) to discuss with the examiner a topic or text which you have prepared during the course. The topic must refer to Germany or a German-speaking country.**
- **You may not use a dictionary.**

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## ROLE PLAY A – CANDIDATE’S SHEET

**NOTE TO THE CANDIDATE:** You should begin by asking the two questions. The task can then be completed in the order you prefer. You should base your replies on the English text, but sometimes you will need to use your imagination and initiative to react to the examiner’s comments and questions.

### DIE SITUATION

Sie wohnen in London. Ihr deutscher Austauschpartner/ Ihre deutsche Austauschpartnerin besucht Sie zum ersten Mal.

### DIE AUFGABE

Der Austauschpartner/die Austauschpartnerin (der Prüfer/ die Prüferin) möchte einen Ausflug machen. Er/sie bittet Sie um Vorschläge. Mit Hilfe der Broschüre erklären Sie den *Tower of London*.

**ZUERST MÜSSEN SIE FOLGENDE INFORMATIONEN  
HERAUSFINDEN:**

- 1 WAS FÜR EINEN AUSFLUG ER/SIE MACHEN MÖCHTE**
- 2 WANN DER AUSFLUG STATTFINDEN SOLLTE.**

Sie schlagen einen Besuch zum *Tower of London* vor. Sie müssen erklären:

- was der *Tower of London* ist
- seine Baugeschichte
- die Gefangenen im *Tower*
- Attraktionen
- Preise
- Öffnungszeiten

Im Laufe des Gesprächs besprechen Sie auch:

- wie viele Stunden man da verbringen sollte
- wie man am besten dahin kommt

***Ein paar Hilfovokabeln:***

***William the Conqueror – Wilhelm der Eroberer***

***fortress – die Festung***

***to execute – hinrichten***

***Crown Jewels – die Kronjuwelen***

***to stand guard – Wache stehen***

## THE TOWER OF LONDON

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*\*English names accepted*

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