

Ziel 1: Ich kann Informationen über Irland herausfinden.

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### A country with two languages

1 One of the first things that people see when they go to Ireland are the road signs, which are in English and Irish. 5 In the Republic of Ireland all information must be in English and Irish. For two thousand years most people who lived in Ireland 10 spoke Irish. But then in the 16th century England invaded Ireland and from that time on more and more people spoke English. From the 19th century 15 on most people spoke English as their first language. Today all school children must learn Irish and many schools give some lessons in Irish and some 20 in English. For this reason most people in Ireland can speak Irish. However, only about 10% of



Irish people speak Irish at home. Today people want to protect the Irish language because they understand that a language is an important part of people's lives.

Read the text and answer the questions. Write short answers.

1. Where do most people see Irish first when they visit the country? on road signs
2. Why did people start to speak English in Ireland? because the English invaded
3. When did English become the first language in Ireland? in the 19th century
4. Where do most Irish people learn to speak Irish? at school
5. Why do people want to protect the Irish language? because it is important

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Ziel 2: Ich kann mich mit meiner Gastfamilie unterhalten.

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You are in a host family in Ireland and have a few questions. Complete the dialogue.

need an adapter for my phone

forgotten my toothbrush

borrow one?

supermarket near here?

where bathroom?

Mum: Here's your bedroom. Do you have everything you need?

You: Thank you. I need an adapter for my phone. Could I borrow one ?

Mum: Yes, you can borrow mine. Here you are. Do you need anything else?

You: I've forgotten my toothbrush. Is there a supermarket near here ?

Mum: You can get a toothbrush later. The supermarket is near here but it's not open now.

You: OK. Thank you. And can you show me where the bathroom is ?

Mum: The bathroom is the first door on the right. The blue towels are for you.

You: Thank you .

Mum: You're welcome.

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## Ziel 3: Ich kann eine Reise mit öffentlichen Verkehrsmitteln planen.

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a) Look at the map. You are at Heuston. Give directions .

1. Tourist 1: Excuse me. How can I get to Fatima?

You: Take the Red Line. It's two stops.

2. Tourist 2: Excuse me. How can I get to Spencer Dock?

You: Take the Red Line. It's nine stops.

b) Look at the map. You are at St. Stephen's Green. Give directions.

1. Tourist 3: Excuse me. How can I get to Milltown?

You: Take the Green Line. It's six stops.

2. Tourist 4: Excuse me. How can I get to Abbey Street?

You: You can walk.

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## Ziel 4: Ich kann eine Geschichte über einen Umzug in ein anderes Land verstehen.

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Read the text on page 86 again. Put Julia's sentences in the right order.

- 6 Friends from New York are spending a week here.
- 7 Dad says it's raining but I just laughed.
- 3 I started school and I hate it!
- 4 I like Art classes but I don't like the school uniform.
- 2 We now have a small house near the sea.
- 5 I am going to a great Christmas party. I am so excited.
- 1 Oh no! We are going to move to Ireland.

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## Ziel 5: Ich kann Informationen über einen Schauspieler weitergeben.

## Domhnall Gleeson

1 Domhnall Gleeson ist ein Schauspieler aus Irland, der auch als Schriftsteller und Regisseur tätig ist. Man kennt ihn vor allem in seiner Rolle als Bill Weasley, den er in der siebten und achten  
5 Verfilmung der „Harry Potter“-Reihe spielt.

Domhnall Gleeson ist der älteste von vier Söhnen des Schauspielers Brendan Gleeson und dessen Frau Mary Gleeson. Er wurde in Dublin geboren und ging dort zur Schule. Nach seinem Studium  
10 begann er als Regisseur und Drehbuchautor von Kurzfilmen zu arbeiten.

Einen seiner ersten Auftritte vor der Kamera hatte Domhnall 2006 im Film „Studs“, in dem er gemeinsam mit seinem Vater spielte. Danach  
15 spielte er in der irischen Fernsehserie „The Last Furlong“ mit.

Anfang 2009 vermittelte ihm sein Vater die Rolle des Bill Weasley in den beiden Teilen von „Harry Potter und die Heiligtümer des Todes“. Sein Vater  
20 spielte in den Harry Potter-Filmen die Rolle des Alastor Mad-Eye Moody.



Domhnall wurde schon für mehrere Preise nominiert, z. B den Tony Award, die Irish Film and Television Awards und die British Independent  
25 Film Awards. 2011 gewann er beim Internationalen Filmfestival in Berlin einen Preis als bester internationaler Schauspieler.

In „Star Wars: Das Erwachen der Macht“ spielt Domhnall Gleeson die Rolle des General Hux.

Lies den Text und beantworte die Fragen auf Englisch.

(Lösungsvorschlag)

1. Where was Domhnall Gleeson born? He was born in (Dublin,) Ireland.
2. Where did he go to school? He went to school in Dublin.
3. Who is his father? His father is (actor) Brendan Gleeson.
4. Does he have any brothers or sisters? He has three (younger) brothers.
5. What was the title of the first film he acted in? Studs
6. Who helped him get a role in the Harry Potter films? his father
7. Which role does he play in Star Wars? General Hux



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