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Video activity – worksheet (English questions with answers) Interview with Mesut Özil: From Gelsenkirchen to London

Watch the video with Mesut Özil and answer the following questions.

1. Which **three things** does Mesut say about Gelsenkirchen?

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Gelsenkirchen is his home. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | He was born and grew up there. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | He still has a house in Gelsenkirchen. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | He always spends his holidays in Gelsenkirchen. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | His family and friends live there. |

2. Why does Mesut have a special connection with Gelsenkirchen?

- A. He still lives in Gelsenkirchen.
- B. His favourite restaurant is in Gelsenkirchen.
- C. He began his football career there.**

3. Where did Mesut play after he left Schalke?

- A. In Berlin.
- B. In Bremen.**
- C. In Bayern.

4. What does Mesut say about Bremen? (Fill in the gaps.)

Sehr schöne [Zeiten] habe ich auch in Bremen gehabt, natürlich. Die [Bremer] lieben ja Werder und es war ein sehr schöne(s) [Erlebnis] für mich dort – (ich) habe es auch dort [genossen] zu leben. Die Menschen waren sehr [freundlich].

freundlich / genossen / Zeiten / Bremer / Erlebnis

5. Why did Mesut like playing in Madrid? (He gives **three** reasons.)

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | He was able to play with the best players in the world. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | He likes Spanish food. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Madrid is an international city. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | He has always liked the Real Madrid strip. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | The weather in Madrid is really good. |

6. What does Mesut really like about London?

- A. He loves the weather.
- B. He loves experiencing all of the different cultures in London.**
- C. He loves playing at Emirates Stadium.



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USEFUL WORDS AND PHRASES

etw./ jdn. kennenlernen	to get to know sth. / s.o.
In wie fern ...?	To what extent ...?
die Heimat	home (town / area where you feel you belong)
aufwachsen	to grow up
die Verbindung	connection
verbunden mit	connected with
die Fußballkarriere	football career
an jmdn. dankbar sein	to be thankful to s.o.
für etw. dankbar sein	to be thankful for sth.
das Erlebnis	experience
der Schritt	step
auf etw. stolz sein	to be proud of sth.
die Weltstadt	international city / city with people from all around the world
das Kaliber	calibre
von etw. fasziniert sein	to be fascinated by sth.
überwältigend	overpowering
wechseln	to change / switch