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**First Year Students**

**Correction of First Semester Exam in Oral Expression**

**Exercise 1: Match the words (A-F) with their correct meanings (1-6).3pts**

A	B	C	D	E	F
3	4	2	5	6	1

**Exercise 2: Listen carefully to the audio track then decide if the following statements are “True” or “False”. Correct the false statements (7pts)**

**1. False**

Childhood dreams often get lost as people grow older because of adult responsibilities such as jobs, money, and families.

**2. False**

Daisy and Herman did not try to change the world through a political movement; instead, they followed their personal dreams by changing themselves.

**3. False**

Riverside is not a communist community and includes people with different political views.

**4. False**

Herman Zapp explains that travelling made him more humble, not more ambitious or dominant.

**5. False**

Daisy believes that everyone in the Riverside community should receive the same amount, regardless of how many hours they work.

**6. False**

Herman Zapp says he no longer wants to conquer the world and does not define success as dominating others.

**7. True**

**Exercise 3: Answer the following questions (5pts)**

**1. What inspired the programme’s discussion about following dreams?**

The discussion was inspired by Bronnie Ware’s book *The Top Five Regrets of the Dying*, which revealed that many people regret not having the courage to follow their dreams.

**2. How does life in the Riverside community operate economically?**

Members of the Riverside community work for shared businesses, and all the money they earn is collected and shared equally among everyone.

**3. How has travelling changed Herman Zapp's attitude towards life?**

Travelling has made Herman more humble, and he says he no longer wants to conquer the world but has learned from meeting people and hearing their stories.

**4. What message do Daisy and Herman's stories express about personal happiness?**

Their stories express that following one's dreams and values can lead to a happy life lived without regret.

**5. Where does Daisy come from originally?**

Daisy comes from East Germany.

**Exercise 4: Fill in the Gaps (5pts)**

1. Many childhood dreams are lost in the adult world of jobs, money, **families** and **careers**.
2. Riverside members **share** everything they earn **equally**.
3. Daisy says some people find the idea of sharing **outlandish**.
4. Herman travelled the world with very little **money**.
5. Travelling helped Herman become more **humble**.
6. Herman describes himself as a small but important **part** of the whole.
7. Daisy also says some local people call Riverside outlandish, **strange** and **unusual**.