

1. Comprehension (5 credits content)

(30 credits language)

Sum up the key message of the text.

2. Composition (15 credits content)

“Gran Torino” contributes to people’s fears and encourages them to buy guns.”

Discuss the statement above referring to the given text.

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<https://www.politico.com/magazine/story/2019/08/04/mass-shooting-gun-culture-227502>

5 Der Text muss um die folgenden Stellen gekürzt werden.

In the span of ... seven such attacks.

Thus people who ... a bit strange.

High mindedly, Americans ... their role in society.

Gun owners’ politics ... conservatives might fear.

10 *They often resent ... explain their frustrations.*

In part because ... to armed citizenship.

They express and change ... America’s founding.

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to resolve – lösen

victim – Opfer

to decry – verdammen

advocate –
Befürworter, Vertreter
distribution -
Verteilung

survey - Umfrage

to refrain from sth. –
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Wachsamkeit

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658 words

anxiety – Angst, Sorge
asset – Bereicherung

threat - Bedrohung

to mourn – trauern um

mere - nur