

**Actuele lesbrief Engels – Drones – uitwerking**

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| **Opdracht** | **ERK niveau** |
| **Opdracht 1** | A2 |
| **Opdracht 2** | A2 |
| **Opdracht 3** | A2 |

Assignment 1

a *1 EU = European Union*

*2 UAE = United Arab Emirates*

*3 UK = United Kingdom*

*4 USA = United States of America*

b (voorbeeld) deliveries, farming, fun, military, photography, rescue operations, spying, ...

Assignment 2

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| 1. rain
 | *c.* drops of water from clouds |
| 1. harsh
 | *l.* very unpleasant and extreme |
| 1. catapult
 | *d.* a device used to throw objects far and high |
| 1. to launch
 | *h.* to send or shoot something into the air |
| 1. drone
 | *i.* a small aircraft without a pilot that is controlled by someone on the ground |
| 1. to zap
 | *f.* to hit something with electricity |
| 1. scientist
 | *e.* an expert who knows a lot about a particular area (such as biology, physics, or chemistry) |
| 1. droplets
 | *j.* small drops |
| 1. more likely
 | *n.* with a better chance that it will happen |
| 1. to evaporate
 | *a.* to change from a liquid (wet, water) into a gas |
| 1. to survive
 | *b.* to continue to exist |
| 1. the surface
 | *k.* the upper layer of an area of land |
| 1. drought
 | *g.* a long period of time with very little or no rain |
| 1. WWF
 | *o.* World Wildlife Fund |
| 1. precious
 | *m.* very valuable or important |

Assignment 3

a **2** Drones will hopefully help make more rain in the United Arab Emirates.

b 3 It was mostly warmer on earth than it is now.

1 The United Arab Emirates only gets about 10cm of rain per year. **TRUE**

2 In the United Arab Emirates most rain falls in summer. **FALSE**

3 The United Arab Emirates belong to the hottest countries on earth. **TRUE**

4 In the United Arab Emirates, raindrops often evaporate before they hit the ground. **TRUE**

5 The United Arab Emirates have the largest raindrops of all countries. **FALSE**

c 2 Catapults launch drones into clouds.

5 The drones zap small raindrops in the clouds with an electric charge.

4 Smaller raindrops are joined together and become big raindrops.

1 Bigger raindrops have a better chance of falling on the ground.

3 More rain may fall in hotter countries.