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# **Spanish**

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Unit 1 Listening

Wednesday 16 January 2013 1.30 pm to 2.15 pm approximately (including reading time)



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**TOTAL** 

You will need no other materials.

#### Time allowed

- 40 minutes + 5 minutes reading time before the test
- The pauses are pre-recorded for this test.

#### Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Do not open this book until you are told to do so.

This is what you should do for each item.

- After the question number is announced, there will be a pause to allow you to read the instructions and questions.
- Listen carefully to the recording and read the questions again.
- Listen to the recording again and then answer the questions.
- When the next question is about to start you will hear a bleep like this (\*).
- You may write at any time during the test.
- Answer all questions in English.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Write neatly and put down all the information you are asked to give.
- Ask any questions now. You must not ask questions or interrupt during the test.
- You now have five minutes to read through the question paper. You may make notes during this time. You may open your answer book now.
- The test starts now.

#### Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 40.
- You must not use a dictionary.



# Answer all questions in English in the spaces provided.

# A reality TV show

Which contestant is each person talking about? Write the correct letter in the box.What is their opinion of the contestant? Write the correct number in the box.

#### **Contestants**









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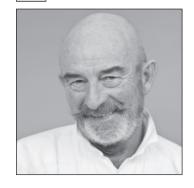
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# **Opinions**

1	Kind		
2	Hard-working		
3	Shy		
4	Sad		
5	Lazy		
6	Fun		

# Example

Letter of	Number of		
contestant	opinion		
F	3		

1 (a)

opinion

(2 marks)

1 (b)

Letter of	Number of		
contestant	opinion		

(2 marks)

1 (c)

Letter of	Number of	
contestant	opinion	

(2 marks)

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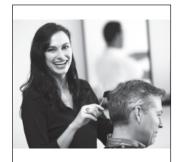


# Jobs

2 What job is being described?

Write the correct letter in each box.

2 (a) A



В

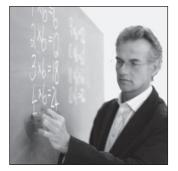


С



\_\_\_\_(1 mark)

2 (b) A



В



С



\_\_\_\_ (1 mark)

#### Views on marriage



3 What do these people think about marriage?

Write **P** (Positive)

N (Negative)

**P + N** (Positive and Negative)

3 (a) (1 mark)

3 (b) (1 mark)

3 (c) (1 mark)

3 (d) (1 mark)

Turn over ▶



# **Coping with stress**



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Which **two** ways of coping with stress is each person discussing?

Write the correct letter in each box.

Α	Phoning someone		
В	Drinking alcohol		
С	Eating healthily		
D	Swimming		
E	Smoking		
F	Going for walks		
G	Taking medication		
Н	Reading		

4 (c)	(2 marks)
4 (b)	(2 marks)
4 (a)	(2 marks)



#### **Environmental issues**



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Which opinion is being expressed by each person?Write the correct letter in each box.

Α	"Clean up your local environment."
В	"These recipes cut down waste."
С	"We live in a throw-away society."
D	"Extreme weather is becoming more common."
Е	"More species are becoming extinct."
F	"Most fires are caused by carelessness."

5 (a)	(1 mark)
5 (b)	(1 mark)
5 (c)	(1 mark)

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(1 mark)



5 (d)

# **Shop announcements**



What are the special offers being announced?Write the correct letter in each box.

6 (a)	Α	Suits are reduced.	
	В	50% off shoes.	(1 mark)
	С	Jeans are half-price.	

6 (b)	Α	Buy two CDs, get one free.	
	В	One free CD if you spend 25 euros.	(1 mark)
	С	Five CDs for only 20 euros.	



# Holidays



7 Some friends are discussing the benefits and drawbacks of different holi	.ays
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Which statements are correct?

Write **A** (if only statement A is correct)

**B** (if only statement B is correct)

**A + B** (if both statement A and statement B are correct)

#### **Example**

Α	Many relationships start as a holiday romance.
В	People buy houses where they spent the summer.

A + B

7 (a)	Α	Winter family holidays can be great fur

В	All the cooking and playing board games are just boring.

**7 (b)** A city break offers plenty to see and do.

В	Summer in the city can be exhausting.
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(1 mark)
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7 (c) A It's a nuisance doing all the planning for the trip.

В	You can learn a lot from travelling.

7 (d)

A	Some holidaymakers hardly ever leave the hotel grounds.
	grounds.

В	Many tourists make the most of cheap alcohol in the
	bars.

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#### School



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8 What is the advantage and disadvantage of each person's school?

Example

Advantage	Disadvantage
Interesting subjects	Stupid rules

8 (a)

Advantage	Disadvantage		

(2 marks)

8 (b)

Disadvantage

(2 marks)



	News items
Example	What has the supermarket decided to do? Give full details.  Reduce packaging.
9 (a)	What was Menéndez's report about? Give full details.
	(1 mark)
9 (b)	What happened to the president? Give full details.
	(1 mark)
9 (c)	What has been announced today? Give full details.
	(1 mark)
9 (d)	What has recently happened to roads in the north? Give full details.
	(1 mark)
	Turn over for the next question

Turn over ▶



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# Saturday afternoon



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10	Where are	the	members	of	Alicia's	family?

Write the correct letter in each box.

Α	Kitchen
В	Dining room
С	Bathroom
D	Garden
Е	Garage
F	Bedroom

10	(a)	Alicia's sister	(1 mark)
10	(b)	Alicia's brother	(1 mark)
10	(c)	Alicia's mother	(1 mark)
10	(d)	Alicia's father	(1 mark)

**END OF QUESTIONS** 

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