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Spanish

Listening Comprehension Test

Ordinary Level

Tuesday 18 June Morning 12:10 - 12:50

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Instructions

There are **seven** questions in this paper.

Questions to be answered in English, not necessarily in complete sentences.

Answer **all** questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet.

You may only use **blue or black pen** when writing your answers. **Do not use pencil.**

This examination booklet will be scanned and your work will be presented to an examiner on screen. **Anything that you write outside of the answer areas may not be seen by the examiner.**

Answer all questions in **ENGLISH**.

Question 1

ANUNCIO: This will be played **three times** right through with a long pause after the **SECOND** hearing.

EL AJEDREZ MUNDIAL VUELVE A LINARES
(WORLD CHESS RETURNS TO LINARES)

(a) Where in Europe did modern chess originate?

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(b) Why has the festival not taken place since 2010?

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(c) What is said about the tickets? Give **two** details.

1.	2.
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Question 2

DIÁLOGO: This will be played **three times**: first right through, then in two segments with a long pause after each segment, and finally, right through again.

ENTREVISTA CON CHARO LÓPEZ, ANFITRIONA DE VIAJERAS
(INTERVIEW WITH CHARO LÓPEZ, TRAVEL HOST)

(a) Why can she not travel anymore?

Tick (✓) the correct answer:

illness ☐

work ☐

her pets ☐

*** PAUSE**

(b) What nationality was the lady who annoyed her?

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(c) Name **two** gifts her guests bring.

1.	2.
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Question 3

DIÁLOGO: This will be played **three times**: first right through, then in two segments with a long pause after each segment, and finally, right through again.

HABLANDO CON EL ENTRENADOR PERSONAL, IVÁN PERUJO
(SPEAKING WITH THE PERSONAL TRAINER, IVÁN PERUJO)

(a) Name **two** professions mentioned.

1.	2.
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(b) What does he say about his method? Give **one** detail.

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* PAUSE

(c) What is he going to do this July?

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Question 4

DESCRIPTIVO: This will be played **three times**: first right through, then in two segments with a long pause after each segment, and finally, right through again.

LA APLICACIÓN 'MeTOCA'
(THE APP 'MeTOCA')

(a) When did the Spanish government launch this App?

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(b) Name **two** household chores mentioned.

1.	2.
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* PAUSE

(c) The government says the App can be:

Tick (✓) the correct answer:

successful ☐

useful ☐

interesting ☐

Question 5

DESCRIPTIVO: This will be played **three times**: first right through, then in two segments with a long pause after each segment, and finally, right through again.

COLONIA DE SACRAMENTO (COLONIA DE SACRAMENTO)

(a) What method of transport is mentioned?

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(b) What has been made in Colonia?

Tick (✓) the correct answer:

documentaries ☐

series ☐

films ☐

*** PAUSE**

(c) Name **two** places you can see.

1.	2.
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Question 6

EL TIEMPO: This will be played **three times** right through with a long pause after the SECOND hearing.

(a) For what **day** and **date** is this weather forecast?

Day:	Date:
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(b) Why is there a yellow weather alert?

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(c) What **two** wind speeds are mentioned?

Between	and	kilometres per hour
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Question 7

UNA NOTICIA: This will be played **three times**: first right through, then in two segments with a long pause after each segment, and finally, right through again.

UNA FORTUNA DE SORPRESA (A SURPRISE FORTUNE)

(a) How long was the house abandoned?

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(b) When did Antonio do work on the house? Give **two** details.

1.	2.
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*** PAUSE**

(c) Who was at Antonio's party? Give **two** details.

1.	2.
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(d) What is Antonio's dream?

Tick (✓) the correct answer:

to live in Galicia ☐

to travel ☐

to go on a cruise ☐

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