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A NEW FRIEND AT SCHOOL



You are going to listen to a conversation in English between two students at the playground of a secondary school. One of them is new in the school. They are talking about their lives as teenagers. Pay attention because after this, you will have to answer some questions about this dialogue.

Vas a escuchar una conversación en inglés entre dos estudiantes en el patio de un instituto. Uno de ellos es nuevo en el centro. Están hablando de sus vidas como adolescentes. Presta atención porque después tendrás que contestar a algunas preguntas sobre el contenido de este diálogo.

PREGUNTA 1

Listen to Sharon and John's conversation. **Put a tick (√)** in the correct column.

	SHARON	JOHN
a) Who is new at school?		
b) Who likes playing tennis?		
c) Who loves playing basketball?		
d) Who lives far from the school?		
e) Who lives near the school?		

PREGUNTA 2

Choose the correct option and **complete** the following sentences.

1. John is from

- a) London b) Manchester c) Birmingham

2. The students play at school

- a) football b) volleyball c) football and basketball

3. When does Sharon play tennis?

- a) Every day b) Twice a week c) On Mondays and Wednesdays

PREGUNTA 3

Tick (✓) the correct answer for each one of the following questions.

1. What's Sharon's hobby?

<input type="checkbox"/>	a) Playing tennis
<input type="checkbox"/>	b) Listening to music
<input type="checkbox"/>	c) Riding a bike

2. When will Sharon be thirteen?

<input type="checkbox"/>	a) Next month
<input type="checkbox"/>	b) In two months
<input type="checkbox"/>	c) Next week

3. Which team did John play in?

<input type="checkbox"/>	a) In a football team
<input type="checkbox"/>	b) In a basketball team
<input type="checkbox"/>	c) In a volleyball team

PREGUNTA 4

Tick (✓) the correct answer.

1. What kind of celebration is Sharon going to have?

<input type="checkbox"/>	a) A fancy dress party
<input type="checkbox"/>	b) A birthday party
<input type="checkbox"/>	c) A Halloween party

2. Where's Sharon's party?

<input type="checkbox"/>	a) McDonald's restaurant
<input type="checkbox"/>	b) Sharon's home
<input type="checkbox"/>	c) Tennis club

3. What time is Sharon's party?

<input type="checkbox"/>	a) At five o'clock
<input type="checkbox"/>	b) At eight o'clock
<input type="checkbox"/>	c) At six o'clock

PREGUNTA 5

When John says to Sharon: **“Of course, I'd love to”**. What does he mean?
Tick (✓) the correct sentence.

<input type="checkbox"/>	a) John will go to a commercial center.
<input type="checkbox"/>	b) John will go to Sharon's birthday party.
<input type="checkbox"/>	c) John will go to the cinema.



Here is a text about the **Spanish National Team winning the World Cup in the year 2010**. Please **read the text and answer the questions**.

It was two years ago, in South Africa. It is 11th July, 2010. Spain is playing versus Holland. It is the 116 minute. Andrés Iniesta scores a goal and the Spanish National Team becomes World Champion. It was a long and hard game against the Dutch, with a lot of violence. The referee showed 15 yellow cards. But for Andrés Iniesta, it was a moment of glory.

Iniesta instantly becomes a hero. There is a big celebration in Spain and everybody confirms this idea: this generation of Spanish football players is unique; they are the biggest team of the era; they are as good as Brazil or Holland, were in the past; they show the best football possible in the world today.

It is true that one match does not mean very much. One title can be the consequence of some lucky coincidence. But the consistency of the Spanish play is clear: they usually break records. They did it when they became Europe Champions, and when they became World Champions, too. Moreover, they have got a reputation for representing values that are always associated to sport: effort, team cooperation, the desire to be better. They inspire their entire country and young people everywhere.

Spain is a nation with a long football tradition, but “La Roja” was never as important as it is now. First, they were the “Kings of Europe”; then, they were the “Kings of the Planet”.

But this team of heroes has still got another test: the next European Championship. Can Spain defend its position?. They say that they are thinking about the future now. They know that winning the next European Championship is possible, but it will be difficult. Their ambition is clear: they want a place in history... a bigger place than the place they already have. They have got the ambition of the greatest football heroes in history. Will they satisfy the expectations? We will see it next summer.

PREGUNTA 6

A “**summary**” is a short paragraph or sentence that tells the **general or most important idea** in a text. Which of the following sentences is **the best summary** of the text? **Tick (√)** the correct.

a) Spain is the best football team in the world and they will win the European Championship.	
b) Spain is one of the best football teams in the world, but they want a bigger place in the history of football.	
c) Spain is one of the best football teams in the world and they will be forever in football history.	

PREGUNTA 7

Choose a **title** for the text. **Tick (√)** the best option.

a) Spain plays in South Africa.	
b) “La Roja”, the inspiration of a nation.	
c) Spain likes bubucelas.	

PREGUNTA 8

People from Spain is Spanish, people from Holland is Dutch. **Complete** the following **chart** with the corresponding **country or nationality**.

Country	Nationality
Italy	
	American
Germany	
Portugal	
	French
Ireland	

PREGUNTA 9

According to the text, are these sentences “True” or “False”? Tick (✓) the following sentences “**T**” (True) or “**F**” (False).

	T	F
a) The game against Holland was easy.		
b) Iniesta only remembers the violence of that football match.		
c) Only Spanish people think that their National Team is the best in the world today.		
d) The Spanish National Team is important for its football and for other reasons, too.		
e) Football has got a long tradition in Spain.		
f) The Spanish National Team is convinced that they will win the next European Championship.		

PREGUNTA 10

We use different types of language in different types of text. What **type of text** is the text you read? Tick (✓) the correct answer **in the green circle**.

- 1. An e-mail or text message
- 2. An encyclopedia
- 3. A newspaper or magazine
- 4. A letter

TAKE A BREAK!

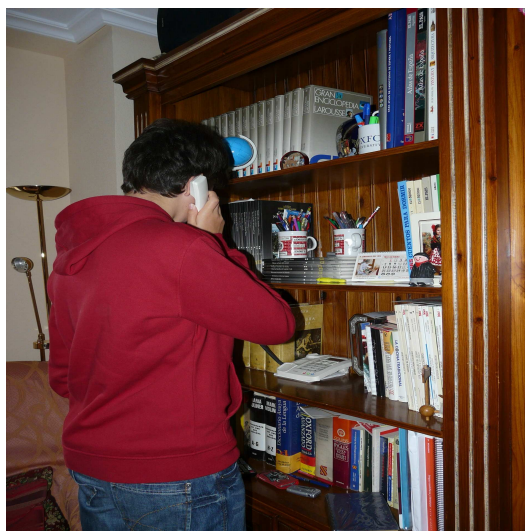


THE NEW NEIGHBOURHOOD

The new neighbourhood



Rob is talking on the phone



You are going to listen to Rob. Rob and his family just moved to a new neighbourhood last week. Rob is in his new home and he is writing on his diary. His friend Sara is calling him.

En la grabación vas a oír a **Rob**. Rob y su familia se acaban de mudar a un **nuevo barrio** la semana pasada. Rob está en su casa nueva y está escribiendo en su diario. Su amiga **Sara** le llama por teléfono.

PREGUNTA 11

What does **Rob think about** his new neighbourhood? **Tick (✓)** the correct.

a) He thinks that only his parents will be happy.	<input type="checkbox"/>
b) He thinks that his sister will not be happy.	<input type="checkbox"/>
c) He thinks that everybody in the family will be happy.	<input type="checkbox"/>
d) He thinks that only the dog will be happy.	<input type="checkbox"/>

PREGUNTA 12

Choose the **correct ending** for each sentence. **Circle** the correct option, **a), b) or c).**

1. Both Rob and Emily...

- a) Do their homework in their room.
- b) Have got their own rooms.
- c) Watch films with their parents.

2. Rob's parents...

- a) Have got some new friends in the new neighbourhood.
- b) Haven't got any new friends.
- c) Usually go out with their friends.

3. Sara and Rob...

- a) Are going to a concert together tomorrow.
- b) Are practising the guitar this evening.
- c) Were composing a song this morning.

4. Sara...

- a) Lives in the same street as Rob.
- b) Is Rob's girlfriend.
- c) Lives in Rob's old neighbourhood.

PREGUNTA 13

Where and when are Sara and Rob meeting tomorrow? **Tick (✓)** the correct.

a) They are meeting at Sara's house at 8:30.	<input type="checkbox"/>
b) They are meeting at Rob's house at 7:30.	<input type="checkbox"/>
c) They are meeting at the concert at 6:30.	<input type="checkbox"/>
d) They are meeting at Rob's house at 8:30.	<input type="checkbox"/>

PREGUNTA 14

Tick (✓) the following sentences “**T**” (True) or “**F**” (False).

	T	F
a) Rob's sister is a fan of Justin Bieber.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b) Rob's sister likes Tom because he has got blond hair.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c) Rob and Sara are composing some songs at the moment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

PREGUNTA 15

Choose and circle the correct word for each one of these sentences.

- Emily will decorate her bedroom walls with _____.
poster photographs
- Spooky will run around in the _____.
house garden
- Rob's parents like watching _____ films.
old terror
- Rob and Sara don't like the same _____ at school.
subjects sports

BIG CITY / SMALL VILLAGE



PREGUNTA 16

Five of the words in the list are connected with a small village and another **five** with a big city.

Quiet Noisy Pollution Silence Fresh air Animals
Traffic Museums Cheap Expensive

Write the **words** in the **correct place**.

BIG CITY

SMALL VILLAGE

PREGUNTA 17

Imagine that you have received an **e-mail from your relatives in Madrid inviting** you to spend a few days with them.

Write an e-mail of about 50 words. Follow these steps:

- **First accept their invitation.**
- **Then tell them some details about your trip: means of transport, date and time of arrival, etc.**
- **Finally, tell them some things that you would like to do while you are with them.**

PREGUNTA 18

Compare a city and a village using the **adjectives given**.

EXAMPLE:

NOISY A city is **noisier** than a village

BIG _____

CLEAN _____

POLLUTED _____

EXPENSIVE _____

PREGUNTA 19

Complete the sentences below by **giving good reasons**.

I would like to live in a big city because _____

I would like to live in a small village because _____

I wouldn't like to live in a big city because _____

I wouldn't like to live in a small village because _____

PREGUNTA 20

There are **8 mistakes** in this text. **Underline** the mistakes and **write it again correctly**.

I were born on a small village near a river. When I had twenty-five I moved to London.

I didn't liked it much because there wasn't many fresh air and there was too many people.

My friend Bob loves living in bigs cities because there is lots of cinemas and museums.

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