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PAPER 2 READING COMPREHENSION

Thursday **16 June 2022** 1:00 P.M.–1:50 P.M.
(50 minutes)

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

Write your school number, candidate number, surname and initials in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

Answer ALL questions (in ink) in the spaces provided in this booklet.

You must read and **adhere to all instructions**.

You need not write complete sentences, but you must **give all relevant information**.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks available is shown in brackets [] at the end of each question.

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Exercise 1	
Exercise 2	
Exercise 3	
Exercise 4	
TOTAL	



This question paper consists of 9 printed pages and 3 blank pages.

EXERCISE 1**Questions 1–10**

You are an exchange student in Valencia, Spain.

Tick (✓) the box alongside the sign you should look for in each situation. Tick **ONE** box only.

1. Your host mother asks you to buy bread for dinner.

A	CARNICERÍA	
B	LIBRERÍA	
C	PANADERÍA	
D	PESCADERÍA	

[1]

2. You also need to purchase aspirin.

A	FARMACIA	
B	JUGUETERÍA	
C	PASTELERÍA	
D	PERFUMERÍA	

[1]

3. You would like to send a postcard to your family.

A	CORREOS	
B	ESTADIO	
C	MERCADO	
D	ZOO	

[1]

4. You would like to purchase some fresh pastries.

A	CARNICERÍA	
B	FLORISTERÍA	
C	PASTELERÍA	
D	ZAPATERÍA	

[1]

5. You would like to buy a shirt for your host father's birthday.

A	BLUSAS	
B	CAMISAS	
C	TRAJES	
D	ZAPATOS	

[1]



6. You need to borrow a book to complete an assignment.

A	BIBLIOTECA	
B	ESTADIO	
C	LIBRERÍA	
D	PELUQUERÍA	

[1]

7. You would like to purchase some flowers for your teacher.

A	FLORISTERÍA	
B	HELADERÍA	
C	JUGUETERÍA	
D	PAPELERÍA	

[1]

8. You need to cash a cheque.

A	BANCO	
B	CATEDRAL	
C	OFICINA DE TURISMO	
D	RESTAURANTE	

[1]

9. You intend to buy a kilo of tomatoes at the market.

A	CEBOLLAS	
B	PATATAS	
C	TOMATES	
D	ZANAHORIAS	

[1]

10. You have agreed to meet a classmate at the mall.

A	CENTRO COMERCIAL	
B	GIMNASIO	
C	PARQUE	
D	TEATRO	

[1]

TOTAL MARKS [10]

EXERCISE 2

Questions 11–17

You and your Cuban friend are at a Costa Rican restaurant in New York City. Read the menu carefully.



El rincón tico

*Abierto de lunes a sábado
6 a.m. – 8:30 p.m.*



Especialidad del día

Olla de carne _____ \$13

Sopas

Sopa negra _____ \$6

Sopa de verduras _____ \$6

Sándwiches

Queso _____ \$5

Jamón _____ \$6

Atún _____ \$5

Platos principales

Arroz con pollo _____ \$10

Pescado frito con ensalada _____ \$16

Pollo con papas _____ \$9

Postres

Arroz con leche _____ \$5

Tres leches (pastel) _____ \$7

Bebidas

Agua mineral _____ \$3

Jugo naranja/manzana/piña _____ \$3

Fresco de limón (limonada) _____ \$5

Vino blanco/tinto _____ \$7



Answer each question by ticking (✓) the appropriate box.

	TRUE	FALSE	
11. The restaurant is open every day.			[1]
12. Today's special is a meat dish.			[1]
13. Chicken and rice costs \$9.			[1]
14. Vegetable soup is available.			[1]
15. Ham sandwiches are mentioned on the menu.			[1]
16. Both desserts offered contain milk.			[1]
17. Wine is not served at this restaurant.			[1]

TOTAL MARKS [7]

EXERCISE 3**Questions 18–22**

You see the following article, in which five young people talk about their future plans. Read what they say and answer each question by writing the correct name on the line provided. Do **NOT** attempt to **TRANSLATE** any of the names into English.

Susana

Pienso vivir en Suiza, Bélgica o Canadá después de terminar mis estudios. Quiero aprender a hablar francés perfectamente.

Alberto

Voy a ser camarero porque los camareros que conozco ganan mucho dinero.

Amparo

Quiero ser niñera porque me encanta cuidar de los niños.

Mariana

Tengo que hacer cursos de informática porque quiero ser programadora.

Felipe

Voy a vivir y trabajar en el campo. Pienso ser agricultor.



Who wants to

18.help take care of children? _____ [1]
19.be a waiter? _____ [1]
20. ...live in the countryside? _____ [1]
21.speak a foreign language fluently? _____ [1]
22.work with computers? _____ [1]

TOTAL MARKS [5]

EXERCISE 4

Questions 23–34

Your Mexican penfriend, José, introduces himself by email. Read what he says and answer the questions that follow in **ENGLISH**.

¡Hola!

¿Qué tal? Me gustaría presentarme. Me llamo José Núñez, pero en casa me dicen Pepe. Tengo catorce años y vivo en las afueras de la Ciudad de México. Me encanta mi pueblo porque es limpio y tranquilo. Lo malo es que no hay muchas actividades para los jóvenes.

Tengo una familia aventurosa. A nosotros nos encanta visitar otros países, acampar en las montañas y pescar en los lagos. Cada verano viajamos a un lugar diferente, lo que me fascina.

Mi colegio está en el centro del pueblo donde vivo. Me encantan los idiomas extranjeros. Por lo tanto, en enero empecé a tomar clases extras de inglés. En el futuro voy a vivir en Londres, capital de Inglaterra. Los ingleses dicen *London*. *Londres* es lo que decimos en español. El verano pasado mi familia y yo fuimos a Inglaterra. Pasamos dos semanas en la capital, donde visité muchos museos. Me gustó sobre todo el *British Museum*. Como hay buenas tiendas en muchas partes de la ciudad, hice muchas compras. Compré ropa, zapatos y, por supuesto, algunos libros. Los libros que compré me ayudan a escribir bien el inglés. ¡Mi viaje a Inglaterra fue la mejor experiencia de mi vida!

Mi deporte favorito es la natación. Nado cinco veces por semana. Soy muy popular en el colegio porque gano muchas medallas. También me gusta leer y bailar. No me gusta ver películas porque es muy aburrido. Por eso mis amigos dicen que soy un poco raro.

Podemos escribirnos con frecuencia, unas veces en español, otras veces en inglés. Cuéntame un poco de ti, por favor.

Un abrazo,
Pepe

Answer the following questions in **ENGLISH**:

23. What does José say about the name *Pepe*?

_____ [1]

24. How old is José?

_____ [1]

25. Why does José like the town where he lives? Give **ONE** reason.

_____ [1]



26. What is the disadvantage of living in his hometown?
_____ [1]
27. What are **TWO** things his family likes to do?

_____ [1]
28. When did José start taking extra English classes?
_____ [1]
29. What does he plan to do in the future?
_____ [1]
30. When did José's family travel to England?
_____ [1]
31. How have the books José bought proved useful?
_____ [1]
32. How often does he swim?
_____ [1]
33. Why is he popular at school?
_____ [1]
34. Why do José's friends find him strange?
_____ [1]

TOTAL MARKS [13]



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