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Unit 2

		% of AS	Marks
AO2	Response to written language	10	18
AO3	Knowledge of grammar	5	9
AO4	Knowledge of society	15	27
	TOTAL	30	54

Annotation of Scripts

The following conventions will be used by examiners marking scripts:

	AO2 (Reaction and Response)		AO4 (Content)		
®	written in the margin to indicate reaction/response relevant to AO2 where this includes reason/justification of opinion.	©	written in the margin to indicate information relevant to AO4, derived from a source other than the current Preliminary Material and relevant to the question set.		
R	written in the margin to indicate reaction/response relevant to AO2 when no justification is given.	С	written in the margin to indicate information relevant to AO4, derived from the Preliminary Material and relevant to the question set.		
		Т	written in the margin to indicate information generally relevant to the topic.		
Rep written in the margin to indicate repetition of information relevant to AO4 or AO2.					
Irr	Irr vertical line in the margin = irrelevant/inappropriate material.				

The mark for AO4, AO2 and AO3 respectively written at the foot of an answer accompanied, where the examiner deems it necessary, by a word or phrase quoted from the criteria for assessment as published in the specification.

Question 1(a)

La nueva tecnología, ¿atrae a los españoles que quieren informarse? Explica tu opinión y da ejemplos

C =	AO4 content from PM	T =	generally relevant to topic area	R =	good AO2 point, no justification
= ©	AO4 content not from PM	Rep =	repeated point (AO4/AO2)	® =	justified AO2 point
	irrelevant/inappropriate material				

AO2	Reaction/response	Amplification
	(These marks are awarded based on the extent to	
	which the candidate answers the question set)	
15-18	The answer is clearly focused on the question and displays a logical and coherent personal reaction to the question which is well justified by clearly stated opinions.	Clear, consistent focus on whether Spaniards attracted by new technology in media (Almost) all opinions are clearly illustrated to show why believe Spaniards attracted by new technology in media or not.
11-14	There is clear evidence of personal reaction to the question, but this is not consistently maintained. There is some justification, but the consistency of the opinions is variable.	Generally focused on whether believe Spaniards attracted by new technology in media (Almost) all opinions are clearly illustrated though not all comments relate clearly to question
7-10	The answer lacks focus and ideas are not clearly organised. Some personal reaction to the question is evident, but justification is weak.	Not clearly focused on whether believe Spaniards attracted by new technology in media Little (or inappropriate) explanation/justification of why believe Spaniards attracted by new technology in media or not.
3-6	This is a limited personal reaction to the question, but no justification for points made.	Poor focus on whether Spaniards attracted by new technology in media 1 or 2 opinions but probably not focused on whether Spaniards attracted by new technology in media
1-2	There is virtually no personal reaction to the question, but there is a little reaction to the topic.	Little/No focus on Q. 1 or 2 random points – probably little/ no attempt to comment on whether Spaniards attracted by new technology in media. Maybe little focus on Spain
0	There is no evidence of any personal reaction/response.	

AO3	Knowledge of Grammar (These marks are awarded based on the degree to which the candidate uses structures and grammar as outlined in the specification)
8-9	The manipulation of most structures is good. There are still some inaccuracies, but these tend to occur in attempts at more complex structures.
6-7	The manipulation of basic structures is generally sound. There are attempts to use more complex structures, often successfully.
4-5	There is some awareness of structure but basic errors are still frequent. Communication is generally maintained.
2-3	The level of manipulation of structures and the number of errors make comprehension difficult.
0-1	Shows little or no grasp of grammatical structure. Errors are such that communication is seriously impaired.

AO4	Content/Knowledge of Society	Possible Content Points
704	(These marks are awarded based on the	NB Not essential to use PM but other sources do
	quality of the evidence that the candidate	not necessarily score higher marks.
	uses to support the argument in AO2)	In general, apart from top band, quality & quantity
	uses to support the argument in AO2)	of evidence more important than source.
		C TV probably proves not most attracted to very
		modern forms of media
23-27	The answer is well illustrated with	
	descriptions which are logically and	99.2% homes have TV
	coherently developed and do not depend	Only 0.8%,68,000 of 38 million no TV,
	exclusively on the preliminary material.	Watch most in Europe
	Relevant points are clearly stated and there	:60.4% in main room; 54.9% in dining room, 30%
	is definite evidence of reading around the	in bedroom
	topic.	Press –not popular; may prove older forms not
	Good use of topic-specific vocabulary	attractive
	Quality of the evidence very good	Only 105 per 1000 over 14s read papers
	Understanding of the topic very good.	Average age of readers increasing readership less
	enderetarium g en une tepre very geed.	than half that of European average
		©
		Mobiles/Internet –seem to prove are attracted facts
		from previous PM plus relevant up to date Sp
		statistics on use.
		Radio- quite popular; shows attracted to older
		technologies Spanish details on no. listeners,
		hours per day etc. 23F?
		NB: Video games, ipods technology but not really
		media. Blackberries, iphones fine but need
		Spanish facts
17-22	The answer makes a number of points	23-27 Band. Will use many C points very well
''	relevant to specific issues.	and/or equally relevant © in same way.
	It shows some independence from, or clear	Examples will cover several media. Every example
	manipulation of, the preliminary material.	Spanish & relates very clearly to situation in Spain
	Makes use of topic-specific vocabulary.	Opamish a relates very eleany to situation in opami
	Quality of the evidence good	17-22 Band. Almost as many C points (or equally
	Understanding of the topic good.	relevant ©) used well still mentioning several
	Onderstanding of the topic good.	media.
		Not as many points and/or not related quite as
		clearly to the question
11-16	The answer relies heavily on the preliminary	11-16 Band. Several points (C and/or ©) but
	material, but there is an attempt made to	probably coverage of limited number of media
	manipulate this material. Some topic-specific	and/or not always used to illustrate whether
	vocabulary. Quality of the evidence sufficient	Spaniards attracted by new technology in media
		Spaniards attracted by new technology in media
5-10	Understanding of the topic sufficient. The answer relies almost exclusively on the	5 10 Rand 1 or 2 points about madia in Casin
5-10	-	5-10 Band. 1 or 2 points about media in Spain.
	preliminary material.	Random facts –not used to prove whether
	Quality of evidence limited	Spaniards attracted by new technology in media
	Understanding of the topic limited.	And/or Generalisations with little Spanish
	The second state of the se	evidence.
1-4	The answer includes very little factual	1-4 Band Generalisations about media. Little/no
	evidence.	reference to Spain or importance of new
	Quality of the evidence poor	technology in media there.
	Understanding of the topic poor.	
0	There is absolutely nothing of relevance	
	either to the topic area or to the question set.	
	A zero score will automatically result n zero	
	for the question as a whole.	

Question 1(b)

¿Crees que la televisión ha perdido su influencia en España? Explica tu opinión y da ejemplos.

C =	AO4 content from PM	T =	generally relevant to	R=	good AO2 point, no
			topic area		justification
© =	AO4 content not from	Rep =	repeated point	® =	justified AO2 point
	PM		(AO4/AO2)		
	irrelevant/inappropriate				
==	material				

AO2	Reaction/response	Amplification
	(These marks are awarded based on the extent to which the candidate answers the question set)	
15-18	The answer is clearly focused on the question and displays a logical and coherent personal reaction to the question which is well justified by clearly stated opinions.	Clear, consistent focus on whether TV lost influence in Spain (Almost) all points clearly justified as to whether TV lost influence in Spain. NB. Answers in this band must give balanced consideration to other media also
11-14	There is clear evidence of personal reaction to the question, but this is not consistently maintained. There is some justification, but the consistency of the opinions is variable.	Generally focused on whether TV lost influence in Spain Not all comments relate clearly to question. Not all appropriately justified/illustrated
7-10	The answer lacks focus and ideas are not clearly organised. Some personal reaction to the question is evident, but justification is weak.	Not clearly focused on whether TV lost influence in Spain (Maybe general consideration of media in Spain Little (or inappropriate) explanation/justification of why feel TV lost influence in Spain or not
3-6	This is a limited personal reaction to the question, but no justification for points made.	Poor focus on whether TV lost influence in Spain 1 or 2 opinions but probably not relating to loss of influence/importance of TV Maybe little reference to Spain
1-2	There is virtually no personal reaction to the question, but there is a little reaction to the topic.	Little/No focus on Q. 1 or 2 random points – probably no attempt to comment on influence of TV and/or of Spain.
0	There is no evidence of any personal reaction/response.	

AO3	Knowledge of Grammar
	(These marks are awarded based on the degree to which the candidate uses structures and grammar as
	outlined in the specification)
8-9	The manipulation of most structures is good. There are still some inaccuracies, but these tend to occur in
	attempts at more complex structures.
6-7	The manipulation of basic structures is generally sound. There are attempts to use more complex
	structures, often successfully.
4-5	There is some awareness of structure but basic errors are still frequent. Communication is generally
	maintained.
2-3	The level of manipulation of structures and the number of errors make comprehension difficult.
0-1	Shows little or no grasp of grammatical structure. Errors are such that communication is seriously
	impaired.

AO4	Content/Knowledge of Society	Possible Content Points		
	(These marks are awarded based on the quality of the evidence that the candidate uses to support the argument in AO2)	NB Not essential to use PM but other sources do not necessarily score higher marks In general, apart from top band quality & quantity of evidence more important than source. Not lost influence/importance C 99.2% homes have TV		
23-27	The answer is well illustrated with descriptions which are logically and coherently developed and do not depend exclusively on the preliminary material. Relevant points are clearly stated and there is definite evidence of reading around the topic. Good use of topic-specific vocabulary Quality of the evidence very good Understanding of the topic very good.	(60.4% in main room;54.9% in dining room, 30% in bedroom) Only 0.8%,68,000 of 38 million no TV – views of 'los sin tele' on learning more without © No. of hours watched by children instead of homework etc, Not threatened by other media C Press Only 105 per 1000 over 14s read papers (seen as heavy?) Govt feels need for Plan de Fomento		
17-22	The answer makes a number of points relevant to specific issues. It shows some independence from, or clear manipulation of, the preliminary material. Makes use of topic-specific vocabulary. Quality of the evidence good Understanding of the topic good.	Threatened by other media ©Mobiles- previous PM on distracting from school work Internet –previous PM – informing selves about possible partners. 23-27 Band. Will use (almost) all C points very well and/or equally relevant © in same way. Every example is Spanish and relates very clearly to whether TV lost influence in Spain		
		17-22 Band. Almost all C points (or equally relevant ©) used well relating not quite as clearly to whether TV lost influence in Spain . Starting to have not enough balance in consideration of other media		
11-16	The answer relies heavily on the preliminary material, but there is an attempt made to manipulate this material. Some topic-specific vocabulary. Quality of the evidence sufficient Understanding of the topic sufficient.	11-16 Band. Several points (C and/or ©) but probably unclear whether TV lost influence in Spain (or more a general discussion of media).		
5-10	The answer relies almost exclusively on the preliminary material. Quality of evidence limited Understanding of the topic limited.	5-10 Band. 1 or 2 points about media in Spain. Or random facts rather than relating to whether TV lost influence in Spain And/or Generalisations with little Spanish evidence.		
1-4	The answer includes very little factual evidence. Quality of the evidence poor Understanding of the topic poor.	1-4 Band Generalisations about media. And/or little/no reference to Spain.		
0	There is absolutely nothing of relevance either to the topic area or to the question set. A zero score will automatically result in zero for the question as a whole.			

Question 2(a)

¿Qué hacen los españoles para tener un país más 'verde'? Explica tu opinión y da ejemplos.

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© =	AO4 content not from PM	Rep =	repeated point (AO4/AO2)	® =	justified AO2 point
==	irrelevant/inappropria te material				

AO2	Reaction/response (These marks are awarded based on the	Amplification
	extent to which the candidate answers the question set)	
15-18	The answer is clearly focused on the question and displays a logical and coherent personal reaction to the question which is well justified by clearly stated opinions.	Clear, consistent focus on what Spaniards doing to clean up environment/reduce emissions/use less energy. Clearly stated opinions as to effectiveness of Spanish attempts to improve environment. (Almost) all points clearly justified with clear opinions on what Spaniards doing to clean up environment/reduce emissions/use less energy. NB: For highest marks egs & opinions must focus on Q.
11-14	There is clear evidence of personal reaction to the question, but this is not consistently maintained. There is some justification, but the consistency of the opinions is variable.	Generally focused on what Spaniards doing to clean up environment/reduce emissions/use less energy. Not all comments relate clearly to what Spaniards doing in this respect. Not all appropriately justified/illustrated with opinions on what Spaniards doing to clean up environment/reduce emissions/use less energy.
7-10	The answer lacks focus and ideas are not clearly organised. Some personal reaction to the question is evident, but justification is weak.	Not clearly focused on what Spaniards doing to improve environment. Unclear opinions on whether think Spaniards trying to improve environment or not Little (or inappropriate) explanation why think Spaniards trying to improve environment.
3-6	This is a limited personal reaction to the question, but no justification for points made.	Poor focus on whether trying to improve environment. 1 or 2 opinions but probably in environmental issues generally.
1-2	There is virtually no personal reaction to the question, but there is a little reaction to the topic.	Little/No focus on Q. 1 or 2 random points – probably no attempt to comment on Spain and/or attempts to improve environment
0	There is no evidence of any personal reaction/response.	

AO3	Knowledge of Grammar (These marks are awarded based on the degree to which the candidate uses structures and grammar as outlined in the specification)
8-9	The manipulation of most structures is good. There are still some inaccuracies, but these tend to occur in attempts at more complex structures.
6-7	The manipulation of basic structures is generally sound. There are attempts to use more complex structures, often successfully.
4-5	There is some awareness of structure but basic errors are still frequent. Communication is generally maintained.
2-3	The level of manipulation of structures and the number of errors make comprehension difficult.
0-1	Shows little or no grasp of grammatical structure. Errors are such that communication is seriously impaired.

AO4	Content/Knowledge of Society	Possible Content Points
	(These marks are awarded based on the quality of the evidence that the candidate uses to support the argument in AO2)	NB Not essential to use PM but other sources do not necessarily score higher marks. In general, apart from top band quality & quantity of evidence more important than source.
23-27	The answer is well illustrated with descriptions which are logically and coherently developed and do not depend exclusively on the preliminary material. Relevant points are clearly stated and there is definite evidence of reading around the topic. Good use of topic-specific vocabulary Quality of the evidence very good Understanding of the topic very good.	C Yes, trying to make 'greener' Día sin coches/reducing car use (ie. Cleaner air, less noise) Free buses-Málaga & Alcantarilla Málaga- use of bikes or walked Alcantarilla- free parking if use bus 5,00 leaflets to raise awareness Police checks to advise if vehicle noisy etc Use of Renewable Energy (ie less CO2)
17-22	The answer makes a number of points relevant to specific issues. It shows some independence from, or clear manipulation of, the preliminary material. Makes use of topic-specific vocabulary. Quality of the evidence good Understanding of the topic good.	Madrid- comunidad & IDAE give grants for solar panels New houses: solar energy for 60/75% of hot water. Wind power- 34% increase in 2001 (saves 6 mill tons CO2, produces electricity 1.7 million families NB Pabellón only valid if stress awareness raising leading to less CO2 etc © Yes, trying to make greener: other Sp. facts on reducing use of cars or renewable energy. Also:3 erres ,leyes del guante verde, Calviá, ecotasa, etc No, not making greener: forest fires, (pollution) pollution of water beaches, noise & other pollution NB. Focus on cleaning making greener. 23-27 Band. Will use (almost) all C points very well and/or equally relevant © in same way. Best candidates will probably argue for and against. Good examples of attempts to make greener or not. Every example is Spanish and relates very clearly to making greener (or not) of environment 17-22 Band. Almost all C points (or equally relevant ©) used well relating not quite as clearly to making environment greener.
11-16	The answer relies heavily on the preliminary material, but there is an attempt made to manipulate this material. Some topic-specific vocabulary. Quality of the evidence sufficient Understanding of the topic sufficient.	11-16 Band. Several points (C and/or ©) but not always showing clear link to making environment greener or not. Possibly unfocused refs to any aspect of environment.
5-10	The answer relies almost exclusively on the preliminary material. Quality of evidence limited Understanding of the topic limited.	5-10 Band. 1 or 2 points about environment in Spain that do not showing how attempt to make environment greener. And/or Generalisations with little Spanish evidence.
1-4	The answer includes very little factual evidence. Quality of the evidence poor Understanding of the topic poor.	1-4 Band Generalisations about environment. Little/no reference to attempts to improve. Little/no reference to Spain.
0	There is absolutely nothing of relevance either to the topic area or to the question set. A zero score will automatically result in zero for the question as a whole.	

Question 2(b)

'La contaminación ya no es un problema en España.' ¿Estás de acuerdo?

Explica tu opinión y da ejemplos

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© =	AO4 content not from PM	Rep =	repeated point (AO4/AO2)	® =	justified AO2 point
	irrelevant/inappropriate material				

AO2	Reaction/response	Amplification
	(These marks are awarded based on the extent to	
	which the candidate answers the question set)	
15-18	The answer is clearly focused on the question and	Clear, consistent focus on whether pollution a
	displays a logical and coherent personal reaction to	problem or not in Spain. All egs comments& egs. to
	the question which is well justified by clearly stated	reinforce this point
	opinions.	All comments relate to whether pollution a problem
		or not in Spain. (Almost) all points clearly justified to
		show how/whether pollution a problem or not.
11-14	There is clear evidence of personal reaction to the	Generally focused on whether pollution a problem
	question, but this is not consistently maintained.	or not in Spain. Not all comments relate clearly to
	There is some justification, but the consistency of	focus of question.
	the opinions is variable.	Not all appropriately justified/illustrated
7-10	The answer lacks focus and ideas are not clearly	Not clearly focused on whether pollution a problem
	organised. Some personal reaction to the question	or not in Spain Probably facts/comments more
	is evident, but justification is weak.	about Spanish environment generally
		Little (or inappropriate) explanation/justification.
3-6	This is a limited personal reaction to the question,	Poor focus on Q set. Random facts about
	but no justification for points made.	environmental issues in Spain
		1 or 2 opinions , probably about environment
		generally rather than pollution
1-2	There is virtually no personal reaction to the	Little/No focus on Q.
	question, but there is a little reaction to the topic.	1 or 2 random points, probably with little/no Spanish
		focus
0	There is no evidence of any personal	
	reaction/response.	

AO3	Knowledge of Grammar
	(These marks are awarded based on the degree to which the candidate uses structures and grammar as
	outlined in the specification)
8-9	The manipulation of most structures is good. There are still some inaccuracies, but these tend to occur in
	attempts at more complex structures.
6-7	The manipulation of basic structures is generally sound. There are attempts to use more complex
	structures, often successfully.
4-5	There is some awareness of structure but basic errors are still frequent. Communication is generally
	maintained.
2-3	The level of manipulation of structures and the number of errors make comprehension difficult.
0-1	Shows little or no grasp of grammatical structure. Errors are such that communication is seriously
	impaired.

AO4	Content/Knowledge of Society	Possible Content Points
	(These marks are awarded based on the quality	NB Not essential to use PM but other sources
	of the evidence that the candidate uses to support the argument in AO2)	do not necessarily score higher marks In general, apart from top band quality & quantity of evidence more important than source
		Agree C Día sin coches to cut down use of
23-27	The answer is well illustrated with descriptions which are logically and coherently developed and do not depend exclusively on the preliminary material. Relevant points are clearly stated and there is definite evidence of reading around the topic. Good use of topic-specific vocabulary	CO2 emissions Encourage use of renewable/less polluting energy Solar power – in new buildings in Madrid to Provide 60-75% hot water Grants for older buildings to install Wind power-34% increase in I year Energy for
	Quality of the evidence very good	1.4 mill families
17-22	Understanding of the topic very good. The answer makes a number of points relevant to specific issues. It shows some independence from, or clear manipulation of, the preliminary material. Makes use of topic-specific vocabulary. Quality of the evidence good Understanding of the topic good.	Keen to spread message with Pabellon © More Sp facts re. Wind, solar, hydroelectric power, biodiesel fuels, Sp egs of bike lanes, car sharing etc Disagree © .Día sin coches led to more use of cars; Tourism: Sp egs. polluting beaches etc Prestige (NB failure to respond fast enough) Forest fires(pollute with smoke) NB. No place here for, lince, PNH 23-27 Band. Will use (almost) all C points very well and/or equally relevant © in same way. Every example is Spanish and relates very clearly to pollution issues 17-22 Band. Almost all C points (or equally relevant ©) used well to show whether pollution a problem or not in Spain.
11-16	The answer relies heavily on the preliminary material, but there is an attempt made to manipulate this material. Some topic-specific vocabulary. Quality of the evidence sufficient Understanding of the topic sufficient.	11-16 Band. Several C (and/or ©) points but not always used appropriately to answer question set. Probably not always well used to show whether pollution a problem or not in Spain. Probably references to environment issues unconnected with pollution.
5-10	The answer relies almost exclusively on the preliminary material. Quality of evidence limited Understanding of the topic limited.	5-10 Band. 1 or 2 points about Spanish environmental issues A few random facts; little attempt to relate to pollution in Spain Generalisations with only a little Spanish evidence.
1-4	The answer includes very little factual evidence. Quality of the evidence poor Understanding of the topic poor.	1-4 Band Generalisations about environmental issues/resources Little/no reference to Spain.
0	There is absolutely nothing of relevance either to the topic area or to the question set. A zero score will automatically result in zero for the question as a whole.	

Question 3(a)

Los españoles no se interesan por la gente de otros países y culturas.'¿ Estás de acuerdo?

Explica tu opinión y da ejemplos.

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© =	AO4 content not from PM	Rep =	repeated point (AO4/AO2)	® =	justified AO2 point
==	irrelevant/inappropriate material				

AO2	Reaction/response	Amplification
	(These marks are awarded based on the extent to which the candidate answers the question set)	
15-18	The answer is clearly focused on the question and displays a logical and coherent personal reaction to the question which is well justified by clearly stated opinions.	Clear, consistent focus on whether Spaniards interested in/concerned for immigrants etc NB. Must be whether Spaniards interested in/concerned for immigrants etc, not just what happens to immigrants etc in Spain. Clearly stated opinions as to whether interested/concerned or not (Almost) all points clearly justified as to why feel interested/concerned or not
11-14	There is clear evidence of personal reaction to the question, but this is not consistently maintained. There is some justification, but the consistency of the opinions is variable.	Generally focused focus on whether Spaniards interested in/concerned for immigrants etc. Not all comments relate clearly to whether consider interested or not. .ot all appropriately justified/illustrated
7-10	The answer lacks focus and ideas are not clearly organised. Some personal reaction to the question is evident, but justification is weak.	Not clearly focused focus on whether Spaniards interested in/concerned for immigrants etc Probably unclear opinion on how/whether interested or generalisations about immigrants. Little (or inappropriate) explanation/justification of why think Spaniards interested/concerned or not
3-6	This is a limited personal reaction to the question, but no justification for points made.	Poor focus on whether Spaniards interested in/concerned for immigrants etc. 1 or 2 opinions, probably about immigration generally
1-2	There is virtually no personal reaction to the question, but there is a little reaction to the topic.	Little/No focus on Q. 1 or 2 random points – probably no attempt to comment on interest/concern.
0	There is no evidence of any personal reaction/response.	

AO3	Knowledge of Grammar (These marks are awarded based on the degree to which the candidate uses structures and grammar as outlined in the specification)
8-9	The manipulation of most structures is good. There are still some inaccuracies, but these tend to occur in attempts at more complex structures.
6-7	The manipulation of basic structures is generally sound. There are attempts to use more complex structures, often successfully.
4-5	There is some awareness of structure but basic errors are still frequent. Communication is generally maintained.
2-3	The level of manipulation of structures and the number of errors make comprehension difficult.
0-1	Shows little or no grasp of grammatical structure. Errors are such that communication is seriously impaired.

AO4	Content/Knowledge of Society	Possible Content Points
	(These marks are awarded based on the	NB Not essential to use PM but other sources do
	quality of the evidence that the candidate	not necessarily score higher marks
	uses to support the argument in AO2)	In general, apart from top band quality & quantity
		of evidence more important than source.
		NB: Ideally best answers will include gypsies
		Yes, interested/concerned
23-27	The answer is well illustrated with	C. C.P. San Francisco open 8am-1.30pm
	descriptions which are logically and	showers, food as well as lessons children & adult.
	coherently developed and do not depend	© other Sp.egs. organisations helping
	exclusively on the preliminary material.	immigrants.
	Relevant points are clearly stated and there	
	is definite evidence of reading around the	Ley de Extranjería: allowing to become legal.
	topic.	Humanitarian aid to survivors of pateras.
	Good use of topic-specific vocabulary	Allow practice religion, customs etc so feel more
	Quality of the evidence very good	at home (specific Sp. egs)
	Understanding of the topic very good.	Not interested/concerned C egs Text 6 don't know about religion,customs,
17-22	The answer makes a number of points	clothes etc
	relevant to specific issues.	© Hard Sp facts about denying immigrants
	It shows some independence from, or clear	decent work, education, housing
	manipulation of, the preliminary material.	Aspects of Ley de Extranjería that make difficult to
	Makes use of topic-specific vocabulary.	get job etc.
	Quality of the evidence good	NB; Recounting racist incidents, El Ejido etc not
	Understanding of the topic good.	sufficient on own.
	Oriderstanding of the topic good.	
		23-27 Band. Will use (almost) all C points very
		well and/or equally relevant © in same
		way.Every example relates very clearly to whether
		Spaniards interested in/concerned for immigrants
		etc
		17-22 Band. Almost all C points (or equally
		relevant ©) used well relating not quite as clearly
		to whether Spaniards interested in/concerned for
		immigrants etc.
11-16	The answer relies heavily on the preliminary	11-16 Band. Several points (C and/or ©) but not
	material, but there is an attempt made to	always show clear link to showing interest/concern
	manipulate this material.	Probably just account of what happens to
	Some topic-specific vocabulary.	immigrants or what immigrants do.
	Quality of the evidence sufficient	
	Understanding of the topic sufficient.	
5-10	The answer relies almost exclusively on the	5-10 Band. 1 or 2 points about
	preliminary material.	immigration/racism in Spain.
	Quality of evidence limited	Random facts abour immigrants. Probably no links
	Understanding of the topic limited.	to interest/concern for immigrants
		And/or Generalisations with little Spanish
		evidence.
1-4	The answer includes very little factual	1-4 Band Generalisations about
	evidence.	immigrants/racism
	Quality of the evidence poor	And/or little/no reference to Spain.
	Understanding of the topic poor.	Aliazor inticzno relefence to opani.
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0	There is absolutely nothing of relevance	
	either to the topic area or to the question set.	
	A zero score will automatically result in zero	
	for the question as a whole.	

Question 3(b)

'La inmigración sólo causa problemas a España.' ¿Estás de acuerdo? Explica tu opinión y da ejemplos.

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==	irrelevant/inappropriate material				

AO2	Reaction/response	Amplification
	(These marks are awarded based on the	
	extent to which the candidate answers the	
	question set)	
15-18	The answer is clearly focused on the question and displays a logical and coherent personal reaction to the question which is well justified by clearly stated opinions.	Clear, consistent focus on whether immigration causes problems for Spain or not. Clearly stated opinions on whether immigration causes problems or not. (Almost) all points and opinions clearly illustrated with egs referring to problems (or not) of immigration
11-14	There is clear evidence of personal reaction to the	Generally focused on whether immigration
	question, but this is not consistently maintained.	causes problems for Spain or not Not all
	There is some justification, but the consistency of	comments relate clearly to whether immigration
	the opinions is variable.	causes problems for Spain or not.
		Not all appropriately justified/illustrated
7-10	The answer lacks focus and ideas are not clearly	Not clearly focused on whether immigration causes
	organised. Some personal reaction to the question	problems for Spain or not Probably generalised
	is evident, but justification is weak.	opinions about immigrants.
		Little (or inappropriate) explanation/justification
3-6	This is a limited personal reaction to the question,	Poor focus on problems (or not) od immigration in
	but no justification for points made.	Spain
		1 or 2 opinions but almost certainly about immigration
		in general
1-2	There is virtually no personal reaction to the	Little/No focus on Q.
	question, but there is a little reaction to the topic.	1 or 2 random points – probably no attempt to
		comment on question set.
0	There is no evidence of any personal reaction/response.	

AO3	Knowledge of Grammar
	(These marks are awarded based on the degree to which the candidate uses structures and grammar as
	outlined in the specification)
8-9	The manipulation of most structures is good. There are still some inaccuracies, but these tend to occur in
	attempts at more complex structures.
6-7	The manipulation of basic structures is generally sound. There are attempts to use more complex
	structures, often successfully.
4-5	There is some awareness of structure but basic errors are still frequent. Communication is generally
	maintained.
2-3	The level of manipulation of structures and the number of errors make comprehension difficult.
0-1	Shows little or no grasp of grammatical structure. Errors are such that communication is seriously
	impaired.

AO4	Content/Knowledge of Society	Possible Content Points		
	(These marks are awarded based on the quality of the evidence that the candidate uses to support the argument in AO2)	NB Not essential to use PM but other sources do not necessarily score higher marks. In general, apart from top band quality & quantity of evidence more important than source. Agree causes problems:		
23-27	The answer is well illustrated with descriptions which are logically and coherently developed and do not depend exclusively on the preliminary material. Relevant points are clearly stated and there is definite evidence of reading around the topic. Good use of topic-specific vocabulary Quality of the evidence very good Understanding of the topic very good.	C: Text 6 egs of lack of knowledge of religion, customs etc could lead to racial tensions. © racial conflict; El Ejido ,21M etc Pressure on housing, education, health services Sp. egs of 'diluting' national identity – objection to mosques, wearing of veil etc Disagree; does not cause problems C Egs from text 6 about possibility of learning about other religion ,languages., traditions Text 5; schools see advantages of other cultures.		
17-22	The answer makes a number of points relevant to specific issues. It shows some independence from, or clear manipulation of, the preliminary material. Makes use of topic-specific vocabulary. Quality of the evidence good Understanding of the topic good.	© what immigrants can bring – eg Ecuatorian fiesta from previous PM. Specific Sp. egs of greater acceptance of foreign foods, music, customs, religions etc. Economic benefits- work for low wages, do jobs Spanish don't want etc. Pay taxes. Help birth rate. 23-27 Band. Will use many C points very well and/or equally relevant © in same way. Good examples relating to problems or not of immigration Every example relates very clearly to impact of other immigration on Spain 17-22 Band. Almost as many C points (or equally		
11-16	The answer relies heavily on the preliminary material, but there is an attempt made to manipulate this material.	relevant © used well relating not quite as clearly to whether immigration causes problems for Spain or not 11-16 Band. Several points (C and/or ©) but not always showing clear link to whether immigration causes problems for Spain or not.		
	Some topic-specific vocabulary. Quality of the evidence sufficient Understanding of the topic sufficient.	Probably some general information about immigration not linked clearly to the question.		
5-10	The answer relies almost exclusively on the preliminary material. Quality of evidence limited Understanding of the topic limited.	5-10 Band. 1 or 2 points about immigration/racism in Spain.Random facts probably about immigration in Spain rather than problems might bringAnd/or Generalisations with little Spanish evidence.		
1-4	The answer includes very little factual evidence. Quality of the evidence poor Understanding of the topic poor.	1-4 Band Generalisations about immigrants/racism. Little/no reference to problems. Little/no reference to Spain.		
0	There is absolutely nothing of relevance either to the topic area or to the question set. A zero score will automatically result in zero for the question as a whole.			

Question 4(a)

'Los españoles no aprecian lo que les ofrece la Unión Europea.'¿Estás de acuerdo? Explica tu opinión y da ejemplos.

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==	irrelevant/inappropriate material				

AO2	Reaction/response (These marks are awarded based on the extent to which the candidate answers the question set)	Amplification
15-18	The answer is clearly focused on the question and displays a logical and coherent personal reaction to the question which is well justified by clearly stated opinions.	Clear, consistent focus on whether Spaniards appreciate what gain from EU. (If choose to disagree must show clearly why). Clearly stated opinions as to whether Spaniards appreciate what gain from EU or not (Almost) all points clearly justified with examples that prove appreciate (or not) what get from EU.
11-14	There is clear evidence of personal reaction to the question, but this is not consistently maintained. There is some justification, but the consistency of the opinions is variable.	Generally focused on whether Spaniards appreciate what gain from EU. Not all comments relate clearly to appreciating (or not)what get from EU. Not all appropriately justified/illustrated with examples to show appreciation or not.
7-10	The answer lacks focus and ideas are not clearly organised. Some personal reaction to the question is evident, but justification is weak.	Not clearly focused on whether Spaniards appreciate what gain from EU. Unclear opinions on whether appreciate Little (or inappropriate) explanation/justification of why feel appreciate or not.
3-6	This is a limited personal reaction to the question, but no justification for points made.	Poor focus on appreciation of benefits of EU membership Generalisations about EU 1 or 2 opinions but probably about EU generally .
1-2	There is virtually no personal reaction to the question, but there is a little reaction to the topic.	Little/No focus on Q. 1 or 2 random points – probably no attempt to comment on question set.
0	There is no evidence of any personal reaction/response.	

AO3	Knowledge of Grammar
	(These marks are awarded based on the degree to which the candidate uses structures and grammar as
	outlined in the specification)
8-9	The manipulation of most structures is good. There are still some inaccuracies, but these tend to occur in
	attempts at more complex structures.
6-7	The manipulation of basic structures is generally sound. There are attempts to use more complex
	structures, often successfully.
4-5	There is some awareness of structure but basic errors are still frequent. Communication is generally
	maintained.
2-3	The level of manipulation of structures and the number of errors make comprehension difficult.
0-1	Shows little or no grasp of grammatical structure. Errors are such that communication is seriously
	impaired.

AO4	Content/Knowledge of Society	Possible Content Points
	(These marks are awarded based on the	NB Not essential to use PM but other sources do
	quality of the evidence that the candidate	not necessarily score higher marks
	uses to support the argument in AO2)	.In general, apart from top band quality & quantity
		of evidence more important than source.
		Do appreciate
00.07	The second second the second second second	C: Text 7:Can share in projects/ ideas(Alejandra)
23-27	The answer is well illustrated with	Beneficial – less isolated.
	descriptions which are logically and	Lets participate in global economy. (Ma José)
	coherently developed and do not depend	Lack of frontiers- more opportunities (Vicente)
	exclusively on the preliminary material.	More powerful in Europe (Roberto et al)
	Relevant points are clearly stated and there	Text 8: Socrates, Leonardo da Vinci
	is definite evidence of reading around the	EU organisations give protection to consumers,
	topic.	workers etc (need specific organisations)
	Good use of topic-specific vocabulary	© Funds for roads, railways agriculture etc
	Quality of the evidence very good	More Sp.egs. of free movement of students,
	Understanding of the topic very good.	workers & goods.
17-22	The answer makes a number of points	Don't appreciate
	relevant to specific issues.	Difficult to find egs but may say don't like
	It shows some independence from, or clear	C;Canaries no longer free port Loss of culture with globalisation (Elena Text.7)
	manipulation of, the preliminary material.	© Price rises with Euro (previous PM)
	Makes use of topic-specific vocabulary.	Quotas bad for fishing industry
	Quality of the evidence good	Immigrants use Spain as means of entry to EU etc
	Understanding of the topic good.	Influx other EU citizens –raises house prices etc
		23-27 Band. Will use many C points very well
		and/or equally relevant © in same way Every
		example is Spanish and relates very clearly to
		appreciation (or not)of EU membership
		17-22 Band. Almost as many C points (or equally
		relevant ©) used well relating not quite as
		clearly to appreciation (or not) of EU membership
11-16	The answer relies heavily on the preliminary	11-16 Band. Several points (C and/or ©) but
	material, but there is an attempt made to	not always showing clear link to appreciation (or
	manipulate this material. Some topic-specific	not) of EU membership. Probably just 'all I know
	vocabulary. Quality of the evidence sufficient	about EU and Spain. Maybe too much about
	Understanding of the topic sufficient.	general info about Euro etc
5-10	The answer relies almost exclusively on the	5-10 Band. 1 or 2 points about EU.
	preliminary material.	Random facts rather than giving clear information
	Quality of evidence limited	about appreciation.
	Understanding of the topic limited.	And/or Generalisations with little Spanish
		evidence.
1-4	The answer includes very little factual	1-4 Band Generalisations about EU. Little/no
	evidence.	reference to appreciation of effects for Spain.
	Quality of the evidence poor	Little/no reference to Spain.
	Understanding of the topic poor.	Zitaorio fotorono to opuni.
0	There is absolutely nothing of relevance	
	either to the topic area or to the question set.	
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	A zero score will automatically result in zero	
	for the question as a whole.	

Question 4(b)

¿Crees que los españoles reciben suficiente información sobre la Unión Europea? Explica tu opinión y da ejemplos

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AO2	Reaction/response	Amplification
	(These marks are awarded based on the extent to	
	which the candidate answers the question set)	
15-18	The answer is clearly focused on the question and displays a logical and coherent personal reaction to the question which is well justified by clearly stated opinions.	Clear, consistent focus on whether Spaniards know enough about EU (and how can help them.) NB.best answers will focus on rights, opportunities rather than on new roads etc. Clearly stated opinions as to why think Spaniards know about EU (and how can help them.) (Almost) all points clearly justified as to why believe Spaniards know about enough about EU and how EU can help them.
11-14	There is clear evidence of personal reaction to the question, but this is not consistently maintained. There is some justification, but the consistency of the opinions is variable.	Generally focused on whether Spaniards know enough about EU (and how can help them.) Focus not as clear as for 15-18 band. Not all comments relate clearly to whether Spaniards know about EU and how can help them. Not all appropriately justified/illustrated
7-10	The answer lacks focus and ideas are not clearly organised. Some personal reaction to the question is evident, but justification is weak.	Not clearly focused on whether Spaniards know enough about EU (and how can help them.) Opinion not clearly focused on to whether Spaniards know about EU and how can help them Little (or inappropriate) explanation/justification of whether Spaniards know about EU and how can help them
3-6	This is a limited personal reaction to the question, but no justification for points made.	Poor focus on knowing about EU or on Spain. 1 or 2 opinions but probably general comments about EU
1-2	There is virtually no personal reaction to the question, but there is a little reaction to the topic.	Little/No focus on Q. 1 or 2 random points – probably no attempt to comment on Q set.
0	There is no evidence of any personal reaction/response.	

AO3	Knowledge of Grammar
	(These marks are awarded based on the degree to which the candidate uses structures and grammar as
	outlined in the specification)
8-9	The manipulation of most structures is good. There are still some inaccuracies, but these tend to occur in
	attempts at more complex structures.
6-7	The manipulation of basic structures is generally sound. There are attempts to use more complex
	structures, often successfully.
4-5	There is some awareness of structure but basic errors are still frequent. Communication is generally
	maintained.
2-3	The level of manipulation of structures and the number of errors make comprehension difficult.
0-1	Shows little or no grasp of grammatical structure. Errors are such that communication is seriously
	impaired.

AO4	Content/Knowledge of Society	Possible Content Points
	(These marks are awarded based on the	NB Not essential to use PM but other sources do
	quality of the evidence that the candidate	not necessarily score higher marks
	uses to support the argument in AO2)	In general, apart from top band quality & quantity
		of evidence more important than source.
		Yes, sufficient information
23-27	The answer is well illustrated with	C Almost all info from Text 8 egs.
23-21		Should know what EU offers through EU offices in
	descriptions which are logically and	Madrid & Barcelona
	coherently developed and do not depend	Better Health & Safety at work HQs of EU dept in
	exclusively on the preliminary material.	Bilbao,
	Relevant points are clearly stated and there	16 Carrefours for advantages for rural &
	is definite evidence of reading around the	agricultural affairs
	topic.	Euro Info Centres-help for small businesses
	Good use of topic-specific vocabulary	Consumer protection (offices Barcelona & Vitoria)
	Quality of the evidence very good	© .Instituto de la Juventud – tells of becas etc
	Understanding of the topic very good.	No, insufficient information
17-22	The answer makes a number of points	© previous PM re not knowing information on exam
	relevant to specific issues.	on EU.
	It shows some independence from, or clear	23-27 Band. Will use many C points very well
	manipulation of, the preliminary material.	and/or equally relevant © in same way.
	Makes use of topic-specific vocabulary.	Good examples relating very clearly to whether
	Quality of the evidence good	Spaniards know about EU and what offers
	Understanding of the topic good.	17-22 Band. Almost as many C points (or equally
		relevant ©) used well not relating quite as clearly
		to knowing about EU and what offers.
11-16	The answer relies heavily on the preliminary	11-16 Band. Several points (C and/or ©) but
	material, but there is an attempt made to	probably more general info about EU
	manipulate this material. Some topic-specific	
	vocabulary. Quality of the evidence sufficient	
	Understanding of the topic sufficient.	
5-10	The answer relies almost exclusively on the	5-10 Band. 1 or 2 points about EU and Spain
J . J	preliminary material.	Random facts rather than showing whether know
	Quality of evidence limited	about how EU and how can help.
	Understanding of the topic limited.	And/or Generalisations with little Spanish
	Oriderstanding of the topic limited.	evidence.
1-4	The answer includes very little factual	1-4 Band Generalisations about EU . Little/no
1-4	evidence.	reference to what Spaniards know about EU and
	Quality of the evidence poor	what offers.
	Understanding of the topic poor.	Little/no reference to Spain.
•	<u> </u>	Little/110 reletence to Spain.
0	There is absolutely nothing of relevance	
	either to the topic area or to the question set.	
	A zero score will automatically result in zero	
	for the question as a whole.	

Question 5(a)

'Los jóvenes españoles tienen más preocupaciones que los jóvenes hispanoamericanos.' ¿Estás de acuerdo? Explica tu opinión y da ejemplos de España y de Hispanoamérica.

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==	=	irrelevant/inappropriate material				

AO2	Reaction/response	Amplification
	(These marks are awarded based on the extent to	
	which the candidate answers the question set)	
15-18	The answer is clearly focused on the question and displays a logical and coherent personal reaction to the question which is well justified by clearly stated opinions.	Clear, consistent focus on whether young Spaniards more worries than Spanish Americans. Focus must be on a clear comparison, of who has more worries not list of what happens in Spain then list for SA. Clearly stated opinions as to why consider young Spaniards more worries or not (Almost) all points clearly justified with reasons
11-14	There is clear evidence of personal reaction to the question, but this is not consistently maintained. There is some justification, but the consistency of the opinions is variable.	Generally focused on whether young Spaniards more worries than Spanish Americans Not all comments relate clearly to who has more worries .Not all appropriately justified/illustrated
7-10	The answer lacks focus and ideas are not clearly organised. Some personal reaction to the question is evident, but justification is weak.	Not clearly focused on whether young Spaniards more worries than Spanish Americans More likely to be list of aspects of life in Spain & SA. Unclear whether opinions relate to who has more worries. Little (or inappropriate) explanation/justification of why think this.
3-6	This is a limited personal reaction to the question, but no justification for points made.	Poor focus on any idea of on whether young Spaniards more worries than Spanish Americans. 1 or 2 opinions but probably general comments about Spain and/or SA
1-2	There is virtually no personal reaction to the question, but there is a little reaction to the topic.	Little/No focus on Q. 1 or 2 random points – probably no attempt to comment on Q set.
0	There is no evidence of any personal reaction/response.	

AO3	Knowledge of Grammar
	(These marks are awarded based on the degree to which the candidate uses structures and grammar as
	outlined in the specification)
8-9	The manipulation of most structures is good. There are still some inaccuracies, but these tend to occur in
	attempts at more complex structures.
6-7	The manipulation of basic structures is generally sound. There are attempts to use more complex
	structures, often successfully.
4-5	There is some awareness of structure but basic errors are still frequent. Communication is generally
	maintained.
2-3	The level of manipulation of structures and the number of errors make comprehension difficult.
0-1	Shows little or no grasp of grammatical structure. Errors are such that communication is seriously
	impaired.

23-27 17-22	Content/Knowledge of Society (These marks are awarded based on the quality of the evidence that the candidate uses to support the argument in AO2) The answer is well illustrated with descriptions which are logically and coherently developed and do not depend exclusively on the preliminary material. Relevant points are clearly stated and there is definite evidence of reading around the topic. Good use of topic-specific vocabulary Quality of the evidence very good. The answer makes a number of points relevant to specific issues. It shows some independence from, or clear manipulation of, the preliminary material.	Possible Content Points NB Not essential to use PM but other sources do not necessarily score higher marks. In general, apart from top band quality & quantity of evidence more important than source. Will probably disagree. i.e say SAs more worries C:SA: parents poor forced to do any job: Yolanda had to sell in street –desperate, 3 children Difficult family situations: Paula –widow, 8 children (1 died because living conditions). Poverty generally great worry in SA – 95 mill without basics. 43,4% hardly enough. Spain: Unemployment main cause of worry for Spanish young (40%) (but problem much worse in SA). Only Economic sit. Only concerns 27% (cf SA stats above) Spain: terrorism worries 32%. © Egs from SA of rebels, kidnappings etc probably greater worry © SA –Work-poverty previous PM street children & other egs of how forced earn living in SA
	Makes use of topic-specific vocabulary. Quality of the evidence good Understanding of the topic good.	23-27 Band. Will use (almost) all C points very well and/or equally relevant © in same way. Good balance of egs from both Spain & SA. Every example relates very clearly to comparing situation in Spain & SA 17-22 Band. Almost all C points (or equally relevant ©) used well not relating quite as clearly to comparing situation in Spain & SA
11-16	The answer relies heavily on the preliminary material, but there is an attempt made to manipulate this material. Some topic-specific vocabulary. Quality of the evidence sufficient Understanding of the topic sufficient.	11-16 Band. Several points (C and/or ©) but probably not showing clear comparison between Spain & SA. Maybe lack of balance (more on Spain than SA or vice versa)
5-10	The answer relies almost exclusively on the preliminary material. Quality of evidence limited Understanding of the topic limited.	5-10 Band. 1 or 2 points about Spain and/or SA Random facts about situation in SA and Spain. Little or no comparison And/or Generalisations with little Spanish/SA evidence.
1-4	The answer includes very little factual evidence. Quality of the evidence poor Understanding of the topic poor.	1-4 Band Generalisations about Spain and/or SA. Little/no reference to focus of Q Little/no reference to Spain/SA.
0	There is absolutely nothing of relevance either to the topic area or to the question set. A zero score will automatically result in zero for the question as a whole.	

Question 5(b)

¿Cuáles son las diferencias más grandes entre la vida en España y la vida en Hispanoamérica?

Explica tu opinión y da ejemplos de España y de Hispanoamérica.

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==	irrelevant/inappropriate material				

AO2	Reaction/response	Amplification
	(These marks are awarded based on the extent to	
	which the candidate answers the question set)	
15-18	The answer is clearly focused on the question and displays a logical and coherent personal reaction to the question which is well justified by clearly stated opinions.	Clear, consistent focus on differences between life in Spain & Spanish America. NB Focus must be on a clear comparison, not list of what happens in Spain then list for SA. Clearly stated opinions on which think greatest differences. (Almost) all points clearly justified with reasons as to why think these greatest differences.
11-14	There is clear evidence of personal reaction to the question, but this is not consistently maintained. There is some justification, but the consistency of the opinions is variable.	Generally focused on opportunities (or lack of) for Spanish & Spanish American youngsters. Not all comments relate clearly to which think greatest differences. Not all appropriately justified/illustrated
7-10	The answer lacks focus and ideas are not clearly organised. Some personal reaction to the question is evident, but justification is weak.	Not clearly focused on differences between life in Spain & Spanish America. More likely to be list of good aspects of Spain & bad aspects of SA. Unclear whether opinions relate to which think greatest differences. Little (or inappropriate) explanation/justification of why think these are greatest differences.
3-6	This is a limited personal reaction to the question, but no justification for points made.	Poor focus on any idea of differences between life in Spain & Spanish America 1 or 2 opinions but probably general comments about Spain and/or SA
1-2	There is virtually no personal reaction to the question, but there is a little reaction to the topic.	Little/No focus on Q. 1 or 2 random points – probably no attempt to comment on Q set.
0	There is no evidence of any personal reaction/response.	

AO3	Knowledge of Grammar	
	(These marks are awarded based on the degree to which the candidate uses structures and grammar as	
	outlined in the specification)	
8-9	The manipulation of most structures is good. There are still some inaccuracies, but these tend to occur in	
	attempts at more complex structures.	
6-7	The manipulation of basic structures is generally sound. There are attempts to use more complex	
	structures, often successfully.	
4-5	There is some awareness of structure but basic errors are still frequent. Communication is generally	
	maintained.	
2-3	The level of manipulation of structures and the number of errors make comprehension difficult.	
0-1	Shows little or no grasp of grammatical structure. Errors are such that communication is seriously	
	impaired.	

AO4	Content/Knowledge of Society	Possible Content Points
A04	(These marks are awarded based on the	NB Not essential to use PM but other sources do
	quality of the evidence that the candidate	not necessarily score higher marks.
	uses to support the argument in AO2)	In general, apart from top band quality & quantity
	accord cappen and angument min to by	of evidence more important than source.
		Probably answer will be 'No' for following
		reasons:
		Can decide on one or more of following, (or
23-27	The answer is well illustrated with	other differences provided illustrate and justify)
	descriptions which are logically and	Education: C: Spain: 55% happy with education
	coherently developed and do not depend	© Spain: free education, opportunities study
	exclusively on the preliminary material.	abroad (Socrates etc)
	Relevant points are clearly stated and there	C: SA:Paula struggled as tamalera, to give
	is definite evidence of reading around the	children chance of education
	topic.	© Egs: education not free. Street children (previous
	Good use of topic-specific vocabulary	PM) have to work to feed family or self.
	Quality of the evidence very good	Work/unemployment: C: Spain: Unemployment
17-22	Understanding of the topic very good.	main cause of worry (40%) but 40% satisfied with
17-22	The answer makes a number of points	work
	relevant to specific issues.	SA: Paula came to Lima at 17 – no work in pueblo
	It shows some independence from, or clear manipulation of, the preliminary material.	Facts re 'paro'
	Makes use of topic-specific vocabulary.	© Niños de la calle – previous PM & other egs. Boy
	Quality of the evidence good	soldiers for rebels (specific egs)
	Understanding of the topic good.	Home/family: .C: Spain:83% (in text) (or 97% in table!) have happy family life
	oriderstanding of the topic good.	SA: Yolanda & Paula struggle to keep family.
		Yolanda –desperate , 3 children: Paula –widow, 8
		children (1 died because living conditions)
		© Children forced to work, fend for selves (niños
		de la calle if not already used)
		23-27 Band. Will use (almost) all C points very well
		and/or equally relevant © in same way.
		Good balance of egs from both Spain & SA &
		covering at least 3 headings. Every example
		relates very clearly to comparing situation in Spain
		& SA
		17-22 Band. Almost all C points (or equally
		relevant ©) used well not relating quite as clearly
		to comparing situation in Spain & SA
11-16	The answer relies heavily on the preliminary	11-16 Band. Several points (C and/or ©) but
	material, but there is an attempt made to	probably not showing clear comparison between
	manipulate this material.	Spain & SA and/or limited to only 1 or 2
	Some topic-specific vocabulary.	headings. Maybe lack of balance (more on Spain
	Quality of the evidence sufficient	than SA or vice versa)
	Understanding of the topic sufficient.	,
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5-10	The answer relies almost exclusively on the	5-10 Band. 1 or 2 points about Spain and/or SA
	preliminary material.	Random facts about Spain & Sp.
	Quality of evidence limited	And/or Generalisations with little Spanish/SA
	Understanding of the topic limited.	evidence.
1-4	The answer includes very little factual	1-4 Band Limited generalisations about Spain
	evidence.	and/or SA with no comparisons.
	Quality of the evidence poor	Little/no reference to Spain/SA.
	Understanding of the topic poor.	
	There is absolutely nothing of relevance	
0	either to the topic area or to the question set.	
	A zero score will automatically result in zero	
	for the question as a whole	
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