



- This Candidate's Sheet is to be handed to the candidate 20 minutes in advance.

**INFORMATION TO CANDIDATES**

- You should use the time available to study the instructions overleaf. You may make notes on this sheet, which you should take into the examination room with you.
- When the test begins you will be asked:
  - (i) to carry out the task described overleaf
  - (ii) to present and discuss with the examiner a topic or text which you have prepared during the course. The topic must refer to Spain or a Spanish-speaking country.
- You may not use a dictionary.

This document consists of **4** printed pages.

**ROLE PLAY A: CANDIDATE'S SHEET**

**Note to the candidate:** You should begin by asking the two questions. The task can then be completed in the order you prefer. You should base your replies on the English text, but sometimes you will need to use your imagination and initiative to react to the examiner's questions and comments.

**Situación**

Trabajas en una oficina de turismo en Gran Bretaña. Un español / una española quiere conocer algo de la arquitectura y cultura del país y te pide información.

**Tarea**

Tienes un folleto que explica el castillo y la fortaleza de Caerphilly, un pueblo de Gales. Tienes que explicarle al español / a la española el contenido y persuadirle de que vale la pena visitar el sitio.

Primero debes preguntar sobre:

- 1 **sus planes para visitar la región**
- 2 **detalles de su familia**

Tienes que explicarle al español / a la española:

- lo curioso del castillo
- detalles de admisión al sitio
- las facilidades que ofrece
- cómo se obtiene más información

También se hablará de:

- si vale la pena conservar los edificios históricos
- recomendaciones para un día de visita ideal

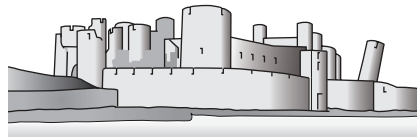
# Visit Caerphilly Castle

## – the “Sleeping Giant”

A Welsh poet described the castle, built in the 13th century, as the “Sleeping Giant”.

Now surrounded by shops, offices and houses and dominating the town, the fortress covers a huge area, making it the biggest in Wales and, along with Windsor and Dover, the largest in Britain.

The castle was easy to defend because of its “walls within walls” and artificial lakes with three islands. Its only sign of weakness is a tipsy “leaning tower” (which even out-leans Pisa’s world-famous example).



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Winter: 10 am – 4 pm (opens 11am Sundays)

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Disabled visitors can be dropped off by car at the entrance.

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**Information**

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