



# GCSE SPANISH

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## Higher Tier Paper 4 Writing

Draft Specimen 2018

Morning

Time allowed: 1 hour 15 minutes

### Materials:

- You will need no other materials.

### Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the bottom of this page.
- You must answer **three** questions.
- You must answer **either** Question 1.1 **or** Question 1.2. Do not answer both of these questions.
- You must answer **either** Question 2.1 **or** Question 2.2. Do not answer both of these questions.
- You must answer Question 3.
- Answer all questions in **Spanish**.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write your answers on blank pages.
- Do all rough work in this answer book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

### Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 60.
- You must not use a dictionary during this test.

Please write clearly, in block capitals, to allow character computer recognition.

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Answer **either** Question 1.1 **or** Question 1.2.  
You must **not** answer **both** of these questions.

**EITHER Question 1.1**

**0 1** . **1** Your Spanish friend, Fernando, has just had his sixteenth birthday. He asks you about your school and your future plans.

Write a letter to Fernando.

Say:

- what you did to celebrate your last birthday
- what your school is like
- what your favourite subject is at school
- what you think of your exams
- what you are going to do next September.

**Remember:** in order to score the highest marks, you must write at least **two** sentences for each bullet point. You must give at least **two** opinions in your piece of writing overall. You must use a variety of vocabulary and structures. You must write approximately **90** words in Spanish.

**[16 marks]**

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Answer **either** Question 2.1 **or** Question 2.2.  
You must **not** answer **both** of these questions.

**EITHER Question 2.1**

**0 2** . **1** You read a blog page called ‘Growing up in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century is sometimes fun, sometimes not!’

You send the link to your Spanish friend and write to him to tell him your views.

Mention:

- something you did recently that was great fun
- your opinion on the pressures young people face today
- who you turn to when you are worried about things
- what you do to keep happy, fit and healthy.

**Remember:** in order to score the highest marks, you must write at least **three** sentences for each bullet point. You must give at least **two** opinions, with reasons, in your piece of work overall. You must use a variety of vocabulary and structures. You must write approximately **150** words in **Spanish**.

**[32 marks]**

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