



ENGLISH B – HIGHER LEVEL – PAPER 2
ANGLAIS B – NIVEAU SUPÉRIEUR – ÉPREUVE 2
INGLÉS B – NIVEL SUPERIOR – PRUEBA 2

Monday 14 November 2005 (morning)
Lundi 14 novembre 2005 (matin)
Lunes 14 de noviembre de 2005 (mañana)

1 h 30 m

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Do not turn over this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Choose one task.

INSTRUCTIONS DESTINÉES AUX CANDIDATS

- Ne retournez pas cette épreuve avant d'y être autorisé(e).
- Choisissez une tâche.

INSTRUCCIONES PARA LOS ALUMNOS

- No dé la vuelta al examen hasta que se lo autoricen.
- Elija una tarea.

Write **at least 400** words on **one** of the following.

1. We all have to endure embarrassing incidents which often have unexpected results. Such an incident has just happened to you and you decide to write about it in your diary. Write your diary entry.
 2. Most people begin to read a book because they think the story will be interesting. As they read, they often find that some other aspect of the book is more interesting than the story. Write a review of such a book that you have read. In your review, discuss one aspect of the book which you found more interesting than the story. You hope that your review will be printed in your school newspaper.
 3. You have read in a magazine article the following sentence: “Leisure activities are a waste of time and money: we should use every spare moment on work, study or helping others”. Write a letter to the editor of this magazine, giving your opinion on this subject.
 4. The opening of a new leisure centre for young people has created a lot of interest in your town. It boasts that it has “something for everyone”. The editor of your school newspaper has asked you to visit the leisure centre, try out all its facilities and write a report for the newspaper. Write your report.
 5. You are the chairperson of the student council at your school. The school needs a new building for after-school clubs and similar activities. To help raise money for this project, a meeting with parents, supporters and local business managers has been arranged. You, as chairperson, will give a talk appealing for support. Write the text of your talk.
 6. Your English class has been given an assignment to write an essay examining the statement that “wars would never happen if women were in leadership positions”. Write your essay.
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