
JUNIOR CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION, 2001

SPANISH - ORDINARY LEVEL
(320 marks)

TUESDAY, 19 JUNE - MORNING, 9.30 to 12.00

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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. There are three parts in this paper: Part I is a Listening Comprehension Test; Part II is a Reading Comprehension Test; Part III is a Written Expression Test.
2. Candidates should attempt all sections in the three parts of the paper and write their answers in the spaces provided on the Examination Paper. (Extra paper is available if required.)
3. Pay careful attention to the specific instructions as they are given on the tape and/or on the Examination Paper.
4. When you have finished PART I proceed immediately to attempt the remaining parts.
5. **MAKE SURE YOU WRITE YOUR EXAMINATION NUMBER IN THE SPACE PROVIDED ABOVE.**

N.B. The instructions for the LISTENING COMPREHENSION TEST, as spoken on the tape, are also given on this Question/Answer Booklet.

PART I: LISTENING COMPREHENSION (140 MARKS)

If you have difficulty hearing the tape, raise your hand now to indicate to the Superintendent that the sound should be adjusted. Once the test proper has started you must not interrupt.

The test consists of four sections: - Section A: Dialogues; Section B: Announcements; Section C: News Item; Section D: Descriptive Passages.

SECTIONS A, B AND C

You will hear each item in these Sections three times. The first reading is to give you a general idea of the content and it is suggested that you listen carefully and do not write the answers. At the end of this reading you will hear two pips. At the end of the second reading you will hear two pips and this will be followed by a forty-second pause during which you should write the answers **in English** to the written questions in the spaces provided on the examination paper. The third reading is to give you an opportunity to revise your answers. It will be followed by a continuous tone which signals the end of the test on that particular item. There will be a ten-second pause between items.

A. DIÁLOGOS

1.

Pidiendo direcciones.

Asking for directions.

(a) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**

The man wants to go to the

beach

castle

museum.

(b) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**

The man is travelling by

bus

car

train.

2.

En la estación de autobuses.

In the bus station.

(a) In what month does the lady want to travel?

.....

(b) Mention one person who will be travelling with her.

.....

(c) How many tickets does she buy?

.....

3.

Comprando ropa.
Buying clothes.

(a) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**

The man wants to buy

socks shoes trousers.

(b) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**

What colour does he want?

black brown grey.

(c) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**

The changing room is

at the other side of the cash desk

opposite the cash desk

to the right of the cash desk.

4.

Haciendo planes.
Making plans.

(a) On what day will the concert be held?

.....

(b) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**

Pepe cannot go to the concert because

he is sick

he has no money

he has an exam.

(c) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**

The ticket costs

8,000 pesetas 10,000 pesetas 12,000 pesetas.

B. UNOS ANUNCIOS

1.

En el aeropuerto.
In the airport.

(a) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**

The flight is going to

Bogotá Buenos Aires Santiago.

(b) At what time will the flight leave?

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2.

Gran abertura.
Grand opening.

(a) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**

This is an announcement for a new

library shop sports-centre.

(b) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**

For more information you should call

23 60 17 32 50 11 42 65 82.

3.

En un almacén.
In a department store.

(a) What has been lost?

.....

(b) Mention one of the contents.

.....

4.

En la radio.
On the radio.

(a) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**

The injured player is

Brazilian Colombian Spanish.

(b) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**

The injured player broke his

arm leg wrist.

(c) The final result was

Madrid: Barcelona:

C. UNA NOTICIA

Un atraco.
An attack.

(a) Where did this attack take place?

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(b) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**

The robbers were in their

20's 30's 40's.

(c) How did the robbers escape?

.....

D. DESCRIPTIVO

You will hear each of the passages three times. The first and final readings will be uninterrupted; during the second reading, there will be an internal and final pause, each lasting 40 seconds. These pauses will allow you to answer the relevant questions. The continuous tone which follows the third reading of the second passage signals the end of the Listening Comprehension Test.

1. El renacimiento de la música cubana.
The rebirth of Cuban music.

- (a) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**
Cuban music became popular

four years ago eight years ago ten years ago.

- (b) Name one other place outside Cuba where Cuban music is popular.

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- (c) Where exactly did the name Buena Vista come from?

.....

*PAUSE

- (d) Name one musical instrument mentioned.

.....

- (e) Why did the group go to New York in 1997?

.....

* PAUSE

2. El agua potable.
Drinking water.

- (a) How many glasses of water per day should a person drink?

.....

- (b) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**
We should increase the amount of water we drink if we are

eating doing physical exercise relaxing.

*PAUSE

- (c) What food contains 34% water?

.....

- (d) **Tick the correct box. (Only one answer is correct.)**
Many people buy bottled water because tap water

does not taste nice
 is expensive
 may be contaminated.

PAUSE

N.B. 40 seconds during Second Reading only.

PART II: READING COMPREHENSION (120 MARKS)

SECTION A (10 MARKS)

Answer each of the following, 1 – 5, by placing a tick (✓) in the appropriate box.

1. In which shop do you buy shoes?

FARMACIA	<input type="checkbox"/>
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PANADERÍA	<input type="checkbox"/>
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ESTANCO	<input type="checkbox"/>
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ZAPATERÍA	<input type="checkbox"/>
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2. You wish to post a letter. Where do you go?

AYUNTAMIENTO	<input type="checkbox"/>
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CORREOS	<input type="checkbox"/>
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APARCAMIENTO	<input type="checkbox"/>
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PARQUE	<input type="checkbox"/>
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3. Which is the sign for toilets in a restaurant?

PUERTA	<input type="checkbox"/>
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COCINA	<input type="checkbox"/>
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SERVICIOS	<input type="checkbox"/>
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CAJA	<input type="checkbox"/>
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4. **DESAYUNO** is a type of:

SPORT	<input type="checkbox"/>
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MEAL	<input type="checkbox"/>
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ANIMAL	<input type="checkbox"/>
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FISH	<input type="checkbox"/>
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5. **UN ABUELO** is a:

FATHER	<input type="checkbox"/>
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COUSIN	<input type="checkbox"/>
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UNCLE	<input type="checkbox"/>
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GRANDFATHER	<input type="checkbox"/>
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SECTION B (45 MARKS)

Read the following items, 1 to 6, and answer in **English** the questions in each case.

1. Leonardo DiCaprio.

Así es Leo:

Su signo: **Escorpio.**
Fecha de nacimiento: **11 de noviembre de 1974.**
Su ciudad natal: **Los Ángeles.**
Deportes favoritos: **Baloncesto y béisbol.**
Coche favorito: **Ford Mustang del 69.**
Música favorita: **El 'rap'.**
Actores favoritos: **Robert de Niro, Al Pacino y Jack Nicholson.**
Película favorita: **'El Padrino'.**
Comida favorita: **Pollo asado.**
Colores favoritos: **Negro y verde.**



- (a) When was Leonardo DiCaprio born? _____
- (b) Name one of his favourite sports. _____
- (c) What is his favourite food? _____

2.

Apartamento de lujo, situado en una calle residencial y tranquila, dispone de salón, comedor, seis dormitorios, seis baños y cocina con oficina, además de una fantástica terraza privada.



- (a) Where is the apartment situated?

- (b) Mention two things which the apartment has to offer.
(i) _____ (ii) _____

3. Read the information leaflet on boat trips from Dénia and tick the correct box.

HORARIOS '97	
Flebasa Lines LA NAVIERA PRIVADA DE BALEARES	
DÉNIA → IBIZA	
SALIDA	DIARIO TRAVESIA 3 H. 30 M. FERRY BALEARES
	08'00 h. 17'00 h.
SALIDA	DIARIO TRAVESIA 4 H. FERRY MANUEL AZANA
	21'00 h.
DÉNIA → PALMA	
DÉNIA → PALMA	
SALIDA	DIARIO TRAVESIA 4 H. FERRY MANUEL AZANA
	21'00 h.
PALMA → DÉNIA	
SALIDA	DIARIO TRAVESIA 4 H.
	10'00 h.

- (a) A child's fare costs 3,750 ptas. True False
- (b) The first boat leaves Dénia for Ibiza at 07.00 h. True False

4. **Bibliotecas en la playa.**

Ahora los turistas de Benidorm pueden leer revistas o libros en traje de baño. Las Biblioplayas pretenden ofrecer ocio y cultura para españoles y extranjeros desde la arena de la playa.

Lugar: Playa de Levante y Playa de Poniente.

Acceso: Libre y gratuito para todos.

Horario: De 11 de la mañana a 7 de la tarde.

Servicios: Periódicos y revistas españoles y de varios países europeos: Bélgica, Francia, Holanda, Inglaterra. Hay también libros y revistas para jóvenes.



- (a) **Tick the correct box. (Only one is correct.)**

On the beach people can now

dance paint read.

- (b) At what time of the day is this service available?

From: _____ To: _____

- (c) Name two countries mentioned.

(i) _____ (ii) _____

5.

¿Qué hacer con los niños en la ciudad?

El Círculo de Bellas Artes organiza cursos para niños, durante los meses de agosto y septiembre. Allí tus hijos pueden dibujar, cantar, bailar, hacer deportes y hacer excursiones. Hay grupos por edades y actividades.

Lugar: Villafranca, cerca de Madrid.
Tel: 91 815 07 13.



Mention three activities children can do at this summer school.

- (i) _____
- (ii) _____
- (iii) _____

6.

Claudia Schiffer, modelo excepcional.

Claudia Schiffer ha demostrado ser todavía mejor persona que modelo. Ha donado alrededor de 300 millones de pesetas para la construcción de 112 casas en una zona de Honduras. Esta región, que está situada en América Central, fue devastada por el paso del huracán Mitch, el mes de octubre pasado.



(a) For what purpose did Claudia Schiffer donate money?

(b) Where is Honduras?

(c) When did this disaster happen?

SECTION C (35 MARKS)

Read the following items, 1 to 4, and answer the questions **in English** in each case.

1.

El primer trasplantado de las dos manos ya mueve los dedos.

Denis Chatelier, hombre de treinta años, fue el primer paciente a quien se le trasplantaron las dos manos el pasado 13 de enero.

Chatelier, que trabajaba como pintor, perdió las manos en un accidente en 1996. Fue operado en Lyon por un equipo internacional dirigido por el médico Jean-Michel Dubernard.



(a) What happened to Denis Chatelier on 13th January last?

(b) What did he work as?

2.

El futbolista Figo ganará unas 91.000 pesetas cada hora.

El fichaje de Luis Figo por el Real Madrid ha batido todos los récords. Es el traspaso más caro de la historia del fútbol mundial, superando el dinero que el Inter Milan pagó al Barcelona por Ronaldo (4.000 millones). Por los seis años que estará en Madrid, ganará 91.000 pesetas a la hora o 1.522 pesetas cada minuto.

El fichaje: the signing of a contract



(a) Mention one detail about Figo's transfer fee.

(b) How long will Figo spend with Real Madrid?

(c) How much money will he earn per minute?

3. **El cumpleaños de la reina holandesa.**

Toda la ciudad de Amsterdam se viste de naranja y muestra un ambiente festivo el día 30 de abril, cumpleaños de la reina. Habrá mucha diversión en las calles de la capital - música, concursos, juegos, espectáculos y un mercado libre donde todo el mundo puede colocar su puesto sobre la acera.



(a) What is being celebrated on the 30th of April?

(b) Mention two activities which will take place in the streets of the capital.

(i) _____ (ii) _____

4.

Un bebé rinoceronte en el zoo.

Por primera vez un bebé rinoceronte blanco nació en cautividad. El hecho tuvo lugar en el zoo de la ciudad de Dvur Kralove, en la República Checa.

Muy pocas veces se ha dado el caso de un nacimiento de rinoceronte en un zoo, pero es la primera vez que sucede con la especie del rinoceronte blanco, en peligro de extinción y que está protegida. La madre, Najin, y el bebé - 27 días en la foto - están perfectamente.



(a) What was unusual about this baby rhinoceros?

(b) Where was this baby rhinoceros born?

(c) What age is the baby rhinoceros in the photo?

2.

MALLORCA, QUEEN OF THE BALEARICS.

En las Islas Baleares hay cuatro islas: Mallorca, Menorca, Ibiza, y Formentera. Mallorca tiene una posición central y es la isla más grande de las Islas Baleares. La capital de Mallorca se llama Palma, y tiene una población de doscientos mil habitantes.

En la isla la gente habla dos lenguas, español y mallorquín.

En Mallorca se cultivan muchos almendros, olivos, limoneros, naranjos y viñedos. La exportación de estos productos es muy importante. La agricultura ha constituido tradicionalmente la base de la riqueza de Mallorca.

Hoy día, otra industria muy importante en Mallorca es el turismo. Millones de turistas vienen a Mallorca cada año durante el verano y también durante el invierno porque casi siempre hace buen tiempo en Mallorca.



(a) Name the biggest Balearic island.

(b) How many languages are spoken in Mallorca?

(c) Mention three things which are grown in Mallorca.

(i) _____ (ii) _____ (iii) _____

(d) Apart from agriculture, what other important industry does Mallorca have?

(e) Why do so many people come to Mallorca in winter as well as in summer?

PART III: WRITTEN EXPRESSION (60 MARKS)

SECTION A (10 MARKS)

Write the **Spanish** words for the numbers in each of the following.

Example: 10 pesetas **diez pesetas**

- (a) El año 2001 _____
- (b) A las 2:30 _____
- (c) 200 pesetas _____
- (d) 15 libros _____
- (e) 1 manzana _____

SECTION B (25 MARKS)

Write what you would say **in Spanish** in each of the following cases.

- (a) Ask what time it is.

- (b) Ask the waiter for a white coffee.

- (c) Say you go to school by bicycle.

- (d) Say your sister went to the cinema.

- (e) Say you watch television every day.
