

2010 Spanish

Intermediate 1 – Reading

Finalised Marking Instructions

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Marking Instructions

Questions/Acceptable answers				Additional acceptable answers	Unacceptable
1.	While you are in Spain you read the local newspaper. You notice a survey about how people use the Internet. Read the questions below and put a tick (\checkmark) beside the correct answer in each case.				
	(a)	When does Iñigo use the Internet?	1 mark		
		• Every day			
	(b)	What does Iñigo use the Internet for?	1 mark		
		Reading the newspaper			
	(c)	Where does Amed connect to the Internet?	1 mark		
		• In an Internet café			
	(d)	What does Ana download from the Internet?	1 mark		
		• Films			
	(e)	How often does Ana shop on-line?	1 mark		
	` ,	• Never			

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2.	You to read a	urn to the page featuring letters from the readers. You letter from Susana Romero.			
	(a)	Ten years ago, what was Susana Romero's opinion of spending Sunday at home?	1 mark		
		• It was boring		dull	
	(b)	What does she now like to do on Sunday? Tick (✓) three things.	3 marks		
		Read a good book			
		• Spend the afternoon with her family			
		• Rest			
		ticks 4 with 3 correct =2, ticks 5 and 3 correct= 1]			
	(c)	What does she now think of quiet Sundays?	1 mark		
		• They are a luxury		it is luxury	it's good it is peaceful it was her time of luxury she enjoys/loves them Ii is relaxing it is luxurious

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3.	There	is an article about Vanessa Navarro, a secretary in Madrid.			
	(a)	What did Vanessa Navarro study in Valencia?	1 mark		
		• Tourism			
	(b)	Why did she move to Madrid?	1 mark		
		To improve/give her more professional opportunities		lots of professional opportunities to improve her professional chances for work more professional opportunities to better her professional opportunities	for an opportunity to be a professional there were opportunities for professionals opportunities to more professionals for opportunities chance to be professional better opportunities more opportunities for jobs
	(c)	Why did she decide to take a secreterial course?Because she couldn't find a job	1 mark	she could not get work there was no work for her	to find work
	(d)	What are you told about the secreterial course she did? • It was 300 hours [in total]	1 mark		any other number

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(e)	Where is Vanessa now working?	1 mark		
	• In an engineering firm/business		in an engineering company in an engineering industry	in engineering enterprise in an office as a secretary
(f)	What sort of thing does she have to do in her job? Mention two things.	2 marks		
	• Answer the phone		take phone calls attend to the phone	work with a phone
	• File documents		deal with documents sort/organize documents	archive documents
	Organise meetings		arrange meetings	organize reunions organize appointments
	 Book flights for her boss 			
	(2 from 4)			
(g)	What advice does Vanessa have for young people who are interested in becoming a secretary? • Go to university first	1 mark		

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(h)	What two subject areas are important for a secretary?	1 mark		
	• Languages and IT		languages and computing/computers	English information technology
(i)	Vanessa recently won a prize for the Best Young Secretary in Madrid. What was her reaction to winning the award?	1 mark		
	She was surprised		it was a big surprise	shocked very happy

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4.	You re	ead an article about going to the gym.			
	(a)	Why do many people go to the gym for the first time in summer?	1 mark		
		• They want to lose weight			to get fit to get a beach body to lose money
	(b)	Why do they not go to the gym in winter? Give two reasons.	2 marks		
		• They do other things			
		• They don't have time		they do not have enough time they do not have free time	
	(c)	What are you told in the first paragraph about these people? Mention two things.	2 marks		
		• They are not fit		they are not in shape they have no fitness	they have no form they have no shape
		They are not used to doing physical exercise		they do not usually exercise	

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(d)	What do these people think will happen in a month's time?	1 mark		
	• They will have a/the perfect body			they will be perfect they will have a good body
(e)	What is it important to know? Mention two things.	2 marks		
	You can't work miracles		that you will not become physically fit overnight you do not get fit miraculously do not expect miracles you cannot perform miracles	
	You have to begin gradually		you have to do it little by little one step at a time	
(f)	What is Amadou Massou's job? Mention two details.	2 marks		
	• He is a trainer in a gym/sports centre		instructor in a gym coach in a gym personal trainer in a gym	he works at the sports centre/gym
	Advises the sportsmen/sportswomen		sports advisor gives advice to sportsmen/ women	consults sports consultant helps

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(g)	In Amadou's opinion what is more important than physical exercise?	1 mark		
	• Eating a healthy diet		a wholesome diet a good diet eating healthily	your diet simple food what you eat
(h)	According to Amadou, what mistake do many people who go to a gym make?	1 mark		
	• They come to the gym with an empty stomach			a void stomach
(i)	What does Amadou say some young people do? Mention two things.	2 marks		
	• Spend 2 hours in the gym		N.B. eats doughnuts/cakes and then spend 2 hours in the gym =1 mark	
	• Then (go out and) eat doughnuts/cakes/pastries			eat doughnuts
(j)	What is the final comment that Amadou makes?	1 mark		
	• There must be a balance in everything		keep a balanced lifestyle	balanced diet balance out your workout balance is important keep your balance
	Total	l 35 marks		

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