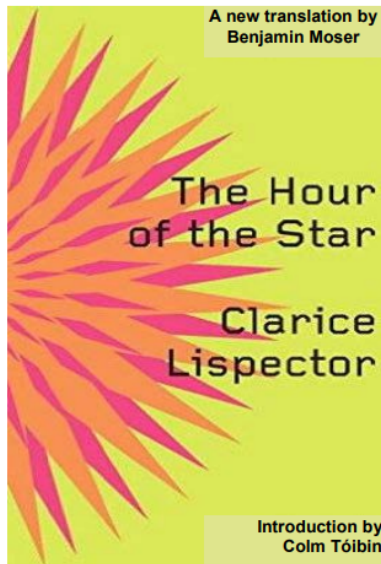


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EXERCÍCIOS SKIMMING AND SCANNING

Text 1



The hour of the star

Clarice Lispector Clarice Lispector's last novel is a short, strange, tour de force – a masterpiece of a book. In The hour of the star, Lispector follows the narrator Rodrigo S. M., a pretentious, cosmopolitan writer describing the act of writing. He is writing about his creation, Macabéa, one of "life's unfortunates", a woman living in the slums of Rio. She is poor, sickly, and unloved, and yet she lives simply and happily. "Lispector employs her pathetic heroine against her urbane, empty narrator, and working them like a pair of scissors, she cuts away the reader's preconceived notions about poverty, identity, love, and the art of fiction."

Reviewed by Pierce Alquist 10-17-2018

Source:

<https://bookriot.com/2018/10/17/clarice-lispector-books>. [Adapted]. Accessed on: October 22nd, 2021.

QUESTÃO 01

Select the proposition(s) that can be answered according to **Text 1** and the accompanying image.

- 01. Who translated the book?
- 02. Who is Rodrigo S. M.?
- 04. Where can the book be bought?
- 08. When was the book translated?
- 16. What is the name of one of the characters?

RESPOSTA:

QUESTÃO 02

According to **Text 1**, it is correct to say that:

- 01. The hour of the star inspired a TV show.
- 02. Clarice Lispector is the narrator of The hour of the star.
- 04. one of the characters lives in Rio.
- 08. the central character is always sad.
- 16. Pierce Alquist wrote a positive review for The hour of the star.
- 32. Clarice Lispector's last book made her famous.

RESPOSTA:

Text 2

Chico Buarque wins Camões Lifetime Achievement Award

This is the biggest accolade in Portuguese-language literature Published in 22/5/2019 - 16:37 By Gilberto Costa – Brasília Brazilian singer, songwriter, **playwright**, and writer Chico Buarque, 74, is the recipient of the 31st Camões Award. The **accolade** was granted yesterday (May 21st) and **took into account** the artist's whole literary work. Along with it comes a prize of 100 thousand euros.

Regarded as the main decoration in Lusophone literature, the Camões Award was created in 1989 by Brazil and Portugal. Every year, an author is named “whose work contributes to the projection and **recognition** of the language,” according to the Ministry of Culture of Portugal.

Buarque debuted as a fiction writer in 1974 with the novel Fazenda modelo. He is the 13th Brazilian to receive the award, which has been **bagged** by writers Raduan Nassar (2016), Ferreira Goulart (2010), Lygia Fagundes Telles (2005), and Jorge Amado (1994), among others.

Translation: Fabrício Ferreira - Edition:
Lílian Beraldo / Augusto Queiroz

Source:

<http://agenciabrasil.ebc.com.br/en/geral/noticia/2019-05/chico-buarque-wins-camoes-lifetimeachievement-award>. [Adapted]. Accessed on: October 20th, 2021.

QUESTÃO 03

According to **Text 2**, select the correct proposition(s).

- 01.** Chico Buarque was the 74th writer to be nominated for the Camões Award.
- 02.** The Camões Award has had 31 editions.
- 04.** The Camões Award prize was awarded on May 21st.
- 08.** A total of 13 Brazilian writers have received the Camões Award.
- 16.** The Camões Award gives money to the writer who wins the prize.
- 32.** Chico Buarque won the award because of a book he wrote in 1974.

RESPOSTA:



QUESTÃO 04

Select the proposition(s) that contain(s) an appropriate definition for the underlined words that appear in **Text 2**.

- 01.** playwright: the act of writing a play
- 02.** achievement: something difficult that you have succeeded in doing
- 04.** accolade: award, honor
- 08.** took into account: saved for future use
- 16.** recognition: the acknowledgment of achievement, service or merit
- 32.** bagged: a container of flexible material

RESPOSTA:

Text 4

 Happy mind - Healthy body Fitness Studio		Weekly Schedule				
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
5-6pm	Power yoga	Fitness Pilates	Power yoga	Fitness Pilates	Baby ballet	
6-7pm	Beginner aerial yoga	Kick boxing	Beginner aerial yoga	Kick boxing	Toddler street dance	
7-8pm	Hot yoga	Pound	Hot yoga	Pound	Hot yoga	
8-9pm	Street dance (adult)	Gymnastics (4+ years)	Street dance (adult)	Aerial yoga (advanced)	Aerial yoga (advanced)	
9-10pm	Body and mind meditation	Body and mind meditation	Body and mind meditation	Body and mind meditation	Body and mind meditation	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ All classes are available on a drop-in (pay as you go basis). Membership is not required.○ Some examples of our fees: Aerial yoga or Fitness Pilates 10\$ per session, Hot yoga, Pound or Kick boxing 12\$ per session (valid 30 days from the date of purchase).○ Private lessons available in the mornings.○ Contact us for more information on the provided services.						

QUESTÃO 05

Select the **correct** proposition(s) according to **Text 4**.

- 01.** Aerial yoga is offered at two levels of difficulty.
- 02.** Hot yoga is more expensive than aerial yoga.
- 04.** This fitness studio offers only group classes.
- 08.** The last class of the day is for relaxation.
- 16.** Your membership is valid for 30 days.
- 32.** Activities for children are only offered on Fridays.
- 64.** If you leave work at 6pm, you arrive on time for Fitness Pilates.

RESPOSTA:

Text 3

Future skills: understanding fake news

Imagine this: two news articles are shared simultaneously online. The first is a deeply reported and thoroughly fact-checked story from a credible news-gathering organization – perhaps *Le Monde* or *The Wall Street Journal*. The second is a false or misleading story. But the article is designed to mimic content from a credible newsroom, from **its** headline to the way in which it has been shared.

The first article – designed to inform – receives limited attention. The second article – designed for virality – accumulates shares. It exploits the way **your** brain processes new information, and the way social media decides what to show you.

Most people are getting at least some of **their** news from social media now. In order to maximize profits from displaying ads, news feeds and timelines show the content that attracts the most attention. This ends up favoring headlines **that** scream for reactions (expressed as shares, “likes” and comments). Add to this the ability to boost the visibility of any message by buying an ad and targeting the people most likely to react to **it** (based on interests, behaviors and relationships), and people can produce disinformation at unbelievable rates and then track **their** success.

Source:

<https://www.britishcouncil.org/anyone-anywhere/explore/dark-side-web/fake-news>. [Adapted] Accessed on: August 1st, 2019.

QUESTÃO 06

Select the **correct** proposition(s) according to **Text 3**.

- 01.** Fake news articles can go viral if they are designed to look like an article from a respected newspaper.
- 02.** An article must be published in respected newspapers and magazines to receive a lot of attention on social media.
- 04.** Fake news articles rely on how the brain processes information to catch the readers' attention.
- 08.** Advertising fake news is a crime in some countries.
- 16.** Advertising has contributed to the growth of fake news.
- 32.** To call people's attention, news reports have to present real facts.

RESPOSTA:

QUESTÃO 07

Select the proposition(s) that contains (contain) the right reference for the **boldface** pronouns, as they are used in **Text 3**.

- 01.** Line 07: “your” (your brain) – the author of the text
- 02.** Line 04: “its” (from its headline) – “content”
- 04.** Line 15: “their” (their success...) – “success”
- 08.** Line 09: “their” (their news...) – “most people”
- 16.** Line 13: “it” (react to it...) – “ability”
- 32.** Line 10: “that” (content that attracts...) – “content”

RESPOSTA:

Text 5

On social media [Pet Shop Boys]

When you **care about** the issues of the day
And check your facts on Wikipedia
You can and **get into an argument right away**
If you're on social media

The world is changing everywhere
With a speed that couldn't be speedier
But you feel so ahead of the curve
When you're on social media

When you're on social media (4x)

You're part of the conversation
You're there in every debate
From football to religion to contemporary art
You're ready to pontificate

While democracy is losing its way
And greed is getting greedier
Console yourself with a selfie or two
And post them on social media

When you're on social media (4x)

My likes are in the thousands
My tweets are being retweeted
My family pics or holiday snaps
With total love are greeted

It's so nice when people like you
You're feeling hashtag blessed
You're part of the conversation
It's like you passed the test

When you're on social media (4x)

And sometimes you can **fuel the debate**
By **biting the hand that feeds you**
Expressing pure anonymous hate
When you're on social media

When you're on social media (4x)

I feel so empowered

QUESTÃO 08

Select the proposition(s) that contains (contain) a possible translation for the underlined expressions as they are used in Text 5.

- 01. care about: ignorar
- 02. get into an argument: construir um argumento
- 04. right away: imediatamente
- 08. console yourself: aconselhar-se
- 16. fuel the debate: evitar o debate
- 32. biting the hand that feeds you: sendo ingrato

RESPOSTA:

QUESTÃO 09

According to Text 5, it is **correct** to affirm that:

- 01. Wikipedia is used as a source of information.
- 02. sharing family information on social media is inappropriate.
- 04. democracy has become stronger with the help of social media.
- 08. people may use social media to express their hate.
- 16. posting selfies is the best way to make new friends on social media.
- 32. social media make people feel they have power.

RESPOSTA: