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Tu Inglés
Examen 5
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Welcome to Tu Ingles Exam Number Five! Hola y bienvenido a Tu Ingles Examen Numero Cinco!

My name is Brian. Soy tu entrenador personal de ingles.

Normally, on Tu Ingles, we exercise your ear for English. Ejercitamos tu oído para ingles.

Pero hoy, en esta sesión especial de Tu Ingles, vamos a repasar y hacer una prueba a tus conocimientos de las sesiones 31 hasta 38 de Tu Ingles!

Are you ready?

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As in the previous exams, there are three sections to this exam.

In the first section, I am going to ask you to translate some words and phrases. Tienes que hacer traducciones de 20 palabras y frases.

In the second section, I am going to dictate twenty verbs in English. Voy a dictar veinte verbos en ingles. I want you to listen to my pronunciation, and write down whether it is correct or incorrect.

In the third section, I am going to read a short essay. Voy a leer un ensayo corto. You have to listen and then answer some questions. Tienes que escuchar y después contestar unas preguntas.

The first essay contains intermediate-level language and questions. El primero ensayo es de nivel intermedio.

Afterwards, there's a second essay. Hay otro ensayo. It's more advanced, and the questions are in English. Es mas avanzado.

Now, let's talk about your grade on this exam ...

Of course, you can listen to this exam without grading your answers. Puedes escuchar sin calificar tus repuestas. Pero te recomiendo bajar en nuestro sitio web las repuestas de los ejercicios. Esta hoja de soluciones esta disponible, gratis, en Tu-Ingles.com.

OK, let's do the exam! Are you ready?

I wish you success! Te deseo exito!

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Tu Ingles Exam Number 5

Part 1

Si tienes la hoja de soluciones, por favor escriba la traducción de las siguientes palabras y frases. Hay 20 en total. Voy a decir algo en español o ingles, y quiero que lo traduzcas al otro idioma. (Ganas dos puntos por cada traducción correcta. 40 en total.)

Si necesitas tiempo para pensar o escribir, por puesto, puedes apretar el botón de pausa.

OK, listo?

1. _____
Espejo.

2. _____
Ya regreso.

3. _____
Marrón.

4. _____
Hang on!

5. _____

To rest.

6. _____
“asignatura principal” o “licenciatura”

7. _____
Although.

8. _____
Mientras.

9. _____
Despite.

10. _____
Ademas.

11. _____
In fact.

12. _____
Me alegro.

13. _____
Tiene que ver con ...

14. _____
Pay attention.

15. _____
Por cierto

16. _____
Hemos hablado.

17. _____
No he visto.

18. _____
Siempre he leído libros.

19. _____
Ellos nunca han visitado Boston.

20. _____
Ellos habían abierto la puerta.

[music]

Tu Ingles Exam Number 5
Part 2

Do you remember Session 32, when we talked about how to conjugate regular, past-tense verbs? Verbos en el tiempo pasado? Todos terminan en las letras E y D, pero hay tres maneras de pronunciar esa terminación. Recuerdas?

Now, I am going to read 20 regular, past-tense verbs. I want you to listen carefully, because I am going to mispronounce some of them. Voy a pronunciar mal algunos de ellos, y quiero que escribas **“Bien”** o **“Mal”** después de escuchar mi pronunciación de cada verbo. Hay dos puntos para cada verbo. 40 en total.

OK?

1. Jumped. He jumped. _____
2. Cooked. She cooked. _____
3. Wanted. They wanted. _____
4. Called. I called. _____
5. Studied. We studied. _____
6. Walked. They walked. _____
7. Planned. She planned. _____
8. Talked. I talked. _____
9. Washed. He washed. _____
10. Decided. We decided. _____
11. Needed. They needed. _____
12. Received. She received. _____
13. Closed. I closed. _____
14. Included. He included. _____
15. Practiced. We practiced. _____
16. Followed. They followed. _____
17. Listened. You listened. _____

18. Learned. He learned. _____
19. Repeated. I repeated. _____
20. Improved. You improved. _____

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Tu Ingles Exam Number 5
Part 3

Listening comprehension
Nivel Intermedio

Ahora, voy a leer un ensayo corto en ingles. La lengua es de nivel intermedio. Escucha y después contesta cinco preguntas en la hoja de soluciones. (Recibes 5 puntos para cada pregunta.)

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[ensayo sobre Atlanta]

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Verdadero o falso: (25 puntos total)

1. Raras veces hace frío en el invierno en Atlanta. _____
2. Atlanta International Airport es el segundo más activo en el mundo. _____
3. El 35 por ciento de la población de Atlanta es de color negro. _____
4. Atlanta queda en una región de estados unidos de mucho crecimiento demográfico. _____
5. La empresa Pepsi Cola tiene su sede en Atlanta. _____

Listening comprehension
Nivel Avanzado

Now, I am going to read another short essay in English. This one is advanced, and the four questions are in English. (20 puntos total)

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[essay about the Edsel]

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1. According to the article, what was the most important reason for the Edsel's failure?

- ☐ Poor quality
- ☐ Weak support from Ford executives
- ☐ Bad marketing
- ☐ Ugly appearance
- ☐ Price

2. When was the Edsel introduced in the United States?

- ☐ In the early 1950s
- ☐ In the late 1950s
- ☐ In the early 1960s

3. According to the article, the main reason why the failure of the Edsel is so famous is because

- ☐ Ford invested millions of dollars in developing the car.
- ☐ The Edsel was a big disaster.
- ☐ The car was considered the worst in history.

4. True or false:

A. The word "Edsel" has recently been used to describe successful marketing campaigns. _____

B. The lesson of the Edsel is that corporate America sometimes fails to understand the American people. _____

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[music]

Well, that's it for this exam, Tu Ingles Exam Number 5.

I hope you did well! Espero que hayas tenido éxito!!

Por supuesto, puedes verificar tus repuestas con la hoja de soluciones en nuestro sitio web.

Thanks for listening! Y éxito con tu ingles!

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LAS REPUESTAS
Tu Ingles Examen 5
Part 1
[40 puntos total]

1. ____Mirror_____
Espejo.

2. ____I'll be right back_____
Ya regreso.

3. ____brown_____
Marrón.

4. ____Espera!_____
Hang on!

5. ____Descansar_____
To rest.

6. ____major_____
“asignatura principal” o “licenciatura”

7. ____aunque_____
Although.

8. ____while_____
Mientras.

9. ____a pesar de_____
Despite.

10. ____besides, in addition, furthermore_____
Además.

11. ____de hecho_____
In fact.

12. ____I'm glad_____
Me alegro.

13. ____has to do with_____
Tiene que ver con ...

14. ____prestar atención_____
Pay attention.

15. ____by the way_____
by the way

Por cierto

16. _____ we have talked _____
Hemos hablado.

17. _____ I have not seen, I haven't seen _____
No he visto.

18. _____ I have always read books _____
Siempre he leído libros.

19. _____ They have never visited Boston _____
Ellos nunca han visitado Boston.

20. _____ They had opened the door. _____
Ellos habían abierto la puerta.

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1. Jumped. He jumped. _____ Mal _____

2. Cooked. She cooked. _____ Bien _____

3. Wanted. They wanted. _____ Bien _____

4. Called. I called. _____ Mal _____

5. Studied. We studied. _____ Mal _____

6. Walked. They walked. _____ Bien _____

7. Planned. She planned. _____ Bien _____

8. Talked. I talked. _____ Mal _____

9. Washed. He washed. _____ Mal _____

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14. Included. He included. _____ Bien _____

15. Practiced. We practiced. _____ Mal _____

16. Followed. They followed. ____ Bien_____

17. Listened. You listened. ____ Mal_____

18. Learned. He learned. ____ Mal_____

19. Repeated. I repeated. ____ Bien_____

20. Improved. You improved. ____ Bien_____

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Listening comprehension Nivel Intermedio

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Atlanta is the capital of the state of Georgia. The city is the center of one of the fastest-growing areas of the United States.

In 2008, the population of Atlanta was just over 1 million. Blacks or African Americans made up 55 percent of the city's population. Twelve percent of the city's total population identify themselves as gay, lesbian, or bisexual.

Considered a major business and transportation center, Atlanta is the world headquarters of The Coca-Cola Company and UPS. Atlanta International Airport is one of the world's busiest airports, and transports the largest number of passengers annually.

Atlanta has hot, humid summers and mild, but occasionally cold winters by the standards of the southern United States.

The city of Atlanta was important during the American Civil War. The fall of Atlanta was a critical point in the War, giving the North more confidence, and leading to the re-election of President Abraham Lincoln and the eventual surrender of the Confederacy.

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Verdadero o falso: (25 puntos total)

1. Raras veces hace frío en el invierno en Atlanta. __Falso__

2. Atlanta International Airport es el segundo más activo en el mundo. __Falso__

3. El 35 por ciento de la población de Atlanta es de color negro. __Falso__

4. Atlanta queda en una región de estados unidos de mucho crecimiento demográfico. __Verdadero__

5. La empresa Pepsi Cola tiene su sede en Atlanta. _Falso__

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Listening comprehension

Nivel Avanzado

The Edsel was a brand of car of the Ford Motor Company during the 1958, 1959, and 1960 model years. Due to its disastrous history, the word "Edsel" has become synonymous with failure.

There is no single reason why the Edsel failed, and failed so spectacularly. Popular culture often faults the car's ugly appearance. A consumer magazine cited poor quality. Edsels were fast, but they did not have very good fuel economy. Business analysts cite the weak internal support for the product inside Ford's executive offices. One external factor that affected the success of the Edsel was the economic recession of the late 1950s.

Marketing experts hold the Edsel up as a supreme example of corporate America's failure to understand American people. Indeed, the Edsel is most famous for being a marketing disaster. The name Edsel came to be synonymous with commercial failure, and similar ill-fated products have often been colloquially referred to as Edsels. Since it was such a debacle, it provided a case study for marketers on how not to market a product.

The main reason the Edsel's failure is so famous was that it flopped despite Ford's investment of \$400,000,000 in its development.

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☒ Bad marketing

☐ Ugly appearance

☐ Price

2. When was the Edsel introduced in the United States?

___ In the early 1950s

__X_ In the late 1950s

___ In the early 1960s

3. According to the article, the main reason why the failure of the Edsel is so famous is because

X Ford invested millions of dollars in developing the car.

___ The Edsel was a big disaster.

___ The car was considered the worst in history.

4. True or false:

A. The word “Edsel” has recently been used to describe successful marketing campaigns. __False_____

B. The lesson of the Edsel is that corporate America sometimes fails to understand the American people. _True_____

Tu Calificación (125 puntos total)

0 – 64 No te preocupes. Requiere de tiempo dominar ingles.

65 – 79 Bien hecho! Aprendiste la mayoría. Solo necesitas mas practica!

80 – 89 Muy bien. Dominas bien la materia!

90 - 99 Excelente. Por lo visto tienes un oído muy fuerte para ingles.

100 - 125 Impresionante! Are you sure you aren't a native English speaker?!