

MARKING SCHEME PART I: LISTENING COMPREHENSION (140 MARKS)

A. Diálogos 9 + 9 + 9 + 10 = 37 marks

Question 1 (3 + 3 +3) 9 marks

- (a) Bullring. 3marks
- (b) Catch a bus. 3 marks
- (c) 20 minutes. 3 marks

Question 2 (3 +3 +3) 9 marks

- (a) Send a postcard to Peru. 3 marks
- (b) One euro fifty cent. 3 marks
- (c) About ten days. 3 marks

Question 3 (3 + 3 + 3) 9 marks

- (a) Onion soup. 3 marks
- (b) It is better than his wife's soup. 3 marks
- (c) Meat and salad. 3 marks

Question 4 (4 + 3 + 3) 10 marks

- (a) North of Spain/near France. 2 + 2 marks
- (b) International film festival. 3 marks
- (c) Summer. 3 marks

B. Unos Anuncios (11 + 11 + 9 + 10) 41 marks

Question 1 (3 + 4 + 4) 11 marks

- (a) Deodorant. 3 marks
- (b) (i) Doesn't cost a lot. (ii) Only 11 euro. 2 + 2 marks
- (c) **Two** of: Fresh/feminine/natural/it's called Bella. 2 + 2 marks

Question 2 (4 + 4 + 3) 11 marks

- (a) **Two** of: A good area/beside the sea/near shops/
50 metres from the restaurants. 2 + 2 marks
- (b) **Two** of: Sitting-room/kitchen/two bedrooms/balcony/
sea views/fits 3 people. 2 + 2 marks
- (c) Deposit not necessary or you don't need to pay a deposit. 3 marks

Question 3 (3 + 3 + 3) 9 marks

- (a) Every Monday/5pm. 3 marks
- (b) They are experts (in the teaching of Spanish). 3 marks
- (c) Oral exam. 3 marks

Question 4 (3 + 4 + 3) 10 marks

- (a) **One** of: Weddings/family gatherings/private parties/children parties. 3 marks
- (b) Top quality/ reasonable price. 2 + 2 marks
- (c) All age groups/young and old/everybody. 3 marks

C. Una noticia (4 + 4+ 4) 12 marks

- (a) Having a nap/siesta/sleeping. 4 marks
- (b) To the vet. 4 marks
- (c) By knocking on doors/going from door to door. 4 marks

D. Descriptivo 50 marks

Question 1 (4+ 4 +4 +8) 20 marks

- (a) **One** of: Sky/stars. 4 marks
- (b) Take photos of moon and planets. 4 marks
- (c) Dinosaur exhibition. 4 marks
- (d) **Two** of: Souvenirs/posters/DVDs on ecology and nature. 4 + 4 marks

Question 2 (5+10 +10 +5) 30 marks

- (a) **One** of: Body of a boy (child)/ human feelings. 5 marks
- (b) **Two** of: X-Ray vision/ great intelligence/ incredible strength. 5 + 5 marks
- (c) Discovers he is a robot/can never be human/
needs to recharge batteries. 5 + 5 marks
- (d) He wants to dominate/rule the world. 5 marks

PART II

READING COMPREHENSION: 100 MARKS

Section A: 10 marks

- 1. *cinturón* 2 marks
- 2. *basura* 2 marks
- 3. *sacapuntas* 2 marks
- 4. *armario* (furniture) 1 mark
- baloncesto* (sport) 1 mark
- calcetines* (clothing) 1 mark
- plátano* (fruit) 1 mark

Section B: 35 marks

Question 1 = 5 marks (5 x 1m)

(Any correct answer accepted)

Question 2 = 5 marks

- (a) **Three** of: Found in Northern Galician coast/near Chavín/eucalyptus/
77 metres/100 years old/called 'the grandfather' by locals. 1 + 1 + 1 marks
- (b) Because it is the second tallest tree in Spain. 2 marks

Question 3 = 5 marks

- (a) *Horchata* is a basic ingredient/food item in the Mediterranean diet. 2 marks
- (b) **Two** of: Rich in minerals/energetic/good for digestion/
gluten free/sugar-free *horchata* can be taken by diabetics. 1 + 1 marks
- (c) Ice-cream shops. 1 mark

Question 4 = 6 marks

- (a) **Two** of: Cheap tickets/no need for travel agency/can book from home computer. 2+ 2 marks
(b) **One** of: No computer/no personal attention/companies don't fly to main cities. 2 marks

Question 5 = 8 marks

- (a) A wedding. 2 marks
(b) **Two** of: Humour/dancing/songs. 1 + 1 marks
(c) The musical is now in Spanish. 2 marks
(d) Between 15 and 80 euro. 2 marks

Question 6 = 6 marks (2 + 2 + 2)

Three of the following: (If candidate writes the wrong number beside the rule, do not penalise.)

1. It is important to have a rest for at least five minutes after each hour of study.
2. You have to drink lots of water.
3. You need to go to bed at a reasonable time and sleep at least eight hours.
4. In order to remember the main points of a text it would be good to recite / say them many times.
5. If you underline the most important words in a text it is easier to remember them.
6. It is essential /very important to avoid distractions. Therefore, turn off your mobile and do not listen to the radio or put on music.

Section C: 30 marks

Question 1 = 8 marks

- (a) Travelled by bus. 2 marks
(b) Run over by a lorry. 4 marks
(c) Animals' home (refuge/shelter). 2 marks

Question 2 = 9 marks

- (a) Ships/people/planes have disappeared. 4 marks
(b) Five American military planes did not come back. 4 marks
(c) **One** of: Were captured by aliens/storms/cyclones/accidents. 1 marks

Question 3 = 13 marks

- (a) **Two** of: Black hair/well-combed./Thin/average height. 1 + 1 marks
(b) Sings/dances. 2 marks
(c) Remembers grandfather/her husband who died 13 years ago. 3 marks
(d) She sends flowers to school every day. 3 marks
(e) She goes to the shopping centre and brings sweets (chocolates). 3 marks

Section D: 25 marks

Question 1 = 12 marks

- (a) Studying English. 2 marks
(b) **Two** of: Rain/sad or cold country. 2 + 2 marks
(c) Because of the recession. 2 marks
(d) More foreigners **and** more students would travel to Ireland. 2 + 2 marks

Question 3 = 13 marks

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| (a) Five minutes walk from the (famous) cathedral. | 3 marks |
| (b) Christmas and Holy Week/Easter. | 1 + 1 marks |
| (c) One of: Comfortable rooms/simply decorated/en suite./
It doesn't cost a lot to have dinner there. | 2 marks |
| (d) One of: Traditional food/local cheese. | 2 marks |
| (e) Very expensive/can't return it from Ireland if there is a problem. | 2 + 2 marks |

PART III Written Expression: 80 Marks

Section A = 10 Marks (2 marks x 5 = 10 marks)

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| (a) <i>tercer</i> | 2 marks |
| (b) <i>treinta y uno</i> | 2 marks |
| (c) <i>seiscientos cincuenta</i> | 2 marks |
| (d) <i>once y cuarto</i> | 2 marks |
| (e) <i>mil novecientos cuarenta y cuatro</i> | 2 marks |

Section B: 30 Marks

6 marks x 5 = 30 marks

The following is a guide to marks for each point:-

Correct communication of message:

5 - 6 marks Fair – good Spanish.

3 - 4 marks Adequate communication of message, some errors, mostly comprehensible.

1 - 2 marks Part of sentence comprehensible.

0 marks No communication of message.

Section C: 40 Marks

(6 x 6) + 4 = 40 marks

Six points @ 6 marks each + 4 marks for layout (Introduction and Ending) of letter/e-mail.

Each point may be awarded up to a maximum of 6 marks.

The following is a guideline only:

(Ignore minor inaccuracies.)

5 – 6 marks Communication clear and accurate/point developed/good range of vocabulary/verbs and tenses correct.

3 – 4 marks Reasonably comprehensible to Spanish monoglot/point not fully developed/verbs or tenses often wrong, but some communication reasonably comprehensible/quite a limited range of vocabulary.

1 – 2 marks Basic communication/part of content comprehensible/basic language content/verbs or tenses mostly wrong/some communication.

0 marks Incomprehensible.

Reasonable Accommodations:

In Sections B and C of the Written Production Section, candidates who have been granted a spelling/grammar waiver should not be penalised for grammatical or spelling errors. Marks should be awarded for communication and vocabulary only.

In Sections B and C of the Written Production Section, spelling will not be taken into account where candidates who have availed of the use of a tape-recorder, a scribe or a spell-enabled computer. Marks should be awarded normally for communication, grammar and vocabulary.