



COLEGIO TÉCNICO PROFESIONAL LA SUIZA

Curso Lectivo 2021



Self-Study Guide for English Subjects N°7

Self-study is the ability to perform tasks by ourselves, without the presence of the teachers

Subject: Academic English	
Teacher's Name: MARILYN AGUILAR FONSECA	Level: Eighth (8-2/8-3/8-4)
Channel of Communication: (E-mail, Phone number, social networks, etc)	teachermarictplasuiza@gmail.com TEAMS WhatsApp: 72083352
Virtual Office Hours:	Lunes 7 a.m. -. 4:30 p.m.
Student's name:	Group: 8- ____
Work on it from Sept. 6 th - 10 th , 2021	Fecha de entrega: Sept. 10 th Físico: en clase presencial

1. Getting ready to work on my self-study guide. Aspects to verify before I start working:

Materials needed / Resources: Materiales que va a necesitar	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Notebook, pencil, pen, eraser, highlighters, etc.2. Computer & Internet access if possible3. Cellphone or copies.4. Recuerde apoyarse con un diccionario Inglés/Español -Español/ Inglés para buscar el vocabulario que no conozca.
Conditions of the place to work Condiciones del lugar	Avoid strong noises, work in a silent well-lit place, make sure you feel comfortable.
Expected time to work this self-study guide Tiempo para trabajar la guía.	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. This self-study guide will take you 9 lessons to be completed.

Instrucciones: Trabaje INDIVIDUALMENTE
Resuelva la guía en INGLÉS.

2. The student is ready to start working

Topic/ Study Unit:	Dear student, The following tasks will help you review and reinforce Unit 3: Something to Celebrate!
Objective/ Linguistic Achievement	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Identifies the events about festivals or celebrations. 2. Orders the events about festivals or celebrations chronologically. 3. Identifies main ideas of an advertisement related to holidays, celebrations or festivals.
Task Outline:	<p>WEEK3 THEME 4: HOLIDAYS AND FESTIVALS AROUND THE WORLD (SEPTEMBER 6TH – 10TH)</p> <p>TASK 1. Read the following vocabulary about celebrations in the world. (Lea el siguiente vocabulario sobre celebraciones internacionales)</p> <p><u>Vocabulary:</u></p> <p>Party: fiestas / Bands: bandas / Parade: desfiles / Costumes: trajes / Masks: mascararas / Fireworks: juegos artificiales / concerts: conciertos / religious ceremonies: ceremonias religiosas / barbecues: asados / traditional dances: bailes tradicionales / Bonfires: fogatas.</p> <p>TASK 2. Read the following information and complete the exercises below (lea la siguiente informacion y complete los ejercicios)</p> <div> <p>Finish the sentences</p> <p>Fill in the blanks with words from the boxes.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Good _____ is a general holiday in most parts of Canada. 2. It is the Friday before Easter _____. 3. Many businesses and _____ close for the day. 4. Easter is a Christian _____. 5. On Easter, churches have special _____. 6. Children like to _____ eggs at Easter. <div> <div>decorate</div> <div>services</div> <div>holiday</div> <div>Friday</div> <div>schools</div> <div>Sunday</div> </div> </div>

Easter

Good Friday

☞ Good Friday is the Friday before Easter Sunday. It is a general holiday in most parts of Canada. Many businesses and schools close for the day.

On Good Friday, Christians remember the day Jesus died on the cross.



Easter Sunday

On Easter Sunday, Christians celebrate their belief that Jesus rose from the dead. Churches have special services.



Easter traditions

- Children decorate eggs for Easter.



- Young children look for coloured eggs and candy on Easter morning. They believe an imaginary rabbit called the Easter bunny hides the eggs.



Pascha

Easter is called Pascha in the Eastern Orthodox Church. In many years, Easter and Pascha are on different dates.



Pascha basket



This is a symbol for Christianity.

TASK 3: Watch the video "Top 10 celebrations around the World 2015. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e-QhQRNkxBQ>, and then match the countries with their celebrations (observa el video y complete el asocie con la información que observo. Si no tienes internet, lee la información al final de la gta)

Country		Celebration
Brazil	()	1. Oktober Festival
Germany	()	2. La Tomatina
China	()	3. Halloween
Ireland	()	4. Burning Man Festival
Thailand	()	5. Rio de Janeiro Carnival
Italy	()	6. Yi Peng Lantern Festival
United States	()	7. Chinese New Year
Spain	()	8. Saint Patrick's Day
Nevada, USA	()	9. Holi
India	()	10. Carnival in Venice

TASK 4: Go to internet or interview some people. Try to complete the following chart about celebrations in other countries. (Completa el siguiente asocie, sobre celebraciones en otros países)



Name:

Name:

Date:

Date:

Where:

Where:

Tradition:

Tradition:



Name:

Name:

Date:

Date:

Where:

Where:

Tradition:

Tradition:

TASK 5: We should give a look at simple past tense. Let's look at the following information and then try to complete the exercises below. (lea la siguiente informacion sobre el pasado simple)

➡ Simple past tense indicates an action which is completed at a definite time in the past. These are the structures: (El pasado simple se utiliza para explicar acciones que fueron realizadas en el pasado en un momento determinado)

Positive Statements:

Subject +	Verb +	Complement +
I She He It We They You	Enjoyed	Bullfights?

Negative Statements: When changing a sentence from a positive to negative, you simply add the auxiliary " did not " next to the verb in the simple form.

Subject +	Auxiliary	Verb +	Complement +
I She He It We They You	Did not Didn't	Enjoy	Bullfights

Yes – No Questions

For asking yes/ no questions, be sure to follow pattern:

Auxiliary +	Subject +	Verb +	Complement +
Did	you	Enjoy	Bullfights?

Wh / Questions (Information Questions)

This is the pattern that is commonly followed when asking wh/ questions

Wh – word	Auxiliary +	Subject +	Verb +	Complement +
Where	Did	you	go	Bullfights?

TASK 6: Write about how you celebrated your last holiday. Answer the questions below.

(responda las siguientes preguntas sobre su ultimo día festivo)

1. Where did you go? I went to _____
2. How long did you stay? I stayed _____
3. Who did you go with? I went with _____
4. Where did you stay? I stayed in _____
5. What was the food like? It was _____
6. What did you do? (activities in past) _____

NOTE: Also, when we talk about past tense, we have to study about the past tense of the verb to be: (cuando hablamos del pasado, También debemos estudiar la estructura del verbo to be en pasado)

1.3 Grammar: Simple Past: Was and Were

Simple Past with Be

Singular		Plural	
I	}	We	}
He		You	
She		They	
It			
		was	were
		was not	were not
		wasn't	weren't



Language
Note:

Was/were function as auxiliar and as helping verbs. They can never be used with another verb in simple form.

TASK 7: Fill in the following blanks by using “was” and “were”

- a. She _____ here two days ago.
- b. I _____ sick last month.
- c. They _____ in New York.
- d. Sonia _____ married for 20 years.
- e. We _____ at the school the whole morning.
- f. My Dad _____ in my house for three weeks.

IMPORTANT NOTES: You may remember from unit 1 adverbs of sequence. They are linkers to join a sequence of events. They were the following: **FIRST, THEN, AFTER THAT,**



FINALLY. (los adverbios de secuencia se utilizan para unir ideas. Ellos sirven para expresar una secuencia de eventos) For example:

Yesterday we celebrated Independence Day. **First**, we attended a school ceremony and sang the national anthem. **Then**, we went to see the parades. **After that**, we went back home. **Finally**, we went to bed.

TASK 6: Use the answers from Task 4, and create a short paragraph describing about your favorite holiday. Remember to use the linkers or sequential adverbs **FIRST, THEN, AFTER THAT, AND FINALLY** (Use las respuestas del ejercicio 4, y redacte un pequeño párrafo usando los adverbios de secuencia)

Rubric of evaluation

Evaluation Rubric				
ESTO ES PARA USO DEL DOCENTE, NO ESCRIBA NADA AQUI				
Indicators of learning	Performance level			
	NO RESPONSE	1. Not achieved Learner cannot achieve the task	2. In progress Learner can achieve the task with some difficulty and needs improvement	3. Achieved Learner can achieve the task without any difficulty
1. Identifies main ideas of an advertisement related to holidays, celebrations or festivals.		The learner answers four or less question correctly.	The learner answer from four to five questions correctly.	The learner answers all questions correctly.

2. Recognize main information in short audios		The learner answers four or less question correctly.	The learner answer from four to five questions correctly.	The learner answers all questions correctly.
3. Makes complete sentences to answer wh-questions about local holidays, celebrations and festivals in in Costa Rica, Latin America and around the world.		The learner answers four or less question correctly.	The learner answer from four to five questions correctly.	The learner answers all questions correctly.
4. Describes the last holiday using sequential-past time. (first, then, after that, finally)		The learner uses less than two grammar structures properly. There are many mistakes in mechanics.	The learner uses from five to three grammar structures properly. There are some mistakes in mechanics.	The learner uses all the grammar structures properly. There are not mistakes in mechanics.

Este espacio es de uso exclusivo del docente. Por favor no escribir ni rayar en los espacios.

Rúbrica para revisar el párrafo final

Indicator				
CRITERIA	Achieved (3)	In progress (2)	Not achieved (1)	N/R (0)
Task Achievement	The brochure was fully developed in detail, in other words, included all the aspects required.	The brochure included most of the aspects required but not all.	The brochure lacks of most of the aspects required.	
Vocabulary	Vocabulary and expressions used are related to the topic and fully effective at this level.	Vocabulary and expressions used are related to the topic and acceptable at this level.	Vocabulary and expressions used are insufficient	
Spelling	The writing is essentially error free in terms of spelling or with very few mistakes that do not interfere with communication	Frequent error in spelling distracts the reader	Writing contains numerous errors in spelling that interfere with communication	
Grammar	Appropriate command of structures, especially in the review film	Occasional errors with structures	No control of appropriate structures.	

ANNEXES

WEEK Sept. 6th- 10th / TASK 3 INFO -LISTENING

1. **Oktoberfest, Germany:** During the last weeks of September and first of October, Munich is host to the biggest beer festivals in the world. If you like beer and brats, Oktoberfest is for you.
2. **Chinese New Year, China:** This celebration marks the turn of the Chinese calendar and takes place in January or February. Throughout the country you'll find dragons, fireworks, lanterns, flowers, and people in traditional dress.
3. **Patrick's Day, Ireland:** Though St. Patrick's Day is celebrated around the world, Ireland does it best—it was the originator of it after all! The holiday pays tribute to St. Patrick and the arrival of Christianity in Ireland with parades and festivals.
4. **Yi Peng Lantern Festival, Thailand:** The Yi Peng Lantern Festival is Chiang Mai's celebration of the Festival of Lights. The people of the city pay homage to Buddha by releasing thousands of lanterns into the sky, truly a sight to behold.
5. **La Tomatina, Bunol, Spain:** Spurred from locals throwing produce at each other due to a parade mishap in 1945, La Tomatina has become an annual event. If you attend, be prepared to be covered in tomatoes!
6. **Holi, India:** This Hindu celebration, also known as the festival of colors, marks the beginning of spring. People spray colors on each other and celebrate with friends and family.
7. **Burning Man, Nevada, USA:** For people wanting to check out of society for a week, Burning Man is the place to be. Thousands gather in the desert to experiment with art and self-expression—and set a giant effigy ablaze.
8. **Carnival of Venice, Venice, Italy:** Dating back to the 11th century, Carnival starts a couple weeks before Ash Wednesday and culminates the day before Ash Wednesday. People flood the streets of Venice donning masks and festive outfits.
9. **Rio de Janeiro Carnival, Brazil:** Carnival: Gathering something like two million revelers per day, Rio's Carnival is hands-down the world's largest Carnival festival preceding Ash Wednesday. The streets vibrate with music, dance, costume and chaos of the best kind.