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- Instrucciones:**
- a) Duración: 1 hora y 30 minutos.
 - b) Todas las cuestiones deben responderse en el papel entregado para la realización del examen y nunca en los folios que contienen los enunciados.
 - c) Este examen consta de varios bloques. Debe responder a las preguntas que se indican en cada uno.
 - d) La puntuación está indicada en cada uno de los apartados.
 - e) No se permite el uso de diccionario.

El examen consta de 3 Bloques (A, B y C)

En cada bloque (**Comprehension, Use of English y Writing**) se plantean varias preguntas, de las que se deberá responder al número que se indica en cada uno. En caso de responder más cuestiones de las requeridas, serán tenidas en cuenta las respondidas en primer lugar hasta alcanzar dicho número. Las preguntas han de ser respondidas en su totalidad: si la pregunta tiene dos secciones, hay que responder ambas.

BLOQUE A (Comprensión lectora)

Puntuación máxima: 4 puntos

Debe responderse a las 8 preguntas de uno de los 2 textos propuestos.

COMPREHENSION (4 points). CHOOSE TEXT 1 OR TEXT 2 AND ANSWER **ALL** THE QUESTIONS FROM THAT TEXT **ONLY**.

TEXT 1: DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

- 1 Spring marks many changes and, for many people around the world, the beginning of Daylight Saving Time (DST). The idea
2 behind the clock shift is to make better use of sunlight.
- 3 Benjamin Franklin is often credited as the first to suggest the change in 1784. When he was an American delegate in Paris,
4 he felt he was wasting his Parisian mornings by staying in bed after the sun had come up. He ironically proposed that the French
5 should fire cannons at sunrise to wake up people, so that they would go to bed earlier and use fewer candles at night.
- 6 It wasn't until resources became limited during World War I that Germany decided to go ahead with a clock-changing plan,
7 implementing the first DST in 1916. Most of Europe followed their example in a matter of weeks, and the United States did the
8 same in 1918.
- 9 Nowadays, DST still has fervent supporters who claim that it helps drive the economy. Conversely, it's often argued that, apart
10 from the legion of missed meetings and sleepy citizens, DST causes adverse effects on our health and safety. Studies reveal that
11 changing clocks brings about an increase in heart attacks and fatal car accidents. DST opponents even question whether there
12 have ever been energy savings at all.
- 13 All in all, the time shift is becoming more and more unpopular around the world, since people today are fond of going out after
14 work and it's obviously nicer doing so when it's lighter outside. Recently, a survey showed 80% of Europeans were against DST,
15 and every October the matter is a controversial topic, with people either expressing enthusiasm about sunny mornings or
16 complaining about shorter days.

CHOOSE AND WRITE THE CORRECT OPTION (A, B, C or D). (0.5 points each)

1. According to the text, Daylight Saving Time (DST)...

- (a) seems to benefit our health.
- (b) was proposed by the French government.
- (c) helps us sleep better.
- (d) has been argued to improve the economy.

2. According to the text, Benjamin Franklin...

- (a) suggested changing sleeping habits.
- (b) was against changing clocks.
- (c) loved to sleep in the morning.
- (d) made the French alter their customs.

ARE THESE STATEMENTS TRUE OR FALSE? JUSTIFY YOUR ANSWERS WITH THE PRECISE WORDS OR PHRASES FROM THE TEXT, OR USE YOUR OWN WORDS. (0.5 points each)

- 3. According to the text, clocks change in the spring to make the most of natural light.
- 4. The Germans put the clock shift into effect to help fight the shortage of supplies.
- 5. People may even die due to Daylight Saving Time (DST).
- 6. According to the text, Daylight Saving Time (DST) fits nicely in our current lifestyle.

7. FIND IN THE TEXT: (0.5 points)

- 7.1. ONE OPPOSITE FOR: "sunset" (noun)
- 7.2. ONE SYNONYM FOR: "crash" (noun)

8. FIND IN THE TEXT: (0.5 points)

- 8.1. ONE WORD MEANING: "to shoot ammunition from a weapon."
- 8.2. ONE WORD MEANING: "in a forward direction, onwards."



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TEXT 2: JUNETEENTH

- 1 On June 17th, 2021, President Biden signed into law the bill that established as a national public holiday June 19th, Juneteenth
2 National Independence Day. Despite Juneteenth's storied history, the holiday had largely gone unnoticed by non-Black Americans
3 for long. It was the Black Lives Matter movement that pushed Juneteenth into the national spotlight, following decades of activists'
4 calls for recognition of the landmark occasion.
- 5 In 1863, during the American Civil War between the Union and the Confederacy, President Lincoln issued the Emancipation
6 Proclamation, which declared free more than three million slaves living in the Confederate States. More than two years would
7 pass, however, before the news reached African Americans living in Texas. It was not until Union soldiers arrived in Galveston,
8 Texas, on June 19th, 1865 that the town's residents finally learned that slavery had been abolished. The former slaves immediately
9 began to celebrate with prayer, feasting, song and dance.
- 10 The following year, on June 19th, the first official Juneteenth celebrations took place in Texas. They included prayer meetings
11 and the singing of spirituals, and celebrants wore new clothes as a way of representing their newfound freedom.
- 12 Since African Americans were prohibited from using public facilities, they often held their annual celebration of freedom at their
13 churches or out in rural areas around rivers and streams, which could provide for additional activities such as fishing, horseback riding
14 and barbecues. There were also visits to the cemeteries to reunite the freed and living with their dead and enslaved ancestors.
- 15 Having been commemorated for more than 160 years, Juneteenth has now become a date representing African Americans'
16 struggle for freedom and equality, as well as an occasion for family and community celebration.

CHOOSE AND WRITE THE CORRECT OPTION (A, B, C or D). (0.5 points each)

9. According to the text, Juneteenth originally celebrated...

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| (a) the end of the American Civil War. | (b) the day Lincoln proclaimed Emancipation. |
| (c) the birth of the Black Lives Matter movement. | (d) the emancipation of slaves in Galveston. |

10. According to the text, Juneteenth celebrations were...

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| (a) declared a public holiday by President Lincoln. | (b) enjoyed in a cheerful manner. |
| (c) restricted to outdoor spaces. | (d) encouraged by Union soldiers. |

ARE THESE STATEMENTS TRUE OR FALSE? JUSTIFY YOUR ANSWERS WITH THE PRECISE WORDS OR PHRASES FROM THE TEXT, OR USE YOUR OWN WORDS. (0.5 points each)

11. **Non-black Americans have traditionally taken part in Juneteenth events.**
12. **The Black Lives Matter movement has played a key role in making Juneteenth a national holiday.**
13. **Enslaved people in Galveston were initially reluctant to believe they had been freed.**
14. **Juneteenth celebration outfits were symbolic of Blacks' new condition.**

15. FIND IN THE TEXT: (0.5 points)

- 15.1. ONE SYNONYM FOR: "**ban**" (verb)
- 15.2. ONE SYNONYM FOR: "**fight**" (noun)

16. FIND IN THE TEXT: (0.5 points)

- 16.1. ONE WORD MEANING: "**a place used for a particular activity.**"
- 16.2. ONE WORD MEANING: "**a social gathering where people come together to enjoy grilled food.**"



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BLOQUE B (Uso de la lengua)

Puntuación máxima: 3 puntos

Debe responder a 6 de las 12 preguntas propuestas.

USE OF ENGLISH (3 points; 0.5 points each). CHOOSE AND ANSWER **ONLY 6** (SIX) QUESTIONS.

17. FILL IN THE GAPS WITH A CORRECT FORM OF THE VERB IN BRACKETS:

17.1. "**We are used to ... early.**" (wake up)

17.2. "**Mary Jane ... the trip because it will rain tomorrow.**" (just / put off)

18. FILL IN THE GAPS WITH THE CORRECT OPTION:

18.1. "**Send me his phone number ... I can contact him for the party.**" in order to / so that / so as to / for

18.2. "**Adults should prevent teenagers ... drinking alcohol.**" from / on / toward / off

19. TURN THE FOLLOWING SENTENCE INTO THE ACTIVE VOICE: "**Was this cathedral built in the 17th century?**"

20. TURN THE FOLLOWING SENTENCE INTO THE PASSIVE VOICE: "**Nobody is cleaning the building at the moment.**"

21. GIVE A QUESTION FOR THE UNDERLINED WORDS: "**I have been living in Dublin for three years.**"

22. JOIN THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING A RELATIVE. MAKE CHANGES IF NECESSARY: "**During the prom, James met Sheryl. He immediately fell in love with her.**"

23. REWRITE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCE WITHOUT CHANGING ITS MEANING. BEGIN AS INDICATED: "**They repaired Ken's car yesterday.**" Ken...

24. COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONAL SENTENCE: "**If I had known about the heavy traffic, ...**"

25. THERE ARE TWO MISTAKES IN THE FOLLOWING SENTENCE. FIND THE MISTAKES AND REWRITE THE SENTENCE CORRECTLY: "**I don't know where did he go in holiday last summer.**"

26. TURN THE FOLLOWING SENTENCE INTO DIRECT SPEECH: "**The doctor advised me to take more exercise.**"

27. TURN THE FOLLOWING SENTENCE INTO REPORTED SPEECH: "**'We are moving to a new apartment next month,' they announced.**"

28. USE THE WORDS IN THE BOXES TO MAKE A MEANINGFUL SENTENCE. USE ALL AND ONLY THE WORDS IN THE BOXES WITHOUT CHANGING THEIR FORM:

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BLOQUE C (Redacción)

Puntuación máxima: 3 puntos

Deberá realizar una redacción de un mínimo de 120 palabras de UNO de los dos temas propuestos SOLAMENTE.

WRITING (3 points)

29. WRITE A COMPOSITION OF AT LEAST 120 WORDS ABOUT ONE OF THE TOPICS PROPOSED AND FOCUS ON IT. CHOOSE **ONE TOPIC** ONLY:

29.1. **Are you a day or night person? Explain.**

29.2. **What type of outdoor activities do you enjoy best? Give reasons.**