

INGLÉS

MODELO DE CERTIFICADO DE NIVEL BÁSICO A2

MODELO INFORMATIVO PARA LOS CANDIDATOS

COMPRENSIÓN DE TEXTOS ESCRITOS

INSTRUCCIONES PARA REALIZAR ESTA PRUEBA:

- Esta prueba tiene una duración de **35 minutos** y consta de 3 tareas.
- Lea las instrucciones al principio de cada tarea y realícela según se indica.
- Las respuestas escritas a lápiz o en rojo no se calificarán.
- No escriba en los recuadros sombreados; son para la calificación de las tareas.
- No está permitido el uso del diccionario.
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Tarea 1	
Objetivo	Identificar el tema principal de varios textos breves.
Formato	De 5 a 7 textos breves o fragmentos de un texto y los correspondientes epígrafes, más dos adicionales con la función de actuar como distractores.
Extensión	225 palabras aproximadamente en total, unas 30-35 palabras por texto.
Procedimiento	Emparejar textos y epígrafes
Puntuación	1 punto por cada texto correctamente emparejado a su epígrafe

TASK 1	MARKS
Match texts 1–5 with headings A–H in the grid on the next page. There are three extra headings that do not match any text. Item 0 is an example.	

HOW TO BE A GOOD NANNY

TEXT 0

In today's world, more and more parents are turning to nannies to watch their children while they work. Fortunately, nannying is one of the most rewarding careers anyone can have.

TEXT 1

Find a good family! This is the most important step, and often the most difficult. [...] You have to remember to pick a family whose values are not in conflict to your own [...].

TEXT 2

[...] Not everyone will be able to work with infants, or toddlers, or teenagers. There are distinct differences between child age groups, each with different needs, [...].

TEXT 3

[...] Working with children often involves preparing simple meals and snacks, so a basic knowledge of cooking is required to be a competent nanny. It's also a good idea to cook with your children, [...]

TEXT 4

[...] Children will often make a bad decision or two and, as a nanny, it is your job to enact the appropriate disciplinary measures. Remember that no child is bad -- they just don't know how to do the right thing, and need your help.[...]

TEXT 5

Interact with the children! Play with them. Do activities relevant to their interests. Find something fun and creative that also helps them learn. Go out for walks, to the park, or to a museum. Get them active, then go home and read a book. [...]

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HEADINGS

- A. Age is important!
- B. Behaving well counts
- C. Choose well you future home
- D. Cooking is boring
- E. Enjoy time in the kitchen
- F. **Feel fortunate**
- G. Outdoor activities. Yes!
- H. TV and video games. Great choice!

ITEM	TEXT	HEADING	
[0]	0	F	✓
[1]	1		
[2]	2		
[3]	3		
[4]	4		
[5]	5		

Tarea 2	
Objetivo	Comprender las ideas más relevantes de un texto.
Formato	Texto seguido de 6 a 8 preguntas de opción múltiple (a, b, c) o de 6 a 8 enunciados para indicar si son verdaderos o falsos.
Extensión	200 palabras aproximadamente.
Procedimiento	Indicar la opción correcta de entre las propuestas o si el enunciado es verdadero o falso y, en este caso, la línea o líneas donde se encuentra la información.
Puntuación	1 punto por cada opción correcta

TASK 2	MARKS
Read the text and choose the correct option (a, b or c) to complete sentences 1 –5. Item 0 is an example.	

CHEAPEST FARE FINDER

If you are flexible with dates and times for your journey, and can book in advance, you can often achieve huge discounts when buying train tickets. Whether you're travelling for work or leisure, the cheapest fare finder is your one stop shop to finding the best option for your point-to-point journey, at the lowest possible price for your wallet.

[...] If you are making the same journey on 3 or more days within a week a 7-day Season ticket is likely to save you money [...]. You can use the calculator to find out. You save even more on the 7-day rate when you buy a monthly or longer period Season Ticket. A monthly ticket is valid for a full calendar month, [...].

If you are going to be buying monthly or equivalent tickets for 10 months or more, an Annual Season Ticket will give you an even bigger saving - valid for a full calendar year, you effectively get 12 weeks' free travel.

Season Tickets can be used for unlimited journeys between the two stations printed on the ticket. A passport sized photograph is required for your first purchase. Season Tickets can be purchased at any staffed* station, and online in many cases [...]

Season Ticket prices on this calculator reflect current fares and do not take into account any future changes in prices which normally occur in January each year. [...]

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0. You can find good discounts for train tickets if you

- a) *are on holiday.*
- b) *book weeks before travelling.*
- c) *work in the city centre.*

B
✓

1. A 7-day season ticket can save you money when you

- a) use it at least 3 times a week.
- b) use it every day of the week.
- c) travel twice a week.

2. An Annual Season ticket can save you money

- a) for ten months of the year.
- b) to pay for one more year.
- c) to travel for free for three months.

3. If you get a season Ticket you can use the train

- a) between two stations.
- b) from Monday to Friday all day.
- c) twice a day between two stations.

4. You can buy a Season Ticket at

- a) any train station or online.
- b) an office at the train station or online
- c) from a ticket machine or online.

5. The calculator will work with prices

- a) for the tickets at the moment.
- b) for the tickets for the year.
- c) for your Annual Ticket only.

Tarea 3	
Objetivo	Comprender información detallada presente en un texto.
Formato	Uno o varios textos de los que se han extraído de 6 a 8 elementos. Los elementos se proporcionarán al candidato junto con 2-3 distractores.
Extensión	225 palabras aproximadamente.
Procedimiento	Completar el texto o textos escribiendo en un espacio numerado los elementos correctos de entre las opciones propuestas.
Puntuación	1 punto por cada elemento insertado correctamente.

TASK 3
 Read the text and use the grid below to fill in the gaps 1–10 with a suitable word from the word bank provided. There are four extra words in this bank. You will only need one word for each gap. You cannot use the same word in two different gaps. Item 0 is an example.

MARKS

THE BRITISH MUSEUM

The history of the British Museum began with the Irish born British physicist Hans Sloane, who died aged 93 in 1753. During his life, he had collected many important things [0] all around the world. When he died, he did not want [1] collection to be split up between his relatives. He sold his collection [2] the parliament of King George II. The parliament set up the British Museum to hold the collection. By the time he died, Sloane had collected over 80,000 objects from all [3] the world including Egypt, Greece, Rome and the Americas. The collection was mostly books and manuscripts. There [4] many important archaeological pieces included as well. The government looked [5] many possible places to build the new museum, including Buckingham House, which later became Buckingham Palace. [...]

The Museum opened [6] the 15th of January 1759 [...]. Over the years the museum began to concentrate more and more on historical objects [7] sculptures. For this reason they were given the Rosetta Stone by King George III [8] 1802. [...] In 1816 the Museum acquired the Elgin Marbles from Thomas Bruce [...]. Elgin had taken [9] from the Parthenon in Athens, Greece several years earlier. [10] people disagreed with the way Elgin took them from Greece. [...]

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3			6			9				



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COMPRENSIÓN DE TEXTOS ESCRITOS

TAREA 1 (Emparejar textos con epígrafes: *How to be a good nanny*)

1. C 2. A 3. E 4. B 5. G

TAREA 2 (Opción múltiple: *Cheapest fare finder*)

1. A 2. C 3. A 4. B 5. A

TAREA 3 (Rellenar huecos: *British Museum History*)

1. HIS 4. WERE 7. AND 10. MANY
2. TO 5. AT 8. IN
3. OVER 6. ON 9. THEM

COMPRENSIÓN DE TEXTOS ORALES

TAREA 1 (Emparejar textos con epígrafes: *Places to visit in Norway*)

1. F 2. C 3. B 4. E

TAREA 2A (V/F: *Tiny apartment*)

1. F 2. T 3. T 4. F

TAREA 2B (Opción múltiple: *Importance and benefits of sports on your health*)

1. A 2. C 3. A 4. B 5. C

TAREA 3 (Completar con palabras: *Student Houshare in Coventry*)

1. Meal 2. Shower 3. Studying 4. TV 5. Friends 6. money

TAREA 1

Texto 0

From its majestic mountains and famous fjords to its modern yet picturesque cities Norway is simply one of the most beautiful countries in the world. Here's a look at the best places to visit in Norway. Svalbard. The Svalbard archipelago in the Arctic North **is a land of dramatic snowed round peaks and glaciers of vast ice fields and forbidding icebergs** its settlements are the northernmost permanently inhabited spots on the planet far more northerly than any part of Alaska. Svalbard visitors come mostly to experience Arctic nature at its rawest and most powerful a once-in-a-lifetime destination this is a land where there are double as many polar bears as people.

Texto 1

Oslo. The capital of the country is full of amazing architectural designs that highlight the contemporary feel about the place as do the educational museums and interesting galleries. Lying next to the sea with mountains surrounding it **Oslo is one of the greenest cities in the world thanks to its forward-thinking eco-friendly policies this** makes it lovely to walk around in fact residents can find themselves skiing, trekking the forests or sealing along the Oslofjord waterways in no time at all.

Texto 2

Sognefjord. As Norway's largest fjord Songefjord offers huge fun and adventure. Visitors here can choose from a wide range of **exhilarating adventures like riding the world's steepest railway through snow-capped mountains and around cascading waterfalls. Other activities** include hiking along scenic trails and cruising along the magnificent fjord and its many branches such as Nærøyfjord, the wildest and most beautiful branch of the Songnefjord.

Texto 3

Bergen. Norway second largest city Bergen has been the nation's leading Western port since the Middle Ages. Today its 15th century waterfront in the Brigand district is both a working port and a tourist destination for visitors **eager to sample fresh fare at seaside restaurants** although Bergen makes a great home base for explorations of the scenic fjords around the city and the neighbouring islands there's plenty to see within the city as well. A quick trip of Bergen's popular funicular is a good way to get oriented in the place known as the gateway to the fjords.

Texto 4

Geirangerfjord. With its remarkable scenery of deep blue waters and **majestic mountains** it is no wonder that the Geiranger fjord is among the most visited Norwegian fjords. When visiting here a must-do is a sightseeing cruise on the fjord **to view its astonishing beauty** and its famous waterfalls the Seven Sisters which plunge directly into the fjord. Other exciting opportunities abound here as well like water-skiing, excellent fishing, canoeing and hiking trails that provide some of Norway's most dramatic views.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uXyy7lgDj9k>

TAREA 2A

Hey guys, we are in the Hague, in the Netherlands this week. And we have been renting this small little place.

Welcome to the entrance space. It's not that big but it has enough space to put off some shoes right here. There's a mirror that you can use. It's nice when you're walking out the door. And right over here is the kitchen. The kitchen is pretty small and it is really efficient too.

They prioritize to put in a full-on cooktop so there's actually room for four pots and pans on here which is quite a lot. Down here's storage and **over here is the fridge. It's pretty big** and it even has a freezer part in it. Over here there's more storage and it actually holds quite a lot of things.

In here is the bathroom and has these lovely doors that lets a lot of light through **the shower stall is pretty big** and you have a rain shower which is rare in a small space. And I love how they actually used very decorative tiles and a lot of colour in such a small space. They really made it very nice, relaxing bathroom. Welcome to my ballroom! **I love this living room!** It is so cosy. You have a big couch over here and it's really comfortable. You have this low sofa table which is really nice and it also fits under the bed. I love it. You might be wondering where you can sit down and eat... **And there's actually a table over here.** It flips up like this, hooks into place. And I love this space. We've been using it as an office for Walden during the day and then at night we just fold away and that's it. As if this space wasn't great enough already **there is actually a small private little garden** out here it's more like a terrace thing and I love the way they've set it up, have these big French doors they open up to this very nice quiet oasis.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lynevHr-m-Q>

TAREA 2B

Playing sports indoor or outdoor is important for the mental as well as physical development of an individual and every sport has its own unique advantages. Let's look at a few sports and how they impact us.

One. Cricket. There are many benefits on playing cricket. Cricket helps in enhancing hand-eye coordination **when you play cricket you get fit by running between wickets running up to the ball and running after the ball** to field it.

Two. Football. Football players require a great level of stamina. Further, **football works very well to develop your leg muscles**, namely the shins and thighs. Legs being the largest muscles of the body are the most crucial.

Three. Hockey. Hockey is a fast-paced sport that improves its players peers agility and lower body strength **playing hockey is a fun and effective way of burning off calories** with its fast pace requiring short bursts of sprint energy along with long-term stamina over the course of a match. Hockey is one sport that works on both your legs as well as upper body at the same time. Hockey relies on good coordination between the eyes and the hands and improves the reflexes and reaction times of its players.

Four. Swimming. Swimming works your whole body **improving cardiovascular conditioning**, muscle strength, endurance, posture and flexibility all **at the same time. Your cardiovascular system in particular benefits** because swimming improves your body's use of oxygen without overworking your heart. As you become fitter and are able to swim longer your resting heart rate and respiratory rate will be reduced making blood flow to the heart and lungs more efficient.

Five. Chess. Chess is now known to be an imaginative and strategic game. **People find playing chess relaxing and it also helps them to think analytically.** It improves the focus and concentration of one's mind. Chess teaches a person to analyse different situations and think a thousand times before taking a step. As chess requires one to remember various position and strategies this helps in improved memory and increase concentration.

Sports are the most natural way to stay fit since playing a sport never seems like an effort but only seems fun.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z-W0we-sFhs>

TAREA 3

Hi, my name is Henrietta and right now I'm in the beautiful and historic city of Coventry.

This house share has been specifically designed for students where it caters for their every need. Location wise you cannot get a better spot than this. The city centre is only a five minute walk away and so is the university, so you have everything you need quite literally on your doorstep.

Upon entering this university-based house share you come straight into the corridor. Now although this kitchen is quite compact it really does have everything you need to make a great meal. And you don't need to worry about anything when moving in, it has everything from pots and pans to knives, spoons and forks, spatulas, everything you need.

When you're cooking in here it's also got a gas top and you are looking outside into the courtyard, which is actually quite pleasant in itself. You've got your washing machine here and a massive new fridge-freezer, so there's plenty of space for everyone in the house.

The bathroom is small, yet efficient, with everything you need including a wash-basin and an electric shower.

I'm now in one of the upstairs bedrooms, and as you can see, they are all pretty similar. They are all fully equipped with a lovely double bed, a desk for studying and plenty of storage space for all your possessions.

The thing I like about these upstairs bedrooms is you've also got the additional benefit of your own personal fridge-freezer, which will be great for the snack when studying. Although the house doesn't have a communal living area, each of your bedrooms do come with your own private TV giving you a sense of real personal space, and also there's a little bit of a gift from the landlord of your own toaster and kettle, which will be great when studying.

This house share is marketed for students and it certainly ticks all the boxes whether you are from the city originally or coming in as an international student. The great thing about choosing this shared accommodation is that you'll automatically make new friends, as one of the requirements to live here is that you are a current student. This house really does cover all your living requirements and the convenience of the location is unsurpassed. Not only can you walk to all your classes, meaning you'll never be late and it will save a ton of money on transport, but you're also close to the local shops and bars and gyms of Gosford Street, meaning that you'll have an active social life away from your studies.

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