



NIVEL BÁSICO A2

TAREA 1

A conversation

Listen to Sam and Annie having a conversation. For questions 1-6 choose the best answer; only one is correct. Question 0 is an example and you will hear it only once.

- You will hear **extracts 1-6 twice**.
- You will have 30 seconds between the first and second listening and 60 seconds at the end.
- You now have 90 seconds to read the questions.

(Marks 6x1=6)

Don't forget to write your answers on the answer sheet at the beginning of this booklet

- 1. Sam and Annie...**
 - a) are friends
 - b) are relatives**
 - c) are strangers
- 2. Sam...**
 - a) works as a teacher
 - b) works at the school
 - c) studies at the school
- 3. Sam...**
 - a) likes the school
 - b) is not interested in the school
 - c) hates the school
- 4. The school...**
 - a) has lots of classrooms
 - b) has a big library
 - c) has football for boys
- 5. Annie's children...**
 - a) are a boy and a girl
 - b) are very quiet
 - c) are teenagers
- 6. Emily is ...**
 - a) two years older than Tania.
 - b) three years older than Tania.
 - c) two years younger than Tania
- 7. Sam's phone number is 07913 276...**
 - a) 398
 - b) 598
 - c) 399

TAREA 2

Holidays

Listen to two friends having a conversation. For questions 1-6 choose the best answer; only one is correct. Question 0 is an example and you will hear it only once.

- You will hear the recording twice.
- You will have 30 seconds between the first and second listening and 60 seconds at the end.
- You now have 90 seconds to read the questions.

(Marks 6x1=6)

Don't forget to write your answers on the answer sheet.

1. At the beginning ...

- a) Anne wants to make plans for their holiday
- b) Sam asks Anne where she wants to go**
- c) they don't want to make plans for their holiday

2. Anne wants to go to the beach ...

- a) to work there
- b) to rest there
- c) to buy food and cook

3. About flying:

- a) Anne likes flying
- b) Sam is afraid of flying
- c) They don't like flying

4. They decide to go to the Scotland ...

- a) by bus
- b) by car
- c) by train

5. They ...

- a) want to arrive there quickly.
- b) both enjoy driving there.
- c) want to stop on the way there.

6. Sam's holidays begin on the... of July

- a) 28th
- b) 30th
- c) 31st

7. Their holiday together finishes on the ...

- a) 10th of August
- b) 12th of August
- c) 14th of August

Short recordings

Listen to 8 short recordings. Match recordings 1-7 with phrases A-J. There are TWO EXTRA phrases. Recording 0 is an example and you will hear it **only once**.

- You will hear recordings **1-7 TWICE**.
- You will have 30 seconds between the first and second listening and 60 seconds at the end.
- You now have 60 seconds to read the phrases.

(Marks: 7x1 = 7)

Don't forget to write your answers on the answer sheet

Phrases

A. Day and time you need to go to the health center

~~B. Important phone numbers for emergencies~~

C. Information about a bus station

D. Information about discounts at a clothes shop

E. Information about when and where a train is leaving

F. Office hours for booking a hotel room

G. Opening times for a restaurant

H. Times and prices to go to an airport

I. Timetable for borrowing books at a school

J. Urgent information for people taking a plane

TAREA 4

Radio Recordings

Listen to 8 radio recordings. For questions 1-7 choose the best answer (a, b or c); **only one is correct**. Recording 0 is an example and you will hear it **only once**.

- You will hear recordings **1-7 twice**.
- You will have 30 seconds between the first and second listening and 60 seconds at the end.
- You now have 90 seconds to read the questions.

(Marks: 7x1=7)

Don't forget to write your answers on the answer sheet

1. The surname is spelled ...

- a) Knoles
- b) **Knollys**
- c) Knowles

2. The cheapest room you can rent is ...

- a) at a farmhouse
- b) in the Lake District
- c) near the beach

3. The hottest temperatures today will be ...

- a) in the south
- b) in the east
- c) in the north

4. It's going to rain at...

- a) 6 o'clock and 8 o'clock
- b) 8 o'clock and 10 o'clock
- c) 6 o'clock and 10 o'clock

5. Parents think the most important thing in the school is that ...

- a) it has smartboards in every classroom.
- b) the groups of students in class are small.
- c) there are laptops for all students.

6. The country that won the Eurovision Song Contest more times is...

- a) Ireland
- b) the UK
- c) Sweden

7. People could buy a DVD of The Crown in the UK ...

- a) 04/11/2017
- b) 17/10/2017
- c) 20/11/2017

8. People say a person from ...

- a) the UK is friendly
- b) Switzerland works a lot
- c) Spain is kind

1. CLAVE DE CORRECCIONES

TAREA 1: A conversation

0	1	2	3	4	5	6
b	b	a	b	b	a	a

TAREA 2: Holidays

0	1	2	3	4	5	6
b	b	c	b	c	b	a

TAREA 3: Short recordings

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
B	F	I	A	H	D	E	J

TAREA 4: Radio Recordings

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
b	a	c	c	b	a	b	b

2. TABLA DE CONVERSIÓN 26-10

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
0,4	0,8	1,2	1,5	1,9	2,3	2,7	3,1	3,5	3,8	4,2	4,6	5
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
5.4	5,8	6,2	6,5	6,9	7,3	7,7	8,1	8,5	8,8	9,2	9,6	10

3. TRANSCRIPTS

TAREA 1

A conversation

Sam; Hi, Annie, how are you, dear cousin?

Annie; Hi, Sam! I haven't seen you in a long time! How are you?

Sam; I'm good! I'm good! I work here now!

Annie; Really? Here at the school?

Sam; Yes!

Annie; Wow! That's great! Do you like it here?

Sam; Sure! It's a really nice school, with lots of interesting activities and very good facilities.

Annie; Good facilities? Tell me, please. I'm thinking about changing my children here.

Sam; Good idea! Well, the classrooms are really modern, with laptops for every student, smartboards and a really fast wifi connection.

Annie; What about a library, does the school have a library?

Sam; Yes, a really beautiful library, large and bright, with books, CDs, DVDs... computers too, of course.

Annie; That's fantastic, because my girls love books; they love the silence of a nice school library!

Sam; Me too! But, tell me, how old are the girls now?

Annie; Tania is 7 and Emily is 9.

You said the school has interesting activities, but does it have outdoor sports? You know my girls love doing sports and they want to go to football classes next year.

Sam; Of course! We have football classes for boys and girls! They are very popular with our school children. Listen. Why don't you bring them to the school so they can see if they like it here?

Annie; Good idea! When can they come?

Sam; Let me see... On Friday, the 19th of June, at quarter past twelve. I'll come with them too. I really want to meet them! Here, this is my phone number: 07913 276 398 Call me!

Annie; Excellent! Thank you so much, Sam. You have helped me so much!!!

Sam; My pleasure!

TAREA 2

Holidays

Sam; So, Anne, where would you like to go on holiday this year?

Anne; Oh, I don't know, Sam. Do we really have to plan this now?

Sam; Yes, darling. Where do you want to go?

Anne; Ok, then. I'd like to go to the beach.

Sam; The beach? Again?

Anne; Yes, at least for a week or so. I'm so tired from work. And I want to go to a hotel where we don't have to think about buying food or cooking. A place where we can relax and do nothing!

Sam; Ok, But we have 15 days, what are we going to do after that?

Anne; I don't want to fly. I don't like airports or planes.

Sam; I hate flying, too. We can go to France and we don't have to take a plane. We can go by train.

Anne; I see. But it takes too long to get there. Why don't we stay in Britain or go to Ireland?

Sam; Mmm. I've always wanted to go back to Scotland. I love it there!! It has so much to see and do, and there is the Edinburgh Festival, with theatre and comedy and...Yes, let's go to Scotland!

Anne; Excellent!!! How will we get there? Train or bus?

Sam; Why don't we drive? It's nice, and we can stop on the way and see interesting places...

Anne; Ok, I don't like driving, but it's a good idea.

Sam ; Wait. Let me check when I have my holidays. Oh no! I thought my holidays started on the 28th of July and they start on the 30th. And I start work again on the 14th of August, not the 12th! When exactly do you have your holidays?

Anne; My holidays start on the 27th and I start work on the 11th of August. Oh dear, our dates are not the same!

Sam; No. Oh dear! so, we have to take our holiday together from the 30th of July to the 10th of August. That's only 11 days!

TAREA 3

Short recordings

1. **Anuncio de radio.** In the UK and you have a serious problem? Here are the numbers you need. Need an ambulance or the police, call 999 or 112. Health problems, call NHS Direct: 0845 4647 (32 palabras)
2. **Contestador automático:** You have called Rye Youth Hostel. We are sorry, we are now closed. Our reception is open Mondays to Fridays from 6.00 am to 10 pm and Saturdays to Sundays from 7.30 to 11.00. Thanks for calling Cambridge Youth Hostel. (43 words)(20")
3. **Mensaje de megafonía.** This is a message for students who need to use the library. The library will be open mornings from 10 to 12, and afternoons from 3.30 to 4.30. That is, mornings from 10 to 12 and afternoons from 3.30 to 4.30. (45 words)
4. **Mensaje grabado de whatsapp:** Hi, darling. Remember you need to be at the doctor's at 10.45 tomorrow morning. Please don't forget. The last time you forgot and then we had to wait for a long time until you got the next appointment (39 palabras)

4. **Anuncio.** Travelling from London to Gatwick airport? Gatwick Fast Train from London Victoria. The easiest, quickest way to Gatwick airport. Leaving the station every 10 minutes. From London to Gatwick in 30 minutes. Prices from 10 to 35 pounds (38 palabras)
5. **Anuncio.** Summer sales. The best sales ever!!!. Up to 50% off. Summer sales! T-shirts, jeans, dresses, Summer sales! Up to 50% off. Crazy sales!!! Suits, dinner jackets!!! Casual and formal wear!!! Up to 50% off!!! Change your wardrobe for very little money!!! Buy now!!! (43 palabras)
6. **Anuncio.** Attention, passengers: train to Manchester will be departing at 10.25 from platform 2. 10.25 train to Manchester, platform 2. Mind the gap and stand clear of the doors. (28 palabras)
7. **Mensaje megafonía aeropuerto:** This is a special announcement for passengers flying to New York at 10.35, flight number AA 894, please board now on gate 35C. Passengers flying on flight number AA 894, please board now, gate 35C. (36 palabras)

TAREA 4

Radio Recordings

0. Example

Today we are talking about interesting surnames. Knollys [pronounced 'nowles']. Only 31 people have it in the UK. It has a very strange spelling. K-N-O-L-L-Y-S. Yes, you heard it right, K-N-O-L-L-Y-S (32 palabras)(18")

1. Understanding prices. Anuncio publicitario: We have rooms at a farmhouse for 105 pounds per week. Rooms in the Lake District, 120 pounds per week and rooms near the beach for 110 pounds per week. (30 palabras) (+/-15")

2. Understanding numbers. Corte radiofónico. And now today's weather forecast. In the south, the highest temperature will be 30 °C. A little colder in the east, 23°C. The north, record temperatures today, 35°C. (28 palabras) (+/-15")

3. Understanding times. (musiquilla) Corte radiofónico. And now the weather forecast. At 6 o'clock, rain and wind. The rain will stop at 8, but will start again at 10 (23 palabras)(+/-10")

4. Understanding classroom language. Corte radiofónico. Smartboards are not as important as we think. Parents choose our school because the groups are small, 10 students per classroom. Laptops are not the most important thing, either. (29 palabras) (+/-13")

5. Nationalities and countries. Numbers. Corte radiofónico
Who's won the Eurovision Song Contest more times? The British, maybe? No, you're wrong! The British won it 5 times, the Irish 7 times and the Swedes 6 times. (29 palabras)(12")

6. Understanding dates. Corte radiofónico

The web TV series The Crown started on Netflix on the 4th of November, 2016. It came out on DVD and Blu-ray in the United Kingdom on the 17th of October, 2017, and in Spain on the 20th of November 2017. (42 palabras)(+/- 20")

7. Understanding countries and nationalities. Corte radiofónico.

I travelled a lot, in Europe, mostly. People say the Swiss work a lot, the Italians are friendly, the British are polite, the Spanish are fun. But that is not always true. (32 palabras) (+/-15")

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