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PRUEBA DE COMPRENSIÓN DE TEXTOS ORALES

Esta parte de la prueba consta de TRES tareas.

DURACIÓN TOTAL: 30 minutos

INDICACIONES:

- TODAS las respuestas se escribirán en la **hoja de respuestas**.
- Emplear tinta permanente azul o negra. No usar lápiz.
- Corregir ~~tachando~~ el texto. No usar correctores líquidos o cintas.
- Puntuación total: **26 puntos**. “Apto” ≥ 13 .

DESARROLLO de cada una de las tareas:

- 2 minutos** para leer la tarea a realizar
- Primera escucha
- 1 minuto** para pensar y responder
- Segunda escucha
- 1 minuto** para finalizar la tarea

TASK 1 ► Listen to someone talking about the origins of popcorn, chocolate and ice cream. Complete the gaps with ONE suitable word from the recording. The first item is an example. Write your answers on the answer sheet, in spaces 1 to 10. You will hear the recording TWICE. 10 points

EXAMPLE: People started growing corn about 8,000 years ago.

1. People in Central America used corn to make bread and _____ .
2. In 1948 archaeologists found popcorn which was _____ years old.
3. Native Americans also used popcorn to make _____ and necklaces.
4. People in central America made a _____ drink from the seeds of the cacao tree.
5. They made a paste and added chili _____ and water.
6. In 1867 a _____ chocolate maker called Daniel Peter invented a milk chocolate candy.
7. 2000 years ago, the ancient _____ mixed ice, snow, fruit and honey to make ice cream.
8. People in China made _____ with ice and milk 1,500 years ago.
9. People in Europe mixed fruit ices, cream and sugar. Then they _____ it in a bucket of ice.
10. The first ice cream _____ opened in Baltimore in the 1850s.

Source: Learn English Through Story

TASK 2 > Listen to this extract about two friends. Decide which **SEVEN** statements (A-N) are **TRUE** according to the recording. The first sentence is an example. Write the corresponding letters (A-N) on the answer sheet, in spaces 11 to 17. You will hear the recording **TWICE**. **7 points**

EXAMPLE: The narrator spent one year in India after university. (TRUE)

- A. Haldane used to be cheerful when he was at university.
- B. After India, the narrator went to Oxford to visit his friend.
- C. When the narrator visited him, Haldane didn't look well.
- D. Haldane was getting ready to move.
- E. Haldane and the narrator went to a restaurant for dinner.
- F. They laughed a lot after dinner.
- G. The narrator advised his friend to go and see a doctor.
- H. Haldane told the narrator that there was something wrong.
- I. The narrator cancelled his hotel room and spent the night with his friend.
- J. In the morning, the narrator found some men putting things into a vehicle.
- K. Haldane gave him his new address.
- L. Haldane visited the narrator more than a year later.
- M. Haldane looked healthier than before.
- N. The narrator is certain that this time Haldane is ready to talk.

Adapted from: In the Dark, by E. Nesbit

TASK 3 > Listen to a biography of Virginia Hall. Choose the best option (a, b or c), according to the recording. The first item is an example. Write the corresponding letters (a, b or c) on the answer sheet, in spaces 18 to 26. You will hear the recording **TWICE**. **9 points**

<p>(EXAMPLE) Virginia Hall worked as ..B... during WW2.</p> <p>A. a pilot</p> <p>B. a spy</p> <p>C. a translator</p>	<p>22. She suffered an accident. What happened?</p> <p>A. A hunter accidentally shot her.</p> <p>B. She shot herself.</p> <p>C. She was shot by a German soldier.</p>
<p>18. She was born in ...</p> <p>A. 1896.</p> <p>B. 1906.</p> <p>C. 1916.</p>	<p>23. Because of her injury, Virginia ...</p> <p>A. could never drive.</p> <p>B. lost a part of her body.</p> <p>C. stopped serving the Allies.</p>
<p>19. At university, Virginia ...</p> <p>A. learnt languages.</p> <p>B. studied languages in Baltimore..</p> <p>C. taught languages.</p>	<p>24. In Paris, she ...</p> <p>A. didn't join the army.</p> <p>B. drove people who were ill or injured.</p> <p>C. killed many German soldiers.</p>
<p>20. In 1931 she started working in ...</p> <p>A. Holland.</p> <p>B. Poland.</p> <p>C. Switzerland.</p>	<p>25. After Paris she moved to ...</p> <p>A. England.</p> <p>B. Germany.</p> <p>C. The Pyrenees.</p>
<p>21. After that, she also worked in ...</p> <p>A. Australia and Turkey.</p> <p>B. Austria and Estonia.</p> <p>C. Turkey and England.</p>	<p>26. Virginia Hall ...</p> <p>A. never worked for the US.</p> <p>B. saved many prisoners of the Germans.</p> <p>C. was never in Spain.</p>

Source: www.manythings.org