

# Pruebas Específicas de Certificación 2020/2021

# Producción y Coproducción de Textos Orales

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# TARJETA 1A TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN **READING HABITS**

It is often said that we are losing the habit of concentrated reading as our attention span is dwindling and we are slaves to screens overloaded with irrelevant information.

You are going to talk about "Reading Habits". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. How have your reading habits changed down the years?
- 2. Are we less reflective and analytical these days?
- 3. What is the role of public libraries in the digital age?

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### TAREA DE COPRODUCCIÓN

#### THE RETIREMENT AGE

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- The Government's plan to increase the retirement age to 67.
- The problem of paying pensions to so many people.
- Why some people want early retirement while others want to work even beyond 70.



# TARJETA 1B TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN SECONDARY SCHOOL EDUCATION

Secondary school kids' disenchantment with the school system is a hot topic these days.

You are going to talk about "Secondary School Education". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. Is disenchantment a distinguishing feature over the generations of school kids?
- 2. Are our children learning relevant skills at school?
- 3. Proposals for more creative learning.

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# TARJETA 2A TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN SEDENTARISM

Research shows that sedentarism is wreaking havoc on our health.

You are going to talk about "Sedentarism". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. How come people of different ages have become so sedentary?
- 2. Were people in the past less active?
- 3. How can we find a happy medium?

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#### RELIGION

# Places of worship are empty while the shopping malls are full. Talk with your partner about "Religion" by considering the following:

- How religion has been losing status in recent decades.
- What kind of religious upbringing our parents/ grandparents had.
- Should schoolkids learn about religious heritage in Ethical Values classes at school?



### TARJETA 2B TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN RACISM

Racism keeps raising its ugly head despite advances which have been made.

You are going to talk about "Racism". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. Why is racism in the news so often again?
- 2. What are the roots of racism?
- 3. What advances have been made and what remains to be done?

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### TARJETA 3A TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN THE GYM CULTURE

In the last two decades there has been a mushrooming of gyms in every town, village and city.

You are going to talk about "the gym culture". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. Why are gyms so popular these days?
- 2. Why did previous generations hardly use gyms?
- 3. What gym-free exercise could we practise outdoors?

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### STAYING AT HOME

#### Talk with your partner about "Staying at home" by considering the following.

- The frustrations and how people learned to deal with being at home during the pandemic.
- How people will use their home differently after the pandemic.
- The importance of home in today's hectic world.

# TARJETA 3B TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN **MODERN JOBS**

More and more jobs are being replaced by machines or artificial intelligence.

You are going to talk about "Modern Jobs". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. What changes have we witnessed in the job market in the past two decades?
- 2. Will robots and artificial intelligence take over our jobs?
- 3. What new jobs are there and what jobs are becoming obsolete?

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# TARJETA 4A TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN INDIVIDUALISM

Some commentators believe we have become too individualistic in recent decades.

You are going to talk about "Individualism". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. What are the pros and cons of individualism?
- 2. Are people more selfish these days?
- 3. What can be done to encourage people to foster the concept of community?

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### **BUYING vs. RENTING PROPERTY**

#### Talk with your partner about "Buying vs. renting property" by considering the following:

- The lack of affordable housing to buy or rent.
- The need for the Government to help first time buyers and single people.
- The experiences you or friends of yours have had either renting or trying to buy.



# TARJETA 4B TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN THE SCREEN LIFESTYLE

We are now fully addicted to our screens and there seems to be no possibility of disconnecting.

You are going to talk about "The Screen Lifestyle". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. Why do we depend so much on screens?
- 2. Is this lifestyle changing our ability to socialise?
- 3. What can we do to limit our screen time?

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### TARJETA 5A TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN **POST-PANDEMIC TRAVEL**

The covid pandemic put a stop to travel and made people think twice about this leisure and business activity.

You are going to talk about "Post-pandemic travel". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. What changes took place as regards travel during the pandemic?
- 2. What pros and cons were there to this?
- 3. Should we change our behaviour as regards post-pandemic travel?

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### TARJETA 5B TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN CUSTOMER SERVICE AND AI

Now, more than ever, companies must meet customers where they are, designing personalized experiences that directly map to consumers' needs in the moment. *(IBM)* 

You are going to talk about "Customer Service and AI". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. Are chatbots effective?
- 2. Is online/telephone customer service better than face-to face service?
- 3. What skills are required from a customer service employee?

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### TARJETA 6A TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN AGEING POPULATIONS

Advances in Medicine have given us longer lives and more time to live life to the full.

You are going to talk about cultural "Ageing Populations". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. What benefits have advances in medicine brought about regarding ageing?
- 2. What kind of old age would you envisage for yourself?
- 3. Are our elderly well cared for?

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### A POST-PANDEMIC CELEBRATION

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- What activities you have missed most during the pandemic.
- What kind of plans you have in order to move on from the pandemic.
- What precautions you will need to take.



# TARJETA 6B TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN NEWSPAPERS & RADIO

These days we have unlimited access to news of all types in written, visual and audio form.

You are going to talk about "Newspapers and Radio". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. How have your habits changed as regards newspapers and radio in recent years?
- 2. How do you monitor fake news?
- 3. What radio programmes/podcasts and newspaper sections have helped you with language learning?

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# TARJETA 6C TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN

#### WINNING THE LOTTERY

I've done the calculation and your chances of winning the lottery are identical whether you play or not. (*Fran Lebowitz*)

You are going to talk about "Winning the Lottery". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. What plans do you have on how to spend the money?
- 2. What problems might lottery winners encounter?
- 3. What are the advantages of having just enough money to get by?

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### TARJETA 7A TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN THE WORLD OF WORK

Heretofore unthinkable changes have taken place during the pandemic in every workplace.

You are going to talk about "The World of Work". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

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- 2. How have workers adapted?
- 3. What does the world of work look like in the near future?

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## TARJETA 7B TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN CONFLICT RESOLUTION

Peace is not the absence of conflict but the ability to cope with it. (Dorothy Thorne)

You are going to talk about "Conflict Resolution". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. What kind of conflicts can exist in the work place and why?
- 2. What kind of conflicts can exist in political relationships?
- 3. How do we best learn to resolve conflicts?

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# TARJETA 7C TAREA DE PRODUCCIÓN COUNTRY LIFE

More and more people are moving to the country as city life has lost its charm.

You are going to talk about "Country Life". Express your ideas and use arguments and examples to justify your opinion. Use the following questions as a help to prepare your monologue, but do not answer them directly:

- 1. How do city people adjust to country life?
- 2. What advantages now exist to work remotely?
- 3. What could governments do to share out employment in order to promote country life?

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