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# GCSE SPANISH

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## MATERIALS

- You will need no other materials.

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## INSTRUCTIONS

- You must **NOT** use a dictionary.
- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- You must answer **THREE** questions.
- You must answer **EITHER** Question 1.1 **OR** Question 1.2 **OR** Question 1.3. Only answer **ONE** of these questions.
- You must answer **EITHER** Question 2.1 **OR** Question 2.2 **OR** Question 2.3. Only answer **ONE** of these questions.
- You must answer Question 3.
- Answer **ALL** questions in **SPANISH**.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do **NOT** write on blank pages.
- If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).
- Do all rough work in this answer book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.



**INFORMATION**

- **The marks for questions are shown in brackets.**
- **The maximum mark for this paper is 60.**
- **In order to score the highest marks for Question 1.1/Question 1.2/Question 1.3, you must write something about each bullet point. You must use a variety of vocabulary and structures and include your opinions.**
- **In order to score the highest marks for Question 2.1/Question 2.2/Question 2.3, you must write something about both bullet points. You must use a variety of vocabulary and structures and include your opinions and reasons.**

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**Answer EITHER Question 1.1 OR Question 1.2 OR Question 1.3.**

**You must ONLY answer ONE of these questions.**

**EITHER**

**0 1 . 1**

**THEME 1 – Identity and culture**

**Tienes una nueva amiga chilena, María. Te ha mandado algunas preguntas para conocerte mejor.**

**Escríbele un email.**

**Menciona:**

- **qué hiciste para celebrar tu último cumpleaños**
- **tu opinión sobre la televisión**
- **si prefieres pasar tiempo con tus amigos o con tu familia**
- **qué vas a hacer este fin de semana.**

**Escribe aproximadamente 90 palabras en ESPAÑOL.  
Responde a todos los aspectos de la pregunta.  
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**THEME 2 – Local, national, international and global areas of interest**

**La familia de tu amigo español, Hugo, ha comprado una casa en el campo para llevar una vida más sana.**

**Escríbele un email.**

**Menciona:**

- **tu opinión sobre tu casa**
- **qué hiciste la última vez que visitaste un sitio interesante en tu región**
- **qué te gusta hacer para llevar una vida sana**
- **dónde vas a vivir en el futuro.**

**Escribe aproximadamente 90 palabras en ESPAÑOL.  
Responde a todos los aspectos de la pregunta.  
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**THEME 3 – Current and future study and employment**

**Juana, una amiga de Bolivia, te ha preguntado sobre tu colegio.**

**Escríbele un email.**

**Menciona:**

- **qué hiciste durante un día de excursión con tu colegio**
- **tus ideas sobre el profesor ideal / la profesora ideal**
- **tu opinión sobre los exámenes**
- **dónde vas a estudiar el año próximo.**

**Escribe aproximadamente 90 palabras en ESPAÑOL.  
Responde a todos los aspectos de la pregunta.  
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Answer EITHER Question 2.1 OR Question 2.2 OR Question 2.3.

You must ONLY answer ONE of these questions.

**EITHER**

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**THEME 1 – Identity and culture**

Lees un artículo en una revista española sobre las familias en España.

Decides escribir un email.

Menciona:

- qué efectos tienen las nuevas tecnologías en las relaciones familiares
- si te gustaría casarte en el futuro.

Escribe aproximadamente 150 palabras en ESPAÑOL.  
Responde a los dos aspectos de la pregunta. [32 marks]

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**THEME 2 – Local, national, international and global areas of interest**

**Tu amigo tiene la oportunidad de viajar a Colombia para trabajar de voluntario en un colegio allí.**

**Escríbele un email.**

**Menciona:**

- **si crees que es importante hacer trabajo voluntario**
- **unas vacaciones en el pasado que NO te gustaron.**

**Escribe aproximadamente 150 palabras en ESPAÑOL. Responde a los dos aspectos de la pregunta. [32 marks]**

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**THEME 3 – Current and future study and employment**

**Lees una página web sobre las ambiciones de los jóvenes argentinos y decides enviar un email.**

**Menciona:**

- el trabajo ideal que te gustaría hacer en el futuro
- si crees que es importante ir a la universidad.

**Escribe aproximadamente 150 palabras en ESPAÑOL.  
Responde a los dos aspectos de la pregunta. [32 marks]**

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Translate the following passage into SPANISH.

In the winter, it is cold in our towns and I think that we must do more for the homeless people. When I left school yesterday, I went to buy a video game that was quite expensive. I was sad because I saw an old lady who was living on the street. [12 marks]

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