

1.1 F Hablando de los amigos

Reading worksheet

1 Read the texts and choose the correct person for each question. Write the correct letter: A (Andrea), B (Bernardo), C (Clara), D (David) or E (Elena).

Answers

1 B 2 E 3 A 4 C 5 D 6 E 7 B 8 A

2 Read the texts again and decide whether these statements are true (T) or false (F).

Answer

1 F 2 F 3 T 4 F 5 T

2.2F Reading worksheet

1 Read the text and answer the questions. Write the correct letter in the box.

Answers

1 B 2 A 3 C 4 A 5 C 6 B

5.1F Reading worksheet

1 Read each of the blog posts about where people live and decide who each of the statements below belongs to. Write M for Mateo, E for Esther, V for Vincente or S for Samuel.

Answers

1 E
2 V
3 S
4 V
5 M
6 E

Answers Worksheet answers

2 Decide if the statements are true (T), false (F) or not mentioned (?).

Answers

- 1 V
- 2 ?
- 3 F
- 4 F
- 5 F
- 6 ?

3 Translate the sentences into English.

Sample answers

- 1 I have to share a bedroom with my younger sister.
- 2 Our bedroom is quite small.
- 3 I love my house because it is modern.
- 4 The good thing about my house is the garden.
- 5 The bad thing about my bedroom is the space.
- 6 I live very near (to) my friends.

7.2G Reading worksheet

1 Read the different opinions five people have about the homeless. Then complete the table by filling in the correct name next to each statement.

Answers

1	I collect items to send out to Third World countries.	Miguel
2	If someone is homeless, it's their choice.	Inma
3	I give money to charities.	Julia
4	I work in a soup kitchen.	Alonso
5	I can't afford to help homeless people.	Rosa

2 Busca el vocabulario siguiente en las opiniones de la actividad 1.

Find the following vocabulary in the opinions in activity 1.

Answers

- 1 siempre que puedo
- 2 los necesitados
- 3 (la) comida caliente
- 4 la verdad es que

Answers Worksheet answers

- 5 mandar
- 6 (los) países del Tercer Mundo
- 7 han escogido
- 8 ayudarles

3 Translate into English what Miguel and Inma say in activity 1.

Sample answers

Inma – The homeless have chosen to live on the street. It is their decision and I don't see the need to help them.

Miguel – During the holidays I work as a volunteer for an organisation which collects clothes and shoes to send to the needy in Third World countries.

8.1G Reading worksheet

1 Read the text about five people's holidays. Then read sentences 1-10 and decide if they are true (T), false (F) or not mentioned (NM).

Answers

- | | |
|------|------|
| 1 NM | 6 F |
| 2 T | 7 T |
| 3 F | 8 NM |
| 4 F | 9 NM |
| 5 T | 10 T |

2 Translate Jaime's paragraph into English.

Sample answers

I always go on holiday with my parents and younger / little brother. They like the beach so we always go to the coast. We travel by coach because it is cheaper. We go in the summer during the school holidays and at that time of year, it / the weather is normally clear and sunny.

9.1F Reading worksheet

1 Read Patricia's advice and answer the questions. Write the correct letter in the box.

Answers

- 1 B 2 B 3 C

Answers Worksheet answers

2 Lee los consejos de Enrique y Andrea sobre cómo tener éxito en el instituto. Contesta las preguntas en español.

Read Enrique and Andrea's advice about how to be successful at school. Answer the questions in Spanish.

Answers

- 1 levantar la mano y hacer preguntas
- 2 pasar notas y charlar con los amigos
- 3 para repasar y practicar lo que has / hemos aprendido
- 4 porque tienes / tenemos al profesor en caso de que necesites / necesitemos ayuda
- 5 hacer tus / las / nuestras tareas demasiado rápido
- 6 te / nos ayudan a desarrollar buenos hábitos y actitudes

12.1F Reading worksheet

1 Lee los dos textos y contesta las preguntas. Escribe I (Iván), G (Gabriela) o I+G (Iván y Gabriela).

Read the two texts and answer the questions. Write I (Iván), G (Gabriela) or I+G (Iván and Gabriela).

Answers

- | | |
|-----|-------|
| 1 I | 6 I+G |
| 2 G | 7 I |
| 3 I | 8 G |
| 4 I | 9 G |
| 5 G | 10 G |

2 Read the texts again and answer these questions in English.

Answers

- 1 In three weeks.
- 2 To help with costs / expenses at university.
- 3 Someone may know of a vacancy; someone may be able to recommend him to their boss / employer.
- 4 The manager, to give in his CV in person (so they can see he is employable).
- 5 He only has one week's work experience.
- 6 She did work experience in a hotel, so it is not relevant because she wants to be a lawyer.
- 7 She went to the Employment Office / Job Centre to look at the list of vacancies.
- 8 How to impress people at interview.

3.3H Reading worksheet

1 Read the text. Which three of the following statements are true, according to the text? Write the correct letters in the boxes.

Answers

C D F

2 Read the text and answer the questions in English.

Sample answers

- 1 These days they don't just watch, they like to take part too.
- 2 Because they like it and (they want) to be fit / healthy.

3 Lee el texto y escoge la frase correcta.

Answers

1 C 2 B

4 Lee el texto y contesta la pregunta.

Sample answer

Sí, porque cuando un español tiene éxito en un deporte, los jóvenes quieren imitarlo.

4.2H Reading worksheet

1 Use a dictionary to find the English for these Spanish words.

Answers

- 1 gypsy
- 2 link, tie
- 3 to persecute
- 4 to come, go, arrive
- 5 village

Answers Worksheet answers

- 6 century
- 7 to appear
- 8 to record
- 9 control

2 Lee el texto y contesta las preguntas en español.**Sample answers**

- 1 India
- 2 los Reyes Católicos y la Inquisición
- 3 el siglo dieciocho /18
- 4 en las casas y fiestas privadas de los gitanos
- 5 los escritores románticos
- 6 era el Café Silverio y estaba en Sevilla
- 7 un cantante de flamenco, era de Andalucía
- 8 unos veinte

3 Many people think that *flamenco* is the national dance and music of Spain. From reading the text in activity 2, do you think that this is true? Answer in English and give a reason for your answer.**Sample answer**

No, because it is centred in Andalucía, in the south of Spain, and came from India. It is part of the regional culture of the south, not of the whole of Spain.

6.2H Reading worksheet

1 Lee el texto y busca el equivalente en español del vocabulario siguiente.**Answers**

- 1 equilibrada
- 2 de manera óptima
- 3 para lograrlo
- 4 aumentar
- 5 evitar
- 6 un estilo de vida saludable
- 7 raciones
- 8 alimentos precocinados

Answers Worksheet answers

- 9 repartir
10 a lo largo de

2 Read the text again and underline all the examples of the subjunctive. For each one, say why the subjunctive is used.

Answers

es fundamental que se base en alimentos sanos = subjunctive after *es fundamental que*

los expertos recomiendan que nuestra dieta forme... que sea rica en alimentos de origen vegetal y fibra, y sea baja en grasa de origen animal = subjunctive after *recomendar que*

Para que nuestra dieta sea equilibrada = subjunctive after *para que*

3 Read the text again and answer the questions in English.

Answers

- 1 Obesity and heart problems.
- 2 Have a healthy diet.
- 3 Any two of: Eat two portions of vegetables a day, one at lunchtime and one at evening meal time; eat 2-3 portions of fruit a day, eat 2-3 portions of protein food per day; eat cereals or fibre-rich foods
- 4 Any two of: sugar, sweet foods such as jam that is high in sugar; sugary drinks; cakes; precooked foods or ready meals
- 5 Spread meals out; eat 5-6 times a day.

4 Translate into English the first paragraph of the text in activity 1 (from *Una dieta sana to productos excesivamente calóricos*).

Sample answer

A healthy and balanced diet is what allows our body to function as well as possible. To achieve this, it is essential that it is based on healthy foods to increase the proper functioning of our body and to avoid diseases related to food, such as obesity or cardiovascular problems. For this reason, experts recommend that our diet forms part of a healthy lifestyle that it is rich in vegetables and fibre, and it is low in animal fats, sweet foods and high-calorie products.