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SUBJECT SPANISH – Paper 02

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SPANISH

Paper 02 – General Proficiency

FREE RESPONSE

2 hours 15 minutes

READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.

1. This paper comprises FOUR questions in FOUR sections.
2. Answer ALL questions.
3. Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet.
4. Do NOT write in the margins.
5. If you need to rewrite any answer and there is not enough space to do so on the original page, you must use the extra lined page(s) provided at the back of this booklet. **Remember to draw a line through your original answer.**
6. **If you use the extra page(s) you MUST write the question number clearly in the box provided at the top of the extra page(s) and, where relevant, include the question part beside the answer.**

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SECTION I

DIRECTED SITUATIONS

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS.

1. Write in SPANISH the information required for EACH of the situations given below.

Do NOT write more than ONE sentence for each situation. For some situations a complete sentence may not be necessary. Do NOT translate the situations given. DO NOT use abbreviations.

YOU WILL BE PENALIZED FOR DISREGARDING THESE INSTRUCTIONS.

- (a) You are going to visit your aunt who lives abroad. Write the text message you send expressing how you feel about your visit and why.

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(3 marks)

- (b) You want to participate in a concert but cannot decide which instrument you should play. Write the text message your friend sends you suggesting which one you should choose and why.

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(3 marks)

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- (c) You receive a Valentine's Day card from a secret admirer with two pieces of information for you to guess who he/she is. Write the TWO pieces of information.

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- (d) Your friend has helped you out of a bad situation. Write the note that you send thanking him/her and mentioning what he/she did.

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- (e) You have to go abroad during the school term and will miss many classes. Write the text message your teacher sends to you, advising of TWO ways you can keep up with your studies.

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- (f) Your neighbour is ill and needs some medication. Write the note he/she gives your father to take to the pharmacist, describing his/her symptoms and requesting a specific medication.

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- (g) You had an accident and are recuperating at the hospital. Write the text that your best friend sends you offering to do TWO things for you.

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(3 marks)

- (h) On the morning of your interview for a summer job you receive an email with a change in time and a reason for the change. Write the email.

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- (i) Your community is having an event to celebrate a special occasion. Write the note that is placed on the community notice board inviting persons to the event, mentioning what is being celebrated.

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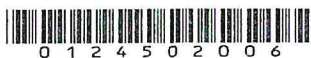
- (j) During a health crisis in your country, the Ministry of Health puts out a notice in the newspaper reminding the public of two precautions they should take. Write the TWO reminders that are given.

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(3 marks)

Total 30 marks

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SECTION II

LETTER

2. Using the following outline as a guide, write in Spanish, a letter of **NO MORE THAN 130–150 words**. Use the tenses appropriate to the topic which you have chosen.

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You have just returned from spending a week at the house of your Spanish-speaking friend. You forgot an important item at the house. Write a letter to your friend in which you include:

- (i) details about your experience at his/her house
- (ii) a full description of the item you forgot, highlighting its value to you
- (iii) a suggestion of how and when your friend can return the item
- (iv) the expression of desire to visit soon

(Do NOT write your real name and address, but include the date in SPANISH and use the appropriate beginning and ending.)

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SECTION III

CONTEXTUAL DIALOGUE

3. In the blank spaces provided, complete the dialogue between yourself and a well-known cricketer. Give your responses in SPANISH, using between 80 and 100 words.

You have got a chance to interview a well-known cricketer. Write the dialogue between the two of you, giving his/her responses.

Responses to ALL of the cues listed below MUST be included in the completed dialogue.

- (i) How he/she started his/her career
- (ii) The advantages and disadvantages of his/her career
- (iii) Some upcoming events he/she is involved in
- (iv) Opportunities he/she has for leisure activities while abroad
- (v) An invitation to visit your school soon

Complete the dialogue below.

Tú: ¿Me puede decir cómo comenzó su carrera como jugador de cricket?

Jugador:
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Tú: ¡Fantástico! Y me imagino que usted ha viajado a muchos países durante su carrera.

Jugador:
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Tú: ¡Tantos países! Y aparte de viajar por todas partes del mundo ¿qué más le gusta de su carrera?

Jugador:
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Tú: Suena muy emocionante pero también habrá desventajas ¿verdad?

Jugador:
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Tú: Me imagino que echa de menos a su familia si pasa tanto tiempo lejos de ellos.

Jugador:
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Tú: ¡Gracias a Dios por WhatsApp y Facetime! Dígame, ¿qué partidos tiene el equipo en el futuro?

Jugador:
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Tú: ¡India y Australia! ¡Qué emocionante ¿verdad? ¿Por cuánto tiempo va a estar en esos países?

Jugador:
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Tú: ¿Cuándo está en estos países tiene la oportunidad de hacer turismo?

Jugador:
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Tú: ¡Qué bueno que aunque usted no tiene mucho tiempo libre puede visitar algunos sitios turísticos! Una pregunta final, ¿puede usted visitar mi escuela para charlar un poquito con nuestro equipo de cricket?

Jugador:
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Tú: ¡Qué pena! Pero lo que tiene que hacer es más importante. Gracias por la entrevista.

Total 20 marks

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SECTION IV

READING COMPREHENSION

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS.

4. Read the following selection carefully. Do NOT translate the selection, but answer the questions in ENGLISH.

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Facing your Fear

Todos los días, yo iba a la escuela asustado por Jaime y Pedro, dos muchachos que me golpeaban. Me atormentaban porque no yo sabía defenderme. Después de recibir los golpes, yo regresaba a casa llorando. Mi abuela me decía que tenía que hablar con alguien de la escuela sobre la situación. Pero ella no entendía que denunciar a estos muchachos resultaría en más golpes.

Un día, decidí hablar con mi primo para que me ayudara. Tenía 15 años y había estado tomando lecciones de defensa personal desde los seis años. Me dijo que estos chicos necesitaban una lección y él me enseñaría cómo defenderme.

Un viernes yo tomé la decisión de resolver mis problemas. Este día, Jaime me empujó y Pedro empezó a insultarme. Me avancé hacia Jaime, y le di una patada fuerte. Pedro me miró con ojos asustados mientras se inclinaba para ayudarme a Jaime. Les dije en una voz amenazante, “quizás sea pequeño pero no soy débil. No se metan conmigo de nuevo.” Este día fue el último día que me molestaron.

Answer, in ENGLISH, the following questions based on the selection you have just read. Use a complete sentence for EACH response.

- (a) How did the narrator feel about going to school every day?

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(b) Why did the narrator feel the way he did about going to school?

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(2 marks)

(c) What was the grandmother's advice to the narrator?

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(3 marks)

(d) Why was the narrator reluctant to follow his grandmother's advice?

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(e) What decision did the narrator make and why?

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(f) How would the narrator's cousin help him?

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(2 marks)

(g) What decision did the narrator make on that Friday?

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(h) What did the boys do to the narrator on that Friday?

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(2 marks)

(i) What action did the narrator take?

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(j) Explain the narrator's last words.

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