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SECOND TERM TEST B1

INSTRUCCIONES GENERALES:

Esta prueba consta de 20 preguntas de opción múltiple con única respuesta (A, B, C, D). Lea atentamente cada texto y enunciado antes de responder. Seleccione la opción correcta para cada ítem. Temáticas evaluadas: Present Simple, Adverbs of Frequency, Present Progressive, Personal Pronouns, Making Suggestions, Modal Verb 'Should', y Past Simple (Regular & Irregular Verbs).

PART 1: MATCHING NOTICES & ADVERTISEMENTS

Look at the signs (1-3). Read the questions and select the correct option (A, B, C, or D).

1. Look at Notice 1:

| **SILENCE PLEASE!**
| **Reading Room Area**
| *Turn off mobile phones*

Where can you see this notice and what does it mean?

- **A.** In a gym; you must exercise quietly.
- **B.** In a library; you should keep quiet and turn off your phone.
- **C.** In a restaurant; you cannot order food.
- **D.** In a park; you should play loud music.

2. Look at Notice 2:

| ⚠️ **CAUTION!**
| **SCIENCE LAB**
Wear safety glasses at all times

What is the main message of this sign?

- **A.** You can drink liquids in the laboratory.
- **B.** Science class is canceled today.
- **C.** You must protect your eyes in the science lab.
- **D.** Glasses are available for sale at a discount.

3. Look at Notice 3:

| 🍎 **HEALTHY CAFETERIA**
|**Fresh Fruits & Natural Juice**
| 🏷️ **50% OFF TODAY!**

What does this advertisement offer?

- **A.** Fast food and soda at regular price.
- **B.** Free lunch for all school teachers.
- **C.** Healthy snacks and juice at half price today.
- **D.** A closed store due to holidays.

PART 2: GRAMMAR & VOCABULARY

Choose the correct option (A, B, C, or D) to complete each sentence.

4. Teacher: *"Where _____ you yesterday morning, Mateo?"*

Mateo: *"I _____ at home because I _____ sick."*

- **A.** was / were / was
- **B.** were / was / was
- **C.** were / were / was
- **D.** was / was / were

5. Sarah and Diego _____ at the school concert last Friday. They _____ really happy!

- **A.** were / were
- **B.** was / was
- **C.** were / was
- **D.** was / were

6. *"How about _____ to the cinema tonight?" — "That sounds great!"*

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- **A.** go
- **B.** going
- **C.** went
- **D.** to go

7. If you want to get good grades, you _____ study regularly and avoid distractions.

- **A.** shouldn't
- **B.** should
- **C.** were
- **D.** was

8. Andrea _____ eats fast food because _____ prefers healthy homemade meals.

- **A.** always / she
- **B.** usually / he
- **C.** rarely / she
- **D.** every day / they

PART 3: READING COMPREHENSION

Read the passage below and answer questions 9 to 12.

Yesterday's School Trip

Yesterday, the 8th-grade students went on a field trip to the Botanical Garden. The weather **was** terrible in the morning because it **was** very cold and rainy. However, the students **were** enthusiastic. While the guide was explaining the plants, Lucas was taking photos and Sofia was writing notes. At 12:00 PM, the sun came out and they ate their lunch on the grass. It **was** a memorable day for everyone!

9. Where were the 8th-grade students yesterday?

- **A.** At the school library.
- **B.** At the Botanical Garden.
- **C.** At the local cinema.
- **D.** At home.

10. How was the weather in the morning?

- **A.** Sunny and warm.
- **B.** Hot and dry.
- **C.** Cold and rainy.
- **D.** Windless and clear.

11. What was Sofia doing while the guide was speaking?

- **A.** She was taking photos.
- **B.** She was eating lunch.
- **C.** She was writing notes.
- **D.** She was sleeping.

12. Which sentence from the text uses the Past Simple of the verb 'To Be'?

- **A.** The 8th-grade students went on a field trip.
- **B.** The weather was terrible in the morning.
- **C.** Lucas was taking photos.
- **D.** They ate their lunch on the grass.

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PART 4: CLOZE TEST

Read the text and select the correct option for each blank (13-15).

Last Saturday, my family and I **(13)**——— to the city zoo. The park **(14)**——— full of families. We **(15)**——— many exotic animals, including lions and giraffes. At noon, we **ate** delicious sandwiches.

Item	Option A	Option B	Option C	Option D
13.	go	went	going	goes
14.	was	were	is	are
15.	see	saw	seen	seeing

PARTE 4: COMPRENSIÓN DE LECTURA, SUGERENCIAS Y RECOMENDACIONES (Preguntas 16 - 20)

READING TEXT: Counselor Advice Column: Time Management

Dear Student Counselor,
My name is Samuel. I am in 8th grade and I feel overwhelmed with my school responsibilities. I always leave my homework for Sunday night, so I rarely get enough sleep before Monday. Last week, I forgot to submit my history project, and my teacher was very disappointed. I want to organize my time better and reduce my stress. What should I do?
- Samuel

Dear Samuel,
Procrastination is a common challenge, but you can overcome it! First, you shouldn't wait until Sunday to start your assignments. Why don't you create a daily study schedule on Friday afternoon? Second, you should break big projects into smaller tasks. Also, how about setting a 45-minute study timer without checking social media? Finally, you should talk to your teachers whenever you need extra help. Good organization brings peace of mind!

16. What is Samuel's main issue according to his letter?

- **A.** He doesn't like history classes.
- **B.** He leaves homework for the last minute and feels overwhelmed.
- **C.** He lost his daily study schedule on Friday.
- **D.** He sleeps too many hours on Sunday night.

17. Which recommendation uses the modal verb 'SHOULD' in the affirmative form?

- **A.** You shouldn't wait until Sunday to start your assignments.
- **B.** Why don't you create a daily study schedule?
- **C.** You should break big projects into smaller tasks.
- **D.** How about setting a 45-minute study timer?

18. Which sentence expresses a suggestion using 'Why don't you...?'

- **A.** Why don't you create a daily study schedule on Friday afternoon?
- **B.** How about setting a 45-minute study timer?
- **C.** You shouldn't wait until Sunday to start.
- **D.** Good organization brings peace of mind!

19. What suggestion does the counselor give regarding social media during study time?

- **A.** Use social media to complete history assignments.
- **B.** Set a 45-minute study timer without checking social media.
- **C.** Check social media every 10 minutes on Sunday night.
- **D.** Delete all social media accounts immediately.

20. In the sentence 'Last week, I forgot to submit my history project', what type of verb is 'forgot'?

- **A.** An irregular verb in Past Simple (present form: forget).
- **B.** A regular verb in Past Simple ending in -ed.
- **C.** A verb in Present Progressive expressing an action in progress.
- **D.** A modal verb expressing prohibition.

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