



Expressing quantity

Objetivo: aplicar expresiones para describir cantidad.

Habilidades a desarrollar: reconocer - aplicar – analizar.

Sección A: Clasificación y Estructuras Básicas (11 puntos)

L:20	ML:12	PL:8
11...8	7-6	5...1-0

1. Complete cada oración seleccionando la estructura existencial correcta (**There is** o **There are**) y el artículo o cuantificador base correspondiente (**a**, **an**, o **some**). Escriba su respuesta en las líneas indicadas. [5 puntos en total: 1 punto por cada ítem]

1a. _____ apple on the teacher's desk. (1 punto)

1b. _____ sugar left in the glass container. (1 punto)

1c. _____ coins inside my wallet. (1 punto)

1d. _____ fresh water in the bottle. (1 punto)

1e. _____ new students in the classroom today. (1 punto)

2. Seleccione la opción correcta para cada una de las siguientes afirmaciones de opción múltiple, considerando la distinción entre sustantivos contables e incontables y el uso adecuado de cuantificadores. [6 puntos en total: 1 punto por cada ítem]

2a. Which quantifier correctly completes: "We need to buy groceries because there is _____ milk in the fridge." (1 punto)

- A) few B) little C) a few of D) a large number of

2b. Which sentence uses the modifier **very** correctly according to standard grammar rules? (1 punto)

- A) There is very water in the pool. B) The school has a very large library.
C) There are very people in the park. D) She drank very milk this morning.

2c. Choose the correct option: "The teacher was surprised because _____ students failed the test." (1 punto)

- A) very little B) very few C) a little of D) much

2d. Identify the grammatically correct structure when followed by a determiner (*my*, *the*, *these*): (1 punto)

- A) Few of my friends live nearby. B) A few of my friends live nearby.
C) A large number my friends live nearby. D) Little of my friends live nearby.

2e. Why is the phrase "two waters" grammatically incorrect in formal English? (1 punto)

- A) Because *water* is a plural countable noun that requires *there are*.
B) Because *water* is an uncountable noun and cannot be pluralized directly with numerals.
C) Because *water* always requires the quantifier *a few of*.



D) Because *water* only combines with the adjective *very*.

2f. Complete: "During the demonstration, there were _____ people gathered in the main square." (1 punto)

A) a large number of

B) very much

C) a little of

D) little

Sección B: Aplicación y Corrección de Errores (18 puntos)

L:30	ML:18	PL:12
18...-13	12...-9	8...1-0

3. Transforme o complete las siguientes oraciones utilizando exactamente el cuantificador requerido entre paréntesis (**a few of, very little, very few, a large number of**). Asegúrese de mantener la concordancia gramatical del verbo y el sustantivo. [8 puntos en total: 2 puntos por cada ítem]

3a. Reescriba la idea usando **a few of**: "Only three or four of my classmates arrived on time." (2 puntos)

3b. Complete la oración usando **very little**: "He was not thirsty, so he drank..." (2 puntos)

3c. Reescriba la idea usando **a large number of**: "Thousands of birds migrate south during autumn." (2 puntos)

3d. Complete la oración usando **very few**: "The town is almost empty in winter: there are..." (2 puntos)

4. En cada una de las siguientes oraciones existe **un error gramatical** relacionado con el uso de cuantificadores o concordancia con sustantivos contables/incontables. Identifique el error, escriba la corrección completa y justifique brevemente la regla aplicada. [10 puntos en total: 2 puntos por cada ítem]

4a. "There is a large number of sugar in the bowl." (2 puntos)

4b. "There are very information available on the municipal website." (2 puntos)



4c. "I invited very much people to my birthday celebration." (2 puntos)

4d. "There is few water remaining in the tank after the dry season." (2 puntos)

4e. "A few of students forgot their homework today." (2 puntos)
