



NIVEL INTERMEDIO B2

TAREA 1

SHORT CONVERSATIONS *(from Hot English Magazine)*

You are going to listen to 7 short conversations. After that, you will answer questions 1-7. Choose the correct option (a/b/c). Conversation 0 is an example. You will hear it **only ONCE**.

- You will listen to the **conversations TWICE**.
- You will have 30 seconds between the first and the second listening and 60 seconds at the end.
- You now have 90 seconds to read the questions.

(Marks 7x1 = 7)

Don't forget to write your answers on the answer sheet.

CONVERSATION 0. *According to the woman some drugs are illegal because....*

- a) there are damages caused.
- b) **there are business benefits.**
- c) they are produced in America.

CONVERSATION 1. *The two men think that, nowadays, students...*

- a) don't go to school as much as they used to.
- b) don't pay attention to their teachers.
- c) don't socialize in the same way as they two did.

CONVERSATION 2. *The participants in this conversation are mainly...*

- a) offering help to stop the current disintegration of the family unit.
- b) warning about the dangers of lending money to a friend.
- c) explaining why sometimes people trust their friends more than their family.

CONVERSATION 3. *In the US...*

- a) there are more people who die of violent crimes.
- b) there is a higher percentage of violent crimes.
- c) most deaths are caused by muggings.

CONVERSATION 4. *According to the woman street violence in Australia...*

- a) is wrongly represented by statistics.
- b) has been invented by the media.
- c) is making people feel frightened.

CONVERSATION 5. *One of the differences between violence now and 20 years ago is...*

- a) young people kill each other more now.
- b) young people are able to see more explicit images now.
- c) young people have access to less direct scenes now.

CONVERSATION 6. *One of the main reasons for domestic violence is...*

- a) people's upbringing.
- b) people's natural attitude.
- c) people's education.

CONVERSATION 7. *The main argument of the conversation is..*

- a) denouncing domestic violence is useless.
- b) fear prevents many people from fighting domestic violence.
- c) society refuses to condemn domestic violence.