

SPAIN DURING FRANCO'S DICTATORSHIP

Class book:
Pages 70-71

1. See page 83 and write the defined words.

System of government in which the ruler has absolute power.

System of controlling the content of newspapers, books and films, often for political reasons.

Chief public representative of a country, such as a president or monarch.

2. True or false? Choose.

During Franco's dictatorship...

- Political parties were legal.
- Power was concentrated in the central government.
- Militars who stayed in Spain were imprisoned or killed.
- Workers won a lot of rights.
- Freedom of the press was replaced by censorship.
- Many people who opposed Franco had to leave Spain.

3. Select the correct options. There is more than one.

On which pillars was Franco's dictatorship based ?



The military



Trade unions



The Falange



The United Nations



Political parties



The Catholic Church

4. When did it happen? Classify the events.

In the 1940s and 1950s	In the 1960s	In the 1970s

Living conditions were very hard.	Juan Carlos became King of Spain.	The United Nations was established.
Living conditions improved.	Franco named Juan Carlos as his successor.	There wasn't much food and most people were very poor.
Francisco Franco died.	The economy started to improve.	Franco supported Germany in the II World War.
Franco's supporters were divided.	Tourism started to become important.	Carrero Blanco was killed by ETA.