

## Examen Parcial Octubre

### READING COMPREHENSION

#### a. READ THE FOLLOWING TEXTS



My friend Keith works alone. He works from three in the afternoon to twelve at night every day, but he doesn't have time to stop or to eat. He meets people from many different countries. He goes to and from the airport five or six times every day and has about twenty different customers in his car. He also drives people around the city and he knows it very well. Keith likes his job. He says that his favourite part is the people, but he doesn't like working in the evenings and he gets very tired at the end of his day.



My sister Alicia's job isn't very difficult. On a typical day, she sits at her desk from nine to five and welcomes people when they come in. She checks their names, nationalities and car number plates and then gives them their room key. What else? She answers the phone, reads and writes emails and takes people's money when they go. She says she likes her job because every day is different but she doesn't like her work clothes: a white shirt and red trousers.

#### b. WHO SAYS 1-8 BELOW? KEITH (K) OR ALICIA (A)?

1. No, I don't have special clothes for work.
2. No, I don't work in office.
3. Yes, I do. I speak on the phone a lot.
4. Yes, I use a computer in my job.
5. No, I don't work in the evenings.
6. Yes, I drive a lot in my job.

## VOCABULARY

**A. Put the letters in the correct order and make words for parts of the body**

- a. Onbe – BONE
- b. Striw.....
- c. Sceht.....
- d. Chomast.....
- e. Onegut.....
- f. Ginerf.....
- g. Seruhold.....
- h. Inbra.....
- i. Thare.....

**B. Circle the correct sentences**

- a. I can't smell the flowers because my nose is broken
- b. I can't touch the flowers because my nose is broken
  
- a. I can't hear without my glasses
- b. I can't see without my glasses
  
- a. It's very noisy here. I can't hear you.
- b. It's very noisy here. I can't see you.
  
- a. You must touch this chocolate. It's delicious
- b. You must taste this chocolate. It's delicious
  
- a. Can you hear Jane's perfume? It's lovely!
- b. Can you smell Jane's perfume? It's lovely!

**C. COMPLETE THE SENTENCES WITH THE CORRECT JOB**

- a. A *plumber* fixes your sink and toilet
- b. A ..... looks after your teeth
- c. An ..... Designs new buildings
- d. A .....drives an automobile and takes people from one place to another
- e. A..... helps sick people in hospitals
- f. A ..... Cuts your hair

**D. WRITE THE MISSING LETTERS TO COMPLETE THE ADJECTIVES**

- a. I'm **bored** ! Is there anything on TV?
- b. Jason's very **i\_\_\_\_\_** in explorers like Columbus
- c. The ending of the film was really **s\_\_\_\_\_**. We didn't expect it at all

d. The holidays was really b \_\_\_\_\_. There was nothing to do.  
e. Vicky was really d \_\_\_\_\_ when she failed her exam

## GRAMMAR

### A. Choose the correct answer A, B or C.

- Florence ...B... guitar in a band
  - a.play
  - b.plays
  - c.are playing
- My brother ..... for his exam tomorrow.
  - a.study
  - b.studies
  - c.is studying
- I ..... Bananas. They're disgusting!
  - a.don't like
  - b.doesn't like
  - c. am not liking
- John... his grandparents every weekend.
  - a.is visiting
  - b.visits
  - c.are visiting
- Stefan and Ivan.... Surfing the internet.
  - a.do
  - b.is
  - c.are
- George and Sam... to the same school.
  - a.don't go
  - b.don't going
  - c.not going
- My cousin..... a new mp3 player.
  - a.is having
  - b.has
  - c.have
- I ..... dinner this evening
  - a.cook
  - b.am cooking
  - c.cooking
- Sally ..... an email at the moment
  - a.writes
  - b.write
  - c.is writing

**B. COMPLETE THE SENTENCES WITH THE VERBS IN THE BOX. USE THE PRESENT SIMPLE OR PRESENT CONTINUOUS.**

**LISTEN - NOT USE - CATCH - WATCH - NOT WANT - READ -  
NOT GO - PLAY - LOVE**

1. I always listen to music in the evenings
2. John ..... any dinner. He isn't hungry
3. Mark and Tom ..... football every Saturday.
4. I ..... Indian food. It's delicious!
5. We ..... the bus to school every day.
6. James ..... a film on TV at the moment
7. My grandparents have a computer buy they ..... it
8. Shane ..... books all the time – he never watches TV.
9. I ..... to the cinema this evening. I'm too busy.

**E. READ AND COMPLETE WITH THE PAST OF THE VERBS**

- g. KNOW .....
- h. WEAR.....
- i. CAN.....
- j. LIKE.....
- k. READ.....
- l. DO.....
- m. GO.....
- n. TALK.....
- o. TAKE.....
- p. MAKE.....

**F. COMPLETE THE EMAIL WITH THE VERBS IN THE BOX. USE THE PAST SIMPLE**

**NOT WRITE - CATCH - WALK - GO - KNOW - BUY - HAVE -  
STAY - NOT SEE**

Hi Eva,

Sorry I *didn't write* to you last week – I was on holiday. I ..... to London with my parents. We ..... a really great time and ..... in a fantastic hotel near Hyde Park. The weather was quite good, so we ..... to most places, *buy* sometimes we ..... the bus or underground train. We went to London Zoo one day.

.....you .....there are penguins in the middle of London? On another day, we went to Buckingham Palace, but we .....the Queen. Of course, we also went shopping – I .....some brilliant clothes in a place called Camden Market. Now I want to go to a party to wear them...

**G. WRITE SENTENCES WITH USED TO**

- a. I / be / scared / spiders  
*I used to be scared of spiders*
- b. My mum / live / Argentina

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c. you / live / in London?

.....  
d. My grandfather / be / engineer  
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e. I / not walk / school  
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**H. CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER: 1, 2 or 3**

- a. We **1** a picnic when we saw the bear  
1.had      2.was having      3.were having
- b. John was playing football when he .....his leg.  
1.broke      2.was breaking      3.were breaking
- c. I .....when the teacher asked me a question  
1.didn't listen    2.wasn't listening    3.not listening
- d. The storm .....while we were driving home.  
1.started      2.was starting      3.were starting
- e. Mike ..... in London when I first met him  
1.live      2.was living      3.living
- f. I ..... to Anna when I suddenly remembered it was her birthday!  
1.talked      2.was talking      3.were talking