

School life: timetables, subjects and fun!

- ❖ Have you ever been to new at school? How did you feel the first time you walked into your secondary school? And when you met your classmates and teachers? (*¿alguna vez te has cambiado de escuela? ¿Cómo te sentiste la primera vez que entraste a tu escuela secundaria? ¿Y cuando conociste a tus compañeros y profesores?*)

1) Read this dialogue about Mark, who is new at this school and his classmates Susan and Jenny: (*lee este diálogo entre Mark, que es nuevo en la escuela y sus compañeras*)

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I can talk about timetables.

Mark Excuse me, is this the **science lab**?

Jenny Erm, no, there aren't any science labs in this block. You're the new boy, right? We haven't got science this morning.

Mark Oh. What have we got now? I haven't got my **timetable**.

Susan Here, take this. I've got a spare copy.

Mark Thanks. Ah, OK. We've got **maths** now.

Jenny Yeah. Who have we got for maths this year?

Susan Mr Waldron. That means a lot of **homework** and **tests**. And there's a new **history** teacher, look.

Mark How many **teachers** are there here?

Jenny I don't know. A lot. There are a thousand **students** here.

Mark A thousand and one, including me. Mmm – double history on Friday afternoon. That's tough.

Susan Yes. Welcome to our world!

*lab (laboratory) = a special room in school where you learn science.

Remember!
a thousand = 1,000
a thousand and one = 1,001

2) Complete the following sentences choosing the correct option with information from the dialogue: (*completa las oraciones eligiendo la opción correcta con información del diálogo*)

a-..... a science lab in that block.

b-Mark is new and he..... his timetable.

c-They haven't got in the morning, TheyMaths.

d- Their Maths teacher is very..... He gives them a lot of..... and

e- a new History teacher.

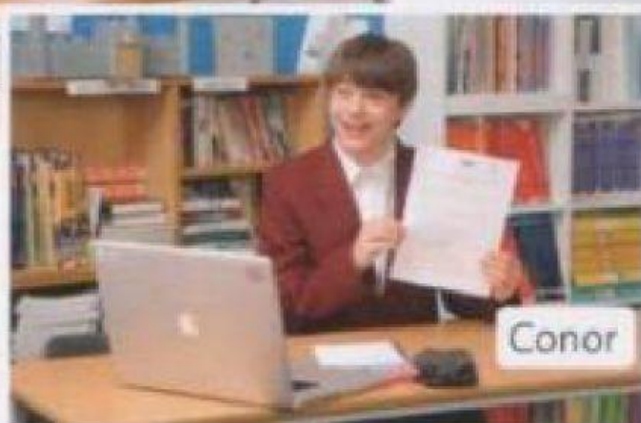
f-..... lots of teachers and students at school.

g- Their school is....., They have lots of subjects and tests. So they have to study very hard.

3) Look at the photos of Mark's classmates: May, Orla and Conor. Complete with the correct form of "have got" (has got/hasn't got/haven't got) (Estos son los compañeros de Mark. Completa con "have got/haven't got/ has got/ hasn't got")

Look at the photos. Complete the sentences with the correct forms of *have got*.

- May and Orla *have got* school ties. ✓
1 Conor _____ a school tie. ✗
2 He _____ a laptop. ✓
3 May and Orla _____ backpacks. ✓
4 They _____ laptops. ✗
5 They _____ good marks. ✗
6 Conor _____ a very good mark. ✓



4) After getting to know his new school, teachers and classmates, Mark texted a friend about it. Choose the correct option. (*Después de conocer su escuela, Mark le envió un mensaje a un amigo contándole sobre su nueva escuela*)

Hi Tim,

I finally got to know my new school. In our school about a thousand students. There..... thirty classrooms and there..... a big sports field next to the school. There.....boys and girls here. The school.....a new science lab but we.....a computer lab and there.....many computers in the classes. I like the school because there..... a good atmosphere.