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# SPANISH LISTENING COMPREHENSION ( EXT )

PAPER 6 8020/6

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Begin 9.00 A.M.

## MINISTRY OF EDUCATION NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS

BAHAMAS GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your school number, candidate number, surname and initials in the spaces at the top of this page.

Attempt **ALL** questions in ink in the spaces provided on the booklet. Read carefully the instructions at the beginning of each section. Open your booklet as soon as the first recording begins.

### INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

You will hear all recordings twice. Your answers need not be in complete sentences.

For Examiner's Use	
Section 1	
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This question paper consists of 13 printed pages and 3 blank pages.

## Core and Extended Section 2

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## SECTION 2

**Exercise 1****Questions 1–5**

You overhear five friends talking about their hobbies.

Read through questions 1–5.

Listen carefully to what they say and tick (✓) the correct answer to each question.

- |    |                                      | <b>TRUE</b>              | <b>FALSE</b>             |     |
|----|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----|
| 1. | Clara thinks that running is boring. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | [1] |

- |    |                       | <b>TRUE</b>              | <b>FALSE</b>             |     |
|----|-----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----|
| 2. | Antonio loves tennis. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | [1] |

**PAUSE**

- |    |                               | <b>TRUE</b>              | <b>FALSE</b>             |     |
|----|-------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----|
| 3. | Teresa exercises to keep fit. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | [1] |

- |    |  | <b>TRUE</b>              | <b>FALSE</b>             |     |
|----|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----|
| 4. | José says that soccer is not very popular in Costa Rica. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | [1] |

- |    |  | <b>TRUE</b>              | <b>FALSE</b>             |     |
|----|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----|
| 5. | Tamara cares about her health and her physical appearance. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | [1] |

**Total marks [5]**

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**Exercise 2****Questions 6–8**

Your friend Marta wakes up feeling very ill and you accompany her to the doctor's office.

Read through questions 6–8.

Listen carefully to the conversation between Marta and the doctor and answer the questions in **ENGLISH**.

6. Name **TWO** of Marta's symptoms.

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

7. Precisely when did Marta start to feel ill?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

**PAUSE**

8. What must Marta do today?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

**Total marks [5]**

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**Exercise 3****Questions 9–16**

You are in Spain. You overhear two young people, Elena and Pablo, talking about their relationships with their parents.

Read through questions 9–16.

Listen carefully to the dialogue and answer in **ENGLISH** or tick the correct box.

9. How does Elena say she gets along with her mother?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

10. What has Elena learnt from her mother? Mention **TWO** things.

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

11. What does Elena need her mother to do?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

12. What is Elena afraid of?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

**PAUSE**

13. Which of these words best describes Pablo's relationship with his father?

A. Average

B. Good

C. Improved

D. Poor


[1]

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14. What has Pablo learnt from his father? Mention **TWO** things.

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

15. What does Pablo need from his father?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

16. What does Pablo expect to be given in the future?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

**Total marks [10]**

## Extended Section 3

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**SECTION 3****EXERCISE 1****Questions 1–5**

You hear this news broadcast while listening to the radio in Mexico.

Read through questions 1–5.

Listen to the broadcast and answer the questions in **ENGLISH**.

1. What part of India is the cyclone passing over?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

2. Why is the King of Spain visiting Nicaragua? Give **ONE** reason.

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

**PAUSE**

3. How did many citizens react to the decision made by Congress?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

4. What does Toyota plan to do at the end of the year?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

5. What will happen as a result of these plans?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

**Total marks [5]**

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**EXERCISE 2****Questions 6–9**

You hear a conversation between Frank and Isabel about the similarities and differences between young Americans and young Spaniards.

Read through questions 6–9.

Listen to the conversation and answer the questions in **ENGLISH**.

6. What is **ONE** similarity between American and Spanish teenagers?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

7. According to Frank, how are their lifestyles different?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

**PAUSE**

8. Why do Spaniards live with their families?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

9. What are **TWO** things that young Spanish people dislike about living at home?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

**Total marks [5]**

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**EXERCISE 3****Questions 10–18**

While travelling in Florida, you overhear a conversation between two young Cuban Americans, José and Pilar.

Read through questions 10–18.

Listen to the conversation between José and Pilar and answer in **ENGLISH** or tick the correct box.

10. Why did José lose his job?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

11. Which word best describes how José feels?

<b>A</b>	Fearful	
<b>B</b>	Hopeful	
<b>C</b>	Motivated	
<b>D</b>	Relieved	

[1]

12. What does Pilar say happened three weeks ago?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

13. Which adjective best describes Pilar?

<b>A</b>	Confused	
<b>B</b>	Depressed	
<b>C</b>	Fulfilled	
<b>D</b>	Optimistic	

[1]

**PAUSE**



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14. What **TWO** reasons does Pilar give for travelling to Rome?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

15. With whom did she fall in love?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

**PAUSE**

16. What adjective best sums up her opinion of the man with whom she fell in love?

<b>A</b>	Deceitful	
<b>B</b>	Industrious	
<b>C</b>	Sincere	
<b>D</b>	Unattractive	

[1]

17. Why does Pilar want to return to Italy?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

18. Pilar's final statement indicates that she:

<b>A</b>	always makes the same mistakes.	
<b>B</b>	blames her mistakes on others.	
<b>C</b>	does not acknowledge her mistakes.	
<b>D</b>	learns from her past mistakes.	

[1]

**Total marks [10]**

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**EXERCISE 4****Questions 19–27**

You hear this biography while listening to the radio in Spain.

Read through questions 19–27.

Listen to the biography and answer in **ENGLISH** or tick the correct answer.

19. What did Shakira accomplish at the age of four?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

20. For what occasion was she given a typewriter?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

21. How did Shakira's brother die?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

22. Which of the following statements about Shakira's father is true?

A He always feared that one of his children would die.

B The song that Shakira wrote helped him recover from his loss.

C He found it very difficult to recover from his son's death.

D He openly admitted the grief that he was experiencing.


[1]

**PAUSE**

23. Why did she take a break after her first two albums?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

24. What conclusion did she arrive at after her debut in *El Oasis*?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

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25. Who is Antonio de la Rúa?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

**PAUSE**

26. What concrete evidence do we have that Shakira is not selfish? Mention **TWO** things.

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

27. What fact shows that Shakira is the most successful Colombian singer of all time?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

**Total marks [10]**