

INGLÉS

OPCIÓN A

Read the text and the instructions to the questions very carefully. Answer all the questions in English.

“Treasures of the Earth” examines the geology which affects our lives. In the exhibition, there is a model house which demonstrates how and where we use substances obtained from the earth. You can locate materials such as copper and titanium, which can be found in a typical kitchen or garage.

We advise you to see the beautiful animated film, which shows the different geological periods. A large model shows you a modern gold mine. Near it is a display of useful minerals, where you can inspect a collection of domestic objects. All of these contain natural substances, and any questions you have about the minerals can be answered.

Our scientists use samples from the collection in order to study the minerals, each one of which has its own characteristics, from the hardness of diamond to the softness of talc. These differences mean that minerals like iron can be used for a variety of purposes, for tools, building materials, or jewellery, for example. Discover our planet’s secrets! In one section of the exhibition you will find a sample of rock from the moon which has been lent by NASA. Part of this rock is older than any we know on earth.

Dramatic changes are produced by movements or fractures of the earth, which cause volcanoes and earthquakes. You can experience for yourself how an earthquake feels in our earthquake room, and in a spectacular video you can watch the entire four-thousand-million-year history of the planet in just a few minutes.

Questions

- 1.** Write a summary of the text in English, including the most important points, using your own words whenever possible (maximum 50 words, 1 point).
- 2.** Find words or phrases in the text that correspond in meaning to the words and definitions given here. (0.25 x 4 = 1 point)
 - a) A public display, where things are on show.
 - b) Implements used by the hand.
 - c) Given, but only for a period of time.
 - d) Breaks or cracks.
- 3.** Complete the second sentence of each pair so that it has the same meaning as the first one. (2 points: 0.5 points each)
 - a) They use samples from the collection in order to study the minerals.
Samples from the collection ...
 - b) We advise you to see the beautiful animated film.
“You...,” they said to us.
 - c) In the exhibition, there is a model house.
The exhibition ...
 - d) A large model shows you a modern gold mine.
You can see ...
- 4.** Answer the following questions in your own words. (2 points: 1 point each)
 - a) Where do you think this text came from? Who wrote it and why was it written?
 - b) How are the minerals mentioned in the text useful in our lives?
- 5.** Describe a visit to a museum, exhibition or art gallery if you have been to one. If not, do you think they should be free, or should people have to pay to enter? Give reasons for your answer. (Approximately 120 words; 3 points)

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OPCIÓN B

Read the text and the instructions to the questions very carefully. Answer all the questions in English.

Professor Chris Wiseman conducted an experiment in Britain to find the world's most popular joke, although he asked people all over the world to contribute jokes as well, in order to judge them. At the conclusion of the experiment, the scientists had evaluated over 40,000 jokes and counted nearly 2 million votes. There are national and regional differences in humour, as well as variations between the sexes. Men, for example, preferred more aggressive jokes, while women preferred word play.

The following joke came second: Sherlock Holmes and Dr Watson went camping and pitched their tent in a field. In the middle of the night, Dr Watson was suddenly woken by Sherlock, who said to him: "Watson, look up and tell me what you can see." Watson replied: "I can see millions and millions of stars." Sherlock then asked: "So, Watson, what do you deduce from that?" "Well," said Watson, "It means that if even only a few of those stars has planets, there may be life out there." "No, you fool," answered Holmes, "it means somebody has stolen our tent!"

The History Channel eventually put on a special show, watched by millions, where Wiseman said he had found the funniest jokes in the world, but that the performance of the jokes is more important than the jokes themselves. Many of them were about lawyers, hunters and doctors, but the most popular jokes were about the relationship between men and women. "Many of the jokes received higher ratings from certain groups of people, but some had real universal appeal," said Wiseman, who has published a book based on the experiment.

Wiseman said the research revealed that different countries preferred different types of jokes. The British and Australians favour jokes involving wordplay, while continental Europeans like surreal jokes. Americans and Canadians prefer jokes that make somebody look stupid.

Questions

1. Write a summary of the text in English, including the most important points, using your own words whenever possible (maximum 50 words, 1 point).
2. Find words or phrases in the text that correspond in meaning to the words and definitions given here. (0.25 x 4 = 1 point)
 - a) A thing that scientists do to find out whether something is true or not.
 - b) Differences.
 - c) A temporary structure where you can sleep outside.
 - d) All over the world. (adjective)
3. Complete the second sentence of each pair so that it has the same meaning as the first one. (2 points: 0.5 point each)
 - a) Wiseman said he had found the funniest jokes in the world.
"I" said Wiseman.
 - b) The most popular jokes were about the relationship between men and women.
People enjoyed...
 - c) Americans and Canadians prefer jokes that make somebody look stupid.
The Americans' and Canadians' favourite...
 - d) Chris Wiseman conducted an experiment to find the world's most popular joke
In order to...
4. Answer the following questions in your own words. (2 points: 1 point each)
 - a) Do different people prefer different kinds of jokes? Refer to the text and to your own experience.
 - b) How do you know that Chris Wiseman's experiment was popular?
5. What things in your life make you happy? (Approximately 120 words; 3 points)

6. Listening Test (1 point)

In this interview with fashion designer Tiffe Coleman you are going to hear some new words. Read and listen to them. Make sure you know what they mean.

Fashion = Moda.

Designer = Diseñador/a / Diseñador/a.

Sketch = Debuxar, facer un bosquexo / Dibujar, hacer un bosquejo.

Fabric = Tea, tecido / Tela, tejido.

Silk = Seda

Pattern = Debuxo, patrón, estampado, diseño / Dibujo, patrón, estampado, diseño.

Here is the beginning of the interview.

Interviewer: Fashion is a competitive business. I wanted to know more about the industry, and I was lucky enough to have young, successful fashion designer, Tiffe Coleman, with me to tell me. Tiffe's clothes are fun, colourful and inspired. She met me yesterday, in her black pants, a white jacket and a red handbag.

Here is an example of a question:

0. What kind of clothes does Tiffe Coleman design?

They are black, white and red.

They are full of fun, colour and inspiration.

They are lovely and successful.

The correct answer is: They are full of fun, colour and inspiration.

Ready? Now read the rest of the questions and alternative answers before listening to the interview.

(2-minute pause)

Now listen to the rest of the interview. You will hear it three times. Write the correct answer in your exam notebook (cuadernillo). Write the complete answer, not just a letter. You must not write more than one answer for each question.

(Tapescript)

Now you will hear the text again.

(Tapescript)

Now you will hear the text for the last time.

(Tapescript)

That is the end of the Listening test. Write your answers in your examination notebook (cuadernillo) if you have not already done so. Then you can go on with the rest of the examination.

Questions

1. When did Tiffe become interested in fashion?

When she watched pop and rock programmes on TV.

When she was very young.

When she first bought a Barbie Doll.

2. When did she start fashion design using the Internet?

When she was at school.

She started last year.

She started in the 1980's.

3. When does she get the ideas for most of her clothes?

Lying in bed in the mornings before she gets up.

When she is sketching patterns.

When she is lying in bed at night.

4. When does she sometimes design a pattern?

Before she has had any ideas.

After finding a fabric she likes.

When she is satisfied.

5. Does she wear the same kind of clothes as the ones that she designs?

No, but she would like to.

No, but she uses her own ideas and style.

No, and she wouldn't like to wear them.

6. When does she do her own shopping for clothes?

Practically never: she doesn't have time.

She does it in the afternoons.

Later in the day than she used to.

7. What kind of people buy their clothes at *Top Shop*?

Most of them are quite rich young people.

People who have to be careful of what they spend.

People who can easily spend 200 pounds on their clothes.

8. What changes does she make to the clothes for *Top Shop*?

She sometimes uses cheaper fabrics.

She puts on different buttons and changes the styles.

She sometimes uses silk instead of polyester.

9. Which of the following sentences is true? In the fashion industry...

People, surprisingly, like to help each other.

People only want to earn more money.

Young designers have no chance to earn money.

10. What are her general impressions about being a fashion designer?

There have been many disappointments.

She is very positive about her experience.

She only likes the money she earns.

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Probiotic products are healthy foods that contain good bacteria, and some of them are among the best-selling foods in supermarkets. Probiotic foods and drinks contain types of bacteria that naturally colonise your intestines and help you digest food, though we may not like eating them so much.

The theory is that by putting these ‘friendly’ bacteria into our system, we fight the bad bacteria and help promote the natural balance of micro-organisms in our digestive system. This, it is said, helps digestion. There is also a theory that probiotics can help your immune system — some scientists believe that our immune system suffers in our super-clean homes, and that introducing good bacteria helps it. Because of this, there is evidence that they may improve those illnesses associated with the immune system, such as psoriasis and asthma.

Some of this is supported by studies, particularly in the area of intestine health. Recent studies have supported the theory that the bacteria in probiotics can make the immune system stronger. A paper presented at the European Influenza Conference indicated that probiotics, combined with vitamin and mineral supplements, could reduce the duration of some common illnesses. And then another study showed that people taking probiotics took fewer days off work than a group who took no probiotics, especially in night workers.

So far, studies on their effects on eczema, asthma and cholesterol have not produced good results, but the potential role of friendly bacteria in promoting digestive health is irrefutable. Our digestive health may be affected if we don’t eat them.

Questions

1. Write a summary of the text in English, including the most important points, using your own words whenever possible. (maximum 50 words, 1 point)
2. Find words or phrases in the text that correspond in meaning to the words and definitions given here. (1 point; 0.25 each)
 - a) assimilate and absorb.
 - b) without any dirt at all.
 - c) make something better.
 - d) diseases.
3. Complete the second sentence of each pair so that it has the same meaning as the first one (2 points: 0.5 points each):
 - a) By feeding these ‘friendly’ bacteria into our system, we fight the bad bacteria.
If we ...
 - b) Probiotics can help your immune system.
Your immune system ...
 - c) We may not like to eat them so much.
We may not enjoy ...
 - d) Our digestive health may be affected if we don’t eat them.
Unless ...
4. Answer the following questions in your own words. (2 points: 1 point each):
 - a) According to some people, what conditions can be helped by probiotics and how?
 - b) What foods do you eat? Are they healthy?
5. What other things (apart from eating healthy foods) do you do to keep yourself healthy? (Approximately 120 words; 3 points)

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OPCIÓN B

Read the text and the instructions to the questions very carefully. Answer all the questions in English.

Vocabulary: Figure skating = patinaxe artística / patinaje artístico

Skating was a mode of transportation for war and hunting in Northern Europe: it was a quick way to cross frozen lakes, rivers and streams. Skates were first made from bones, and later from iron and steel. By the 16th century, skaters were transporting goods across frozen waterways. Thus, like other winter sports, figure skating grew from necessity.

In 1892, the International Skating Union was founded. Six years later, the first official event was celebrated, and the Union's organisers hoped it might soon become an Olympic sport. After a great deal of work over the next decade, figure skating was added to the Olympic programme for the 1908 Games.

There are four Olympic Figure Skating events: women's singles, men's singles, pairs, and ice dancing. The singles event consists of two sections: the short programme, and free skating. The short programme combines eight prescribed elements such as a number of jumps. In the free skating programme, skaters perform original techniques to music of their choice. As judges deduct points for too many or too few jumps, a balanced programme is important. The pairs event also consists of a short programme and free skating. The couple works as a unit, performing many manoeuvres.

In ice dancing, the focus is on the complex steps in time with the music, in which the skaters maintain physical contact with each other. Ice dancing consists of three sections: compulsory, original, and free dances. In compulsory dancing, the couple must perform one pre-determined dance. Original dances must follow selected rhythms, although the pair can choose their own music and interpretative steps. In free dancing the pair freely express their interpretation of the music they have chosen.

Questions

1. Write a summary of the text in English, including the most important points, using your own words whenever possible (Maximum 50 words, 1 point).

2. Find words or phrases in the text that correspond in meaning to the words and definitions given here. (1 point; 0.25 each)

- a) Extremely cold
- b) Rivers or streams
- c) "Carry out" or "do"
- d) Pair

3. Complete the second sentence of each pair so that it has the same meaning as the first one(s) (2 points: 0.5 point each):

- a) Skaters were transporting goods across frozen waterways.
Goods ...
- b) The International Skating Union was founded. Six years later, the first official event was celebrated.
Six years after ...
- c) As judges deduct points, a balanced programme is important.
If judges didn't
- d) Ice dancing consists of three sections.
There are ...

4. Answer the following questions in your own words, as far as possible. (2 points: 1 point each):

- a) How was it possible for figure skating to be added to 1908 Summer Olympic Games?
- b) What is the main difference between the "free skating" and "free dancing" on the one hand, and the rest?

5. Some people want to exclude your favourite sport from the Olympic Games. Write an argument for its inclusion. (Approximately 120 words; 3 points)

6. LISTENING TEST (1 point)

In this interview with Nobel Peace Prize winner Wangari Maathai you are going to hear some new words. Read and listen to them. Make sure you know what they mean.

Become = convertirse / convertirse
Environment = entorno / medio / medio ambiente
Drought = seca / sequía
Poverty = pobreza
Resources = recursos
Survive = sobrevivir
Development = desenvolvimiento / desarrollo

Here is the beginning of the interview.

Interviewer: Wangari Maathai, winner of the 2004 Nobel Peace Prize, is the mother of the Green Belt Movement, responsible for mobilizing thousands of women to plant 30 million trees across Kenya over the last three decades. Her environmental movement, which she created in the face of dictatorships, helped to make a great change in Kenya.

Here is an example of a question:

What did the Green Belt Movement do?
They stopped a cruel dictatorship in Kenya.
They organized the planting of millions of trees.
They stopped thousands of women planting trees.

The correct answer is: "They organized the planting of millions of trees".

Ready? Now read the rest of the questions and alternative answers before listening to the interview.

(2-minute pause)

Now listen to the rest of the interview. You will hear it three times. Write the correct answer in your exam notebook (cuadernillo). Write the complete answer, not a letter. You must not write more than one answer for each question.

(Tapescript)

Now you will hear the text again.

(Tapescript)

Now you will hear the text for the last time.

(Tapescript)

That is the end of the Listening test. Write your answers in your examination notebook (cuadernillo) if you have not already done so. Then you can go on with the rest of the examination.

Questions

- 1.** Wangari Maathai is in the Kenyan government as the ...
Minister of organization and education.
Minister for the environment.
Minister for the planting of trees.
- 2.** According to Wangari Maathai, what do trees give to the people of Kenya?
They give them basic foods.
They give food for their animals.
They give homes to the people.
- 3.** Which of the following is true?
The movement started by planting trees and then it became a political movement.
They were helped by the Kenyan government to become a political movement.
They planted more trees in Kenya in the first few days than in the next 30 years.
- 4.** Now she is a minister in the government, and ...
she can now play with her children in the park.
she has been able to create more parks in cities.
she has not been able to create a healthier environment.
- 5.** Wangari Maathai believes that ...
if there is peace people do not worry about the environment.
there is no connection between the environment and peace in America.
there is a connection between the environment and peace.
- 6.** In America they have ...
internal peace and democracy.
an equal distribution of resources.
a great sense of responsibility.
- 7.** Where have there been conflicts about water?
Between Sudan and Kenya.
Between Israel and Palestine.
In both places.
- 8.** According to Wangari Maathai, humans should ...
exploit the animals.
respect the animals
create a good environment for the animals.
- 9.** Which of the following is true, according to Wangari Maathai?
Animals need us more than we need animals.
We were created before the other animals.
We need the other animals in order to survive.
- 10.** The river near her home...
is cleaner now than it was when she was young.
gives water for people to drink all the year.
was more pure and clean when she was young.

Criterios de Avaliación / Corrección

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1. Contido e puntuación da proba escrita:

Primeira pregunta: realización dun resumo dos puntos máis importantes do texto. Máximo 50 palabras (1 punto).

Segunda pregunta: require que o alumnado busque palabras ou grupos de palabras no texto que corresponden no seu significado a unha palabra ou definición dada no exame: "Find words or phrases in the text that correspond in meaning to the words and definitions given here" (0,25 x 4 = 1 punto)

Terceira pregunta: transformación dunha parte ou o total dunha frase tirada do texto noutras palabras para que signifique o mesmo. Constará de catro partes, cunha puntuación de 0,5 puntos para cada parte (4 x 0.5 = 2 puntos).

Cuarta pregunta: dúas preguntas baseadas no tema do texto. As respostas deben demostrar que o alumno o entendeu correctamente. Constará de dúas partes, cunha puntuación de 1 punto para cada parte (2 x 1 = 2 puntos).

Quinta pregunta: unha pregunta acerca dun tema relacionado co tema do texto. A resposta, en forma de redacción, narrativa, carta ou doutro tipo, debe conter, aproximadamente, 120 palabras (3 puntos).

Sexta pregunta: proba de audición. Dez preguntas de tipo de test (multiple choice) acerca dun texto auditivo, cunha puntuación de 0,1 para cada resposta, facendo un total de 1 punto. (1 punto)

2. Terase en conta a comprensión, a expresión e a corrección escritas. Por unha parte, o corrector/a valorará se existe unha comprensión total ou parcial do texto por parte do alumnado. Por outra parte, o corrector terá en conta a capacidade do alumno para se comunicar de forma efectiva (avaliación da súa competencia comunicativa), a coherencia e a ordenación lóxica na exposición das ideas, a riqueza do léxico, sen esquecer a expresión gramatical correcta (competencia lingüística) das respostas.

3. Se existise unha comprensión total do texto e unha expresión gramatical correcta, a puntuación será máxima, sempre que o alumno introduza elementos expresivos persoais dunha certa complexidade léxico-sintáctica.

4. Se existise unha comprensión total do texto, mais a expresión non fose gramaticalmente correcta, faranse as deducións oportunas que dependerán da gravidade da incorrección ou do erro. As deducións faranse, entón, axustándose á importancia cualitativa do erro e do número de erros que se cometan na mesma pregunta. A modo orientador, os erros de expresión básicos (faltas de concordancia, indebida ou inexacta orde de palabras, erros na formación de interrogativas ou negativas etc.) serán penalizados de forma considerable.

5. Se a comprensión for parcial, a puntuación máxima asignada á pregunta verase reducida de acordo coa gravidade da falta de comprensión.

6. Se non houber ningunha comprensión, a pregunta non pode ter ningún tipo de cualificación positiva.

7. Os erros ortográficos puntuaranse negativamente de acordo co seu número e importancia (serán máis graves en palabras básicas da lingua inglesa). Un erro repetido na mesma palabra só se penalizará unha vez.

8. Se se transcribise literalmente un fragmento do texto como resposta a todas ou a unha das preguntas, aínda que este fragmento estivese relacionado co contido da pregunta, valorarase cunha puntuación máxima do 50% do total atribuíble á puntuación correspondente a cada pregunta ou cuestión, así que debe interpretarse que non necesariamente a puntuación debe ser un 0,5.

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POSSIBLE ANSWERS JUNE 2010

OPCIÓN A

1. In this interesting geological exhibition we can find hard and soft minerals, which can be used for many purposes, collections of objects that contain minerals, a model house and gold mine, and rock from the moon. We can also experience an earthquake and watch the geological history of the planet.
2. a) exhibition b) tools c) lent d) fractures
3. a) Samples from the collection are used (in order) to study the minerals.
b) "You should / ought to see the beautiful animated film," they said to us.
c) The exhibition has / contains a model house.
d) You can see a large model of a modern gold mine / that shows a modern gold mine.
4. a) I think the text came from an advertisement or a brochure for an exhibition in a geological museum. It contains a lot of details, so I think it was written by a person who works in the museum, and the reason it was written is that they want people to come to the museum.
b) The minerals are used in a lot of objects that we use in our lives every day, such as tools, talc, building materials and jewellery.
5. I went to the Reina Sofía Museum in Madrid at Christmas last year, where there was a special exhibition of pictures by Velázquez. We (I and my mother) travelled to Madrid by plane and underground and reached the museum easily. It was in a large modern building in the centre. We had to wait a long time before we were able to enter because a lot of people. We were all very excited and I think everybody learnt a lot about the artist and his work, and something about Spanish history too. Velázquez used colours in a way nobody had done before, and was an idol for many artists after he died, such as Salvador Dalí.

OPCIÓN B

1. It talks about a competition for the most popular joke in the world. One of the favourite ones was about Sherlock Holmes and Doctor Watson. Some jokes are popular everywhere, but different people prefer different types of jokes, for example men and women, and people from places such as Britain, Europe and America.

1. a) experiment b) variations c) tent d) universal
3. a) "I have found the funniest jokes in the world," said Wiseman.
b) People enjoyed (most) (the) jokes about the relationship between men and women. (most) (more than any other(s)).
c) The Americans' and Canadians' favourite jokes are about making somebody look stupid.
d) In order to find the world's most popular joke Chris Wiseman conducted an experiment.
4. a) Yes, different people like different jokes. Different nationalities like British and Australian people like jokes that play with words. In Spain there are a lot of jokes about people from Cataluña, Andalucía and Galicia. I don't understand some of the jokes that boys tell me, which are usually about girls or the toilets. They do not make me laugh and I prefer the ones they tell in television programmes like "El Club del Chiste", which are clever and the performance of the jokes is very good.
b) I know the experiment was popular because people contributed many jokes, and almost 2 million people voted for their favourite one. Also, the television programme where he gave the result was watched by millions of people.
5. I am very happy when I can travel with my friends and family. I like going to beautiful cities, visiting the monuments and looking at the views in the country. I like listening to the latest music on the radio or my iPod, and watching music videos. If there is a concert I always go, such as the concerts in María Pita Square in A Coruña, even if it is classical music. I also like to go shopping, especially for clothes, in department stores with my mum. But these things only make me happy for a moment. In order to be a happy person you need to have a happy family like mine, who will support you when you have problems.

Exemplos de resposta / Soluciones

LISTENING TEST

1. When she watched pop and rock programmes on TV. 2. When she was at school. 3. When she is lying in bed at night.
4. After finding a fabric she likes. 5. No, but she uses her own ideas and style.
6. Practically never: she doesn't have time. 7. People who have to be careful of what they spend.
8. She sometimes uses cheaper fabrics. 9. People, surprisingly, like to help each other.
10. She is very positive about her experience.

POSSIBLE ANSWERS SEPTEMBER 2010

OPCIÓN A

1. Probiotic foods are bought by many people. They are healthy because they contain good bacteria which fight illnesses, for example in our intestines. They also make our immune system stronger, so psoriasis, influenza and asthma may improve. People return to work sooner as they suffer these illnesses for less time.
2. a) digest b) super-clean c) improve d) illnesses
3. a) If we feed these "friendly" bacteria into our system, we (will / can / Ø) fight the bad bacteria.
b) Your immune system can be helped by probiotics.
c) We may not enjoy eating them so much.
d) Unless we eat them, our digestive health may be affected.
4. a) Some conditions that are helped by probiotics are bad digestion, a poor immune system, influenza, asthma and psoriasis. Probiotics introduce good bacteria, which fight the bad bacteria, and improve the immune system.
b) I always eat a lot of foods like fish, fruit, vegetable and brown bread, which are good for me because they contain a lot of vitamins and make me strong. Unfortunately, I also eat chocolate, cakes and biscuits, which have too much fat and sugar, and besides I drink 2 litres of Coca-Cola every day. I need to be more careful about what I eat!
5. I try to sleep eight hours every night, which makes me feel good during the day, and I never need to sleep a siesta in the afternoon. When I go out at night, especially at the weekend, I always avoid things such as alcohol and drugs, because they can ruin your health for ever. I sometimes practise sports such as swimming, football and running, but only once or twice a week, as I don't have much free time. If I have to go shopping, I never take the bus but always walk, even if it's a long way. In this way I think I do enough to keep healthy, and I feel fit, so in my opinion I'm doing the things I should.

OPCIÓN B

1. Skating started in Northern Europe many centuries ago and was a way of transporting things. It became an international sport in 1892 and an Olympic sport in 1908. There are different kinds of events, singles, pairs and ice dancing, some of which are chosen by the skaters while others are compulsory.
2. a) frozen b) waterways c) perform d) couple
3. a) Goods were being transported across frozen waterways (by skaters).
b) Six years after the International skating Union was founded, the first official event was celebrated.
c) If judges didn't deduct points, a balanced programme would not be important.
d) There are three sections in ice dancing.
4. a) They were able to include figure skating in the 1908 Olympic Games because International Skating Union, which had been founded in 1892, worked hard for a decade.

Exemplos de resposta / Soluções

b) “Free skating” and “free dancing” are different from the rest because they are more original: in these the skaters can choose the music and their interpretation of it.

5. I think it would be a mistake to exclude football from the Olympic Games. Some people say there is already a World Cup for football, so we don't need it in the Olympic Games, but I think more people will watch the Games if there is football because it is the most popular sport in the world. Also, it is a good idea because Spain will probably win a gold or silver medal, because we have the best team, and Spain don't usually win many medals. Countries like Brazil, Argentina and Mexico are in the same position. It is a good chance for young players to show their talent, and they can be seen by the managers of Barcelona, Arsenal and other teams.

LISTENING TEST

1) Minister for the environment. 2) They give food for their animals 3) The movement started by planting trees and then it became a political movement. 4) she has been able to create more parks in cities. 5) there is a connection between the environment and peace. 6) internal peace and democracy. 7. Between Israel and Palestine. 8. respect the animals. 9. We need the other animals in order to survive. 10. was more pure and clean when she was young.