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SPANISH – AS unit 1
SET A – CARDS A1–A6



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SET A

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

You will be asked to choose two stimulus cards, one from Set A and the other from Set B.

You will choose one of two cards from Set A. You will be able to see the two cards before choosing. You will choose one card (unseen) from Set B from a total of three. You must ensure you select one card from Set A and one card from Set B.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

You will be allowed a period of 15 minutes to prepare the two cards (A and B). You will be able to make brief notes on a separate piece of paper (NOT on the cards) during the preparation period for the stimulus cards. The notes **must** be handed to the examiner at the end of the test. The notes are a memory aid only and **may not** constitute whole sentences or a continuous text or script.

Cards from Set A will contain, as a stimulus, two opposing standpoints of an argument.

Cards from Set B will contain a short text and three questions for you to prepare. Set A cards are based on the theme of Understanding the Spanish-speaking world. Set B cards are based on the theme of Being a young person in Spanish-speaking society.

No dictionaries are allowed in any section of the assessment.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

This paper carries 48 marks:

- Task 1 – 24 marks
- Task 2 – 24 marks

Card A1 – Understanding the Spanish-speaking world

Sub-theme: Regional culture and heritage in Spain, Spanish-speaking countries and communities

Abajo verás dos posturas sobre *las tradiciones gastronómicas*. Elige una de estas posturas que defenderás contra la postura contraria que será defendida por el examinador/la examinadora.

Opinión A

- Ir de tapas es cada vez más popular.

Opinión B

- Los jóvenes hispanos prefieren la comida rápida.



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SET A

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

You will be asked to choose two stimulus cards, one from Set A and the other from Set B.

You will choose one of two cards from Set A. You will be able to see the two cards before choosing. You will choose one card (unseen) from Set B from a total of three. You must ensure you select one card from Set A and one card from Set B.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

You will be allowed a period of 15 minutes to prepare the two cards (A and B). You will be able to make brief notes on a separate piece of paper (NOT on the cards) during the preparation period for the stimulus cards. The notes **must** be handed to the examiner at the end of the test. The notes are a memory aid only and **may not** constitute whole sentences or a continuous text or script.

Cards from Set A will contain, as a stimulus, two opposing standpoints of an argument.

Cards from Set B will contain a short text and three questions for you to prepare. Set A cards are based on the theme of Understanding the Spanish-speaking world. Set B cards are based on the theme of Being a young person in Spanish-speaking society.

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INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

This paper carries 48 marks:

- Task 1 – 24 marks
- Task 2 – 24 marks

Card A2 – Understanding the Spanish-speaking world

Sub-theme: Regional culture and heritage in Spain, Spanish-speaking countries and communities

Abajo verás dos posturas sobre *los trajes típicos*. Elige una de estas posturas que defenderás contra la postura contraria que será defendida por el examinador/la examinadora.

Opinión A

- Los españoles prefieren llevar traje típico durante las fiestas.

Opinión B

- El traje típico está pasado de moda.



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SET A

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

You will be asked to choose two stimulus cards, one from Set A and the other from Set B.

You will choose one of two cards from Set A. You will be able to see the two cards before choosing. You will choose one card (unseen) from Set B from a total of three. You must ensure you select one card from Set A and one card from Set B.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

You will be allowed a period of 15 minutes to prepare the two cards (A and B). You will be able to make brief notes on a separate piece of paper (NOT on the cards) during the preparation period for the stimulus cards. The notes **must** be handed to the examiner at the end of the test. The notes are a memory aid only and **may not** constitute whole sentences or a continuous text or script.

Cards from Set A will contain, as a stimulus, two opposing standpoints of an argument.

Cards from Set B will contain a short text and three questions for you to prepare. Set A cards are based on the theme of Understanding the Spanish-speaking world. Set B cards are based on the theme of Being a young person in Spanish-speaking society.

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INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

This paper carries 48 marks:

- Task 1 – 24 marks
- Task 2 – 24 marks

Card A3 – Understanding the Spanish-speaking world

Sub-theme: Regional culture and heritage in Spain, Spanish-speaking countries and communities

Abajo verás dos posturas sobre *los idiomas regionales*. Elige una de estas posturas que defenderás contra la postura contraria que será defendida por el examinador/la examinadora.

Opinión A

- Los idiomas regionales son muy importantes.

Opinión B

- El castellano es más importante que los idiomas regionales.



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SET A

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

You will be asked to choose two stimulus cards, one from Set A and the other from Set B.

You will choose one of two cards from Set A. You will be able to see the two cards before choosing. You will choose one card (unseen) from Set B from a total of three. You must ensure you select one card from Set A and one card from Set B.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

You will be allowed a period of 15 minutes to prepare the two cards (A and B). You will be able to make brief notes on a separate piece of paper (NOT on the cards) during the preparation period for the stimulus cards. The notes **must** be handed to the examiner at the end of the test. The notes are a memory aid only and **may not** constitute whole sentences or a continuous text or script.

Cards from Set A will contain, as a stimulus, two opposing standpoints of an argument.

Cards from Set B will contain a short text and three questions for you to prepare. Set A cards are based on the theme of Understanding the Spanish-speaking world. Set B cards are based on the theme of Being a young person in Spanish-speaking society.

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INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

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Card A4 – Understanding the Spanish-speaking world

Sub-theme: Literature, art, film and music in the Spanish-speaking world

Abajo verás dos posturas sobre *la música*. Elige una de estas posturas que defenderás contra la postura contraria que será defendida por el examinador/la examinadora.

Opinión A

- La música popular en español está muy de moda.

Opinión B

- La música tradicional española no les interesa a los jóvenes hispanos.



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SET A

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

You will be asked to choose two stimulus cards, one from Set A and the other from Set B.

You will choose one of two cards from Set A. You will be able to see the two cards before choosing. You will choose one card (unseen) from Set B from a total of three. You must ensure you select one card from Set A and one card from Set B.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

You will be allowed a period of 15 minutes to prepare the two cards (A and B). You will be able to make brief notes on a separate piece of paper (NOT on the cards) during the preparation period for the stimulus cards. The notes **must** be handed to the examiner at the end of the test. The notes are a memory aid only and **may not** constitute whole sentences or a continuous text or script.

Cards from Set A will contain, as a stimulus, two opposing standpoints of an argument.

Cards from Set B will contain a short text and three questions for you to prepare. Set A cards are based on the theme of Understanding the Spanish-speaking world. Set B cards are based on the theme of Being a young person in Spanish-speaking society.

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Card A5 – Understanding the Spanish-speaking world

Sub-theme: Literature, art, film and music in the Spanish-speaking world

Abajo verás dos posturas sobre *el cine*. Elige una de estas posturas que defenderás contra la postura contraria que será defendida por el examinador/la examinadora.

Opinión A

- El cine hispano es una riqueza cultural.

Opinión B

- Los jóvenes hispanos prefieren ver series de habla inglesa en Netflix.



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SET A

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

You will be asked to choose two stimulus cards, one from Set A and the other from Set B.

You will choose one of two cards from Set A. You will be able to see the two cards before choosing. You will choose one card (unseen) from Set B from a total of three. You must ensure you select one card from Set A and one card from Set B.

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You will be allowed a period of 15 minutes to prepare the two cards (A and B). You will be able to make brief notes on a separate piece of paper (NOT on the cards) during the preparation period for the stimulus cards. The notes **must** be handed to the examiner at the end of the test. The notes are a memory aid only and **may not** constitute whole sentences or a continuous text or script.

Cards from Set A will contain, as a stimulus, two opposing standpoints of an argument.

Cards from Set B will contain a short text and three questions for you to prepare. Set A cards are based on the theme of Understanding the Spanish-speaking world. Set B cards are based on the theme of Being a young person in Spanish-speaking society.

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Card A6 – Understanding the Spanish-speaking world

Sub-theme: Literature, art, film and music in the Spanish-speaking world

Abajo verás dos posturas sobre *la literatura*. Elige una de estas posturas que defenderás contra la postura contraria que será defendida por el examinador/la examinadora.

Opinión A

- Vale la pena leer novelas clásicas en castellano.

Opinión B

- Los jóvenes hispanos prefieren leer cómics o novelas gráficas.