

INGLÉS - MÓDULO 4 - BLOQUE 12: ASPECTOS SOCIOCULTURALES LÉXICOS

TEMAS 5 Y 6: MADE IN. THE USA VS THE UK

Object pronouns. The passive voice. Cultural stereotypes, UK and USA: British and American English.

1. Completa las frases usa la pasiva en presente o pasado. (1 punto)

make - steal - build - speak - grow - invent - pay - blow

- She has a very good job. She _____ 3000 pounds a month.
- My car _____ last week.
- These houses are very old. They _____ about 500 years ago.
- Paper _____ from wood.
- Many different languages _____ in India.
- The transistor _____ in 1948.
- Lots of tulips _____ in Holland.
- Two trees _____ down in the storm last night.

2. Usa la voz activa o la pasiva para completar el siguiente texto (1 punto)

Fiat..... (started/ was started) by a group of Italian businessmen in 1899. In 1903, Fiat..... (produced/ was produced) 132 cars. Some of these cars..... (exported/were exported) by the company to the USA and Britain. In 1920, fiat..... (started/ was started) making cars at a new factory at Lingotto, near Turin. There was a track on the roof where the cars (tested/were tested) by technicians. In 1936, Fiat launched the Fiat 500. This car..... (called/was called) the Topolino- the Italian name for Mickey Mouse. The company grew and in 1963 Fiat..... (exported/ was exported) more than 300,000 vehicles. Today Fiat is based in Turin and its cars..... (sold/ are sold) all over the world.

3. Pon las siguientes oraciones en el orden adecuado (1 punto)

1. 1989 / Eiffel tower / was / in / the / built.
2. is / UK / summer / cricket / the / in / played / the / in
3. year / recorded / these / will be / songs / next
4. educated / most / state / are / children / schools / in
5. every / the / cut / month / grass / is
6. neighbour's / woken up / by / morning / I / dog / this / was / the
7. discovered / captain Cook / Australia / by / was
8. will be / national / very / held / elections / soon

4. Pon las siguientes frases en pasiva. (1 punto)

1. Agatha Christie created the detective Hercule Poirot.
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2. American teenagers eat a lot of fast food
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3. Many people will see the match
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4. The German police arrested the French smugglers
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5. The marketing manager will organize weekly meetings
.....
6. The Italians make Fiat cars
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7. People won't use this road in the future
.....
8. The fire didn't destroy the old house.
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9. Shakespeare wrote Hamlet in 1603
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10. We will read your book next spring.
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5. Cambia las palabras en negrita por un pronombre. (1 punto)

- a. I didn't see **Helen** in class yesterday. I didn't see her in class yesterday.
- b. I never talk to **James**.
- c. We are lost! Can you help **my Friends and me**?
- d. I call my **mother and father** every weekend.
- e. I read **this book** last year.
- f. Can you find **your keys**?
- g. I don't like **Jack Nicholson** in that film.
- h. Do you love **your wife**?
- i. Wait for **Jane and me**!
- j. I don't know **this phone number**.

6. Completa las siguientes frases usando el pronombre objeto adecuado. (1 punto)

- a. We stayed at the hotel but we didn't like.....
- b. Some Friends were there but we didn't speak to
- c. Chloe saw her boyfriend and she went to sit with.....
- d. I said hello to Ryan but he didn't say hello to
- e. My father made a coffee but he didn't drink.....
- f. We invite them for dinner every month, but we they don't invite.....
- g. Emily loves her husband but he doesn't love.....
- h. My sister gave me a present but I didn't give one to.....
- i. My wife and I visit her parents every month but they never visit
- j. I don't usually see my brother during the week, but I saw yesterday.

7. ¿Cómo se dicen las siguientes palabras en inglés americano? ¿Y en inglés británico? (1 punto)

Inglés Británico

Autumn	Football	Angry	Toilet	Post code

Inglés Americano

Attorney	Drugstore	Truck	Parking lot	Candy

8. ¿Cómo se dicen las siguientes palabras relacionadas con el mundo del trabajo en inglés? ¿Y en español? (1 punto)

Fuerzas	Debilidades	Exito	Objetivos	Compañero de trabajo

Proficiency	Skill	Team	Excel	Application

9. Lee el siguiente texto y realiza los ejercicios (1 punto)

MY FAVOURITE CITY BY LIZZIE KING

A.- My favorite city is Amsterdam, the capital of Holland. The correct name for Holland is the Netherlands. Although Amsterdam is the capital of the Netherlands, the government is in the Hague and the Queen lives at Soestdijk.

B.- Amsterdam is famous for its ports, canals, bridges, bicycles and flowers. I think the best thing about the city is its mixture of old and new. It has kept a lot of its traditions and old buildings and at the same time it is a modern city which young people enjoy. There is something for everyone: you can visit museums and art galleries, go for a canal trip, hire a bicycle, go shopping in the street markets, listen to a classical concert or enjoy the night clubs and discos.

C.- I've been to Amsterdam three times, twice in the summer and once in winter. I'm interested in art and so I enjoyed visiting the Rijksmuseum and seeing the Rembrandt paintings. I also visited the house where Rembrandt lived from 1639 to 1658 which was fascinating. The best thing about the winter in Amsterdam is that the canals sometimes freeze and people can go skating on them! I think skating on a canal is much more exciting than skating on the rink at the sports centre!!

D.- Next summer I'm going back to Amsterdam. I'm going to work in a restaurant in Dam Square, which is in the city centre. It'll be hard work but it'll be interesting and I'll meet a lot of tourists. The restaurant serves typical Dutch food – pea soup, beans and bacon, cheese, potatoes and little pancakes with butter and sugar which are called "poffertjes" – they are delicious.

1. Match these topics with paragraphs A-D of the article. (4)

1. My past holidays in Amsterdam.
2. Facts about Amsterdam.
3. My next holiday in Amsterdam.
4. Things you can do in Amsterdam.

2-Answer the following questions. (6)

1. Where does the Dutch Queen live?
2. What can young people do in the evenings?
3. How many times has Lizzie been to Amsterdam?
4. Did Rembrand ever live in Amsterdam?
5. Where did Lizzie skate when she was in Amsterdam?
6. What are “poffertjes”?

10. Escribe una noticia que haya ocurrido recientemente. No olvides seguir las reglas de las noticias. Responder a Qué, quién, cuándo, dónde..... así como la sencillez, precisión... (1 punto) Escribe 100 palabras.