1.8 Object Pronouns: Direct, Indirect and Combined Pronoun Order: 10-minute Pack

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Total Marks

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Answer every question. Write full sentences for any item that asks you to Rewrite or Translate.

1 Rewrite the following sentence about a present-tense lunchtime situation at school, replacing the second mention of María (direct object) with the correct Spanish pronoun. Context: two actions at break time. Sentence: "Veo a María en el recreo y saludo a María." Replace the second mention of María with a direct object pronoun.

(a) Student answer replacing the second 'a María' with the correct pronoun. **(1)**

(Total for Question 1 is 1 mark)

2 Rewrite the following sentence to replace the direct object with a pronoun attached to a gerund. Context: describing an action in progress while texting your friend about buying the cake. Sentence: "Estoy comprando el pastel y le envío un mensaje a mi amiga." Replace 'el pastel' with the correct pronoun attached to the gerund form.

(a) Provide the sentence with the pronoun attached to the gerund. **(2)**

(Total for Question 2 is 2 marks)

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3 Translate these short English sentences into Spanish, choosing the correct object pronouns where needed. Context: everyday actions involving friends and family. Translate each sentence into Spanish.

(a) 1. I call my mother every evening. **(1)**

(b) 2. He gives them (books) to the children. **(1)**

(c) 3. We sent him the email yesterday. **(1)**

(d) 4. She is showing it (the photo) to me now. **(1)**

(e) 5. I will send you the tickets tomorrow. **(1)**

(f) 6. They are buying it (the coffee) for him now. **(1)**

(Total for Question 3 is 6 marks)

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4 Complete the gap for an indirect object pronoun in this short story about buying a present for a family member. Context: past action of giving a present. Sentence: "Compré un regalo para mi hermano. Luego _____ di el regalo." Choose the correct indirect object pronoun.

(a) Gap: 'Luego _____ di el regalo.' **(1)**

(Total for Question 4 is 1 mark)

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5 Rewrite this classroom sentence, replacing both objects with pronouns where appropriate. Context: a teacher gives the homework to the students at the end of class. Sentence: "La profesora da los deberes a los alumnos." Provide the sentence with pronouns in the correct order using the combined form.

(a) Replace 'los deberes' and 'a los alumnos' with pronouns in a single sentence. **(2)**

(Total for Question 5 is 2 marks)

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Mark scheme · 1.8 Object Pronouns: Direct, Indirect and Combined Pronoun Order: 10-minute Pack

Question 1

(a) La saludo, direct object pronoun la before the conjugated verb **B1**

(a) Answer: La saludo.

Question 2

(a) Correct gerund form with pronoun attached: comprándolo **B1**

(a) Correct full sentence: 'Estoy comprándolo y le envío un mensaje a mi amiga.' **B1**

(a) Answer: Estoy comprándolo y le envío un mensaje a mi amiga.

Question 3

(a) La llamo todas las noches. **B1**

(a) Answer: La llamo todas las noches.

(b) Se los da a los niños. or Les da los libros a los niños. Credit combined form se los da. **B1**

(b) Answer: Se los da a los niños.

(c) Le enviamos el correo ayer. or Se lo enviamos (if direct object specified as it). **B1**

(c) Answer: Le enviamos el correo ayer.

(d) Me la está mostrando ahora. or Me la está enseñando ahora. or Me la muestra ahora. **B1**

(d) Answer: Me la está mostrando ahora.

(e) Te mandaré las entradas mañana. or Te enviaré las entradas mañana. **B1**

(e) Answer: Te mandaré las entradas mañana.

(f) Se lo están comprando ahora. or Le están comprando el café a él ahora. **B1**

(f) Answer: Se lo están comprando ahora.

Question 4

(a) le **B1**

(a) Answer: Luego le di el regalo.

Question 5

(a) Correct combined pronoun form se los before the verb **B1**

(a) Correct full sentence word order, e.g. 'La profesora se los da.' **B1**

(a) Answer: La profesora se los da.

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