5.14 Food, Family Celebrations and Regional Customs: Test Pack

AQA 8692 · about 15 minutes

Total Marks

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Accents, the enye and inverted punctuation are used correctly in the Spanish throughout this pack. Include them in your own answers too. Answer all questions. Use clear sentences for the translation tasks. Time guidance: 15 minutes.

1 Vocabulary warm-up A. Match the Spanish word to the correct English meaning. Write the letter. Words: 1) la sobremesa 2) la paella 3) brindar 4) el cumpleaños 5) la tapa 6) el convite.

(1) la sobremesa **(1)**

- ☐ A the party after a wedding
- ☐ B the conversation at the table after a meal
- ☐ C a small savoury dish served with drinks
- ☐ D toasting with drinks

(2) la paella **(1)**

- ☐ A a rice dish from Spain
- ☐ B a birthday cake
- ☐ C a type of soup
- ☐ D a dance

(3) brindar **(1)**

- ☐ A to cook
- ☐ B to invite
- ☐ C to make a toast
- ☐ D to decorate

(4) el cumpleaños **(1)**

- ☐ A wedding
- ☐ B birthday
- ☐ C christening
- ☐ D anniversary

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(5) la tapa **(1)**

- ☐ A a dessert
- ☐ B a starter soup
- ☐ C a small savoury dish
- ☐ D a type of bread

(6) el convite **(1)**

- ☐ A the invitation or celebratory meal
- ☐ B the cultural dress
- ☐ C a cooking utensil
- ☐ D the dessert course

(Total for Question 1 is 6 marks)

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2 Traduce el siguiente texto al inglés. Spanish passage about a boda and gifts (using object pronouns). Passage (6 sentences): "Fuimos a la boda de mi primo el mes pasado. Le regalamos a la pareja una fuente de plata porque nos lo pidieron los novios. Durante el banquete, nos sirvieron muchas tapas y nos las trajeron en platos pequeños. Mis abuelos se sentaron al lado de la familia y nos contaron historias antiguas. Al final, brindamos por los novios y les deseamos mucha felicidad. Fue una noche íntima y familiar."

(a) Sentence 1: Fuimos a la boda de mi primo el mes pasado. **(2)**

(b) Sentence 2: Le regalamos a la pareja una fuente de plata porque nos lo pidieron los novios. **(3)**

(c) Sentence 3: Durante el banquete, nos sirvieron muchas tapas y nos las trajeron en platos pequeños. **(2)**

(d) Sentence 4: Mis abuelos se sentaron al lado de la familia y nos contaron historias antiguas. **(1)**

(e) Sentence 5: Al final, brindamos por los novios y les deseamos mucha felicidad. **(1)**

(f) Sentence 6: Fue una noche íntima y familiar. **(1)**

(Total for Question 2 is 10 marks)

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Question 1

(1) B - the conversation at the table after a meal **B1**

(1) Answer: B

(2) B1 - A, a rice dish from Spain **B1**

(2) Answer: A

(3) C - to make a toast **B1**

(3) Answer: C

(4) B - birthday **B1**

(4) Answer: B

(5) C - a small savoury dish **B1**

(5) Answer: C

(6) A - the invitation or celebratory meal **B1**

(6) Answer: A

Question 2

(a) We went to my cousin's wedding last month **B1**

(a) recognition of 'el mes pasado' = last month **B1**

(a) Answer: We went to my cousin's wedding last month.

(b) We gave the couple a silver dish/serving tray **B1**

(b) because the bride and groom asked us to **B1**

(b) recognition of the pronouns: 'nos lo pidieron' = they asked us for it **B1**

(b) Answer: We gave the couple a silver serving dish because the bride and groom asked us for it.

(c) During the banquet, they served us many tapas **B1**

(c) and they brought them to us on small plates **B1**

(c) Answer: During the banquet, they served us many tapas and they brought them to us on small plates.

(d) My grandparents sat next to the family and told us old stories **B1**

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(e) At the end, we toasted the bride and groom and wished them much happiness **B1**

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(f) It was an intimate and family-oriented evening **B1**

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