6.8 Technology and Social Media in Everyday Life (Writing): 10-minute Pack

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Total Marks

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Answer all questions. Note that accents, the enye and inverted punctuation are used correctly in the printed Spanish prompts; write them correctly in your own answers too.

1 Translate the short Spanish paragraph into English. Context: a student explains how they used technology for a past assignment and what they will do next. Translate into English.

(a) Translate: Hace dos semanas usé varias aplicaciones para preparar una presentación para clase. **(2)**

(b) Translate: Busqué información en páginas educativas, hice un video con mi móvil y lo subí a la plataforma del colegio. **(3)**

(c) Translate: El profesor dijo que fue muy útil y me dio consejos para mejorar mi pronunciación. **(2)**

(d) Translate: La próxima vez voy a practicar más antes de grabar. **(2)**

(Total for Question 1 is 9 marks)

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2 Choose the correct English meaning. Context: common tech vocabulary about photos.

(a) subir una foto **(1)**

- ☐ A to download a file
- ☐ B to upload a photo
- ☐ C to delete a message
- ☐ D to change settings

(Total for Question 2 is 1 mark)

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3 Fill the gap with the correct word from the box. Context: short sentence about a mobile phone. Box: colegio, pantalla, aplicaciones, batería.

(a) Mi _____ del móvil dura todo el día. **(1)**

(Total for Question 3 is 1 mark)

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4 Identify the odd word out in this group of four words about online activity. Explain in English briefly. Context: social media verbs and a school verb.

(a) publicar, seguir, comentar, estudiar **(2)**

(Total for Question 4 is 2 marks)

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Question 1

(a) Two weeks ago I used several apps to prepare a presentation for class **B1**

(a) correct past time phrase and 'used' as past tense **B1**

(a) Answer: Two weeks ago I used several apps to prepare a presentation for class.

(b) I searched for information on educational sites **B1**

(b) I made a video with my phone **B1**

(b) and I uploaded it to the school platform **B1**

(b) Answer: I searched for information on educational sites, I made a video with my phone and I uploaded it to the school platform.

(c) The teacher said that it was very useful **B1**

(c) and gave me advice to improve my pronunciation **B1**

(c) Answer: The teacher said that it was very useful and gave me advice to improve my pronunciation.

(d) Next time I am going to practise more before recording **B1**

(d) near future construction correctly rendered **B1**

(d) Answer: Next time I am going to practise more before recording.

Question 2

(a) B - to upload a photo **B1**

(a) Answer: B - to upload a photo

Question 3

(a) batería **B1**

(a) Answer: batería

Question 4

(a) estudiar - identifies the odd word **B1**

(a) brief explanation in English that estudiar is not a social media action while the others are **B1**

(a) Answer: estudiar, because publicar, seguir and comentar are social media actions while estudiar relates to schoolwork.

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