

JUNTA DE EXTREMADURA

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Grado Superior - septiembre: INGLÉS

PRUEBAS DE ACCESO A CICLOS FORMATIVOS DE GRADO SUPERIOR

(Orden de 15 de abril de 2010, (DOE. 26 de abril)

Fecha: 2 de septiembre de 2010

DATOS DEL ASPIRANTE	CALIFICACIÓN
Apellidos: _____	
Nombre: _____ DNI: _____	
I.E.S. de inscripción: _____	
I.E.S. de realización: _____	Dos decimales

Instrucciones:

Mantenga su DNI en lugar visible durante la realización del ejercicio.

Grape todas las hojas de respuestas que correspondan a esta prueba junto a esta hoja u hojas de examen.

Lea detenidamente los enunciados de los ejercicios antes de comenzar su resolución.

Duración 85 minutos.

PRUEBA DE INGLÉS (ESPECÍFICA)

ST. PATRICK'S DAY

St. Patrick is the patron Saint and national apostle of Ireland. He was born in the fourth century and is famous for bringing Christianity into Ireland. St. Patrick's Day is a very well known Irish national holiday, which is celebrated not only in Ireland but all around the world. It falls on the 17th of March.

Legend says that St. Patrick could raise people from the dead. He is well known for driving the snakes out of Ireland, although many people dispute how true this is. Another great story was how he used the shamrock, with its three leaves, to explain the Holy Trinity (the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost) to his followers.

St. Patrick's Day is celebrated world-wide with people dancing and singing in Irish pubs, watching St. Patrick's Day parade, drinking 'green' beer, wearing green clothes and just generally having good time. Children in Ireland have a tradition of pinching their friends who don't wear green this day.

Corned beef and cabbage is what most people have on this day. Another popular dish is Irish soda bread and potato pancakes. Iris pub owners go crazy on this day, putting green food colouring into their beers. People also drink lots of Irish coffee, which is made with warm whiskey, sugar, coffee and topped off with whipped cream. Sounds delicious? It is!

Shamrock: trébol

QUESTIONS

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1. ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS FROM THE TEXT

1. What should you wear on St. Patrick's Day?
2. Why is St. Patrick's well known? Give two reasons
3. How do people celebrate St. Patrick's Day?

2. SAY IF THESE STATEMENTS ARE TRUE OR FALSE. PROVIDE SOME EVIDENCE FROM THE TEXT.

1. St. Patrick's Day is only celebrated in Ireland.
2. Meat and vegetables are eaten on St. Patrick's Day.

3. FIND WORDS OR PHRASES IN THE TEXT THAT MEAN:

1. intensely
2. enthusiastic,
3. passionately excited

4.1. - CHANGE INTO THE PASSIVE VOICE: "People also drink lots of Irish coffee"

4.2. - WRITE THE QUESTION FOR THE UNDERLINED PART OF THIS ANSWER:

"St. Patrick studied in a monastery"

4.3. - WRITE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCE INTO THE PAST PERFECT NEGATIVE:

"Irish pub owners go crazy on this day"

5. - WRITE A COMPOSITION (60-80) WORDS. CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS.

- a) Is there any national holiday in your country? How do you celebrate it?
- b) Do you know a famous legend in your country?

Crterios de calificaci3n:

El alumno debe responder en INGLÉS a las cinco cuestiones que se plantean.

Cuesti3n 1: 3 puntos

Cuesti3n 2: 1 punto

Cuestiones 3 y 4: 1'5 puntos

Cuesti3n 5: 3 puntos