

PRUEBA ACCESO A CICLOS FORMATIVOS DE GRADO SUPERIOR

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OPCIÓN A: INGLÉS 2ª LENGUA

DATOS DEL ASPIRANTE		CALIFICACIÓN PRUEBA
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Instrucciones:

- **Lee atentamente las preguntas antes de contestar.**
- **La puntuación máxima de cada pregunta está indicada en cada enunciado.**
- **Revisa cuidadosamente la prueba antes de entregarla.**

I. COMPRENSIÓN DE UN TEXTO:

Life expectancy: Do you want to live to be 100?

How about 90?

Most people would like to live to be 90 and **expect** to live until 80. Thomas Peris, an assistant professor at Harvard Medical School who has studied thousands of centenarians says that contrary to popular belief, those who survive to be 100 usually **remain** active and healthy well into their 90s. Their final problems with **illness** are relatively short in the end.

A **survey** of 2032 people in New England showed some interesting results. It indicated that people with university education wanted and expected to live longer than those without. Lower income people tended to be more pessimistic about their future quality of life. Women expected to live longer than men. Experts say for most people the secret to living longer lies in a mixture of good genes and good **behaviour**, including a positive mental attitude. Those who live longer tend to be more optimistic and less neurotic.

Interestingly, Spanish women have the second longest **lifespan** in the world (just behind Japanese women). This is largely attributed to the famous Mediterranean diet.

The message appears to be clear: If you want to live to a very **healthy** 100 you should eat well and keep an active mind.

Douglas Jasch

Source: Think in English

<http://cuentoseningles.com.ar/articles/health/tobe100.html>

Vocabulary:

To expect: esperar

Illness: enfermedad

Lifespan: duración máxima de vida

To remain: continuar, permanecer

Behaviour: comportamiento

Survey: encuesta

1. Contesta las preguntas con la información del texto. (2 puntos)

A. What does Thomas Peris think about centenarians?

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B. What is the secret to live longer?

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2. De acuerdo con el texto, di si las siguientes afirmaciones son **verdaderas (V)** o **falsas (F)**. (2 puntos)

- People with university education do not expect to live longer than those who have not studied.
- People with a lower economic status do not have a great opinion of their quality of life.
- Spanish women have a lifespan as long as Japanese women.
- If you want to live longer you must have a healthy diet, keep an active mind, and of course, have good genes and good behaviour.

II. GRAMÁTICA Y VOCABULARIO

3. **Responde** a las siguientes cuestiones: (3 puntos)

A. **Find** in the text a **synonym** for "OPPOSITE":

B. Turn the following sentence into the interrogative form: "She works in an office from 8:00 a.m. to 15:00 p.m":

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C. **Find** in the text a **word** that matches the following **definition**: "the feeling of being certain that something exists or is true":

D. **Fill** in with the correct **preposition**: "He comesParis"

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E. **Write the superlative** form of : "LONG":

F. **Complete** this conditional sentence (Type II): If I lived to be 100,



III. REDACCIÓN DE UN TEXTO

4. Escribe un texto de entre **40 y 60 palabras** sobre uno de los siguientes temas: (3 puntos)

- A.** Advantages and disadvantages of living to be 100.
- B.** Why do you think Spanish women live longer?

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