

# INGLÉS CONVOCATORIA ORDINARIA JUNIO 2023 OPCIÓN A LETRAS

## Ejercicio 1. (Calificación máxima: 2 puntos)

Are the following statements TRUE or FALSE? Copy the evidence from the text. No marks are given for only TRUE or FALSE.

- a) In Shakespeare's times, theatre viewers were forbidden to eat during performances.
- b) Theatre audiences today have easy access to information on how to behave properly.

#### Solución:

- a) False. "Sixteenth-century England was renowned for its noisy audiences who, in public outdoor theatres, could sleep, eat and drink heartily all while taking in Shakespeare's newest work." (P. 2, L. 11 12)
- b) True. "Audience etiquette guides, which cover everything from dress code and late arrivals to coughing and unwrapping candies, are widely available today." (P. 3, L. 17 18)

### Ejercicio 2. (Calificación máxima: 2 puntos)

In your own words and based on the ideas in the text, answer the following questions. Do not copy from the text.

- a) Which two changes did Mr. Garrick implement in his theatre?
- b) What did Patti Lupone do during the performance in 2015?

#### Solución:

- a) David Garrick separated the stage and the audience clearly, and made them access the building through the proper entrance.
- b) Actress Patti Lupone stopped acting when a spectator's phone rang and took it away from them.



## **<u>Ejercicio 3.</u>** (Calificación máxima: 1 puntos)

Find the words in the text that mean:

#### Solución:

- a) linked (paragraph 1) connected
- b) often (paragraph 1) frequently
- c) supervise (paragraph 1) oversee
- d) irritated (paragraph 2) angry

## Ejercicio 4. (Calificación máxima: 2 puntos)

Complete the following sentences. Use the appropriate form of the word in brackets when given.

#### Solución:

- a) The performers acted <u>incredibly</u> (incredible) well, despite not having rehearsed <u>for</u> several months.
- b) If I <u>had taken</u> (take) drama classes as a child, I <u>would be</u> (be) a reasonable actress now.
- c) Little babies are fond <u>of</u> classical music, <u>which</u> has a relaxing effect on them.
- d) Complete the following sentence to report what was said.

"What is your favourite show?"

He asked him what his favourite show is.

# Ejercicio 5. (Calificación máxima: 3 puntos)

Write about 150 to 200 words on the following topic.

Would you like to participate in a TV show? Justify your answer.

#### Solución:

I would rather not participate in a TV show. The main reason why is that I would not handle all the attention well. This is because I am an introvert, and even though I am sure working on TV pays better than most jobs, I could not do it without making some kind of sacrifice.



First and foremost, being on TV exposes you to a lot of different, unknown people. This is just unavoidable: when you step onto a TV set, you become a source of entertainment, both there and everywhere. Since being introverted means that I require fewer personal interactions to satisfy my social needs, I believe that kind of job and its implications would be too exhausting for me.

While there are certainly plenty of people who are able to make it their career or simply have fun at it, I think I am not suited for it. At the end of the day, I would not do well and probably cause a lot of trouble for many people, myself included.