

## Fourth Form Summer 2009 Examinations

Use the printed booklet to revise AVENTURA NUEVA BOOK 1 - Units 15 to 30. See Unit summaries in textbook for details of grammar and topics.

### Spanish Writing - Practice

#### Instructions

Write 100 - 130 words in Spanish on A4 paper on alternate lines.  
Check your work carefully to ensure that you have included all the content required and that your work is accurate.  
Check that you have used all the tenses required.  
You will be marked using the following mark scheme:

Accuracy		Content		Tenses	
Highly accurate	9-10	Covers and expands on all points (e.g. adds personal opinion, description)	9-10	A wide range of tenses used	9-10
Very accurate with only minor errors	7-8	Covers all points in detail	7-8	Past, present and future used	7-8
Generally accurate but with some important errors e.g. verbs, adjective agreements	5-6	Covers all points in sentence form	5-6	Two tenses used	5-6
Very inaccurate with a range of important errors	3-4	Covers most of the main points in sentence form	3-4	One tense used	3-4
Inaccuracies make the meaning unclear	1-2	Some major points missed out	1-2	Some attempt at verbs	1-2

You have just had a very pleasant and eventful weekend. You are writing to your Spanish pen friend about your weekends in general. You must include the following points:

- Where you went last weekend and why
- What you visited last weekend and why
- Your opinion of the place(s) that you visited
- Where you normally go at the weekend and what activities you normally do
- Your opinion of your normal weekend
- What you normally wear at the weekend
- Where you are going to next weekend and why
- What you would like to do in a future weekend and why

SPANISH YEAR 9 REVISION – GENERAL LANGUAGE

**GIVING PERSONAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOURSELF:**

Learn these sentences to give basic information about yourself:

Me llamo **Antonio[a]**.

Soy **español[a] / inglés-inglesa**, de **Madrid / Solihull**.

Tengo **trece / catorce** años.

Mi cumpleaños es el **18 de agosto**.

*My name is **Antonio[a]**.*

*I am **Spanish / English**, from **Madrid / Solihull**.*

*I am **thirteen / fourteen** years old.*

*My birthday is on **18th August**.*

**TALKING ABOUT YOUR FAMILY:**

Describing your family members:

En mi familia somos **cinco: mi padre, mi madre, mi hermana, mi hermano y yo**.

*There are **five** people in my family: **my dad, my mum, my sister, my brother and me**.*

Mi hermano se llama **José** y tiene **doce** años.

Mi hermana se llama **Eva** y tiene **veinte** años.

*My brother's name is **José** and he's **twelve** years old.*

*My sister's name is **Eva** and she's **twenty** years old.*

También tenemos un **perro / gato / conejo** se llama **Toby** y es **blanco y negro**.

*We also have a **dog / cat / rabbit** whose name is **Toby** and it's **black and white**.*

Mis abuelos se llaman **Javier** y **María** y viven en **Madrid**.

*My grandparents' names are **Javier** and **María** and they live in **Madrid**.*

**SAYING WHAT YOU LIKE AND YOU DON'T LIKE**

Me encanta(n)

*I love...*

Me gusta(n) mucho

*I really like...*

Me gusta(n)

*I like...*

No me gusta(n)

*I don't like...*

No me gusta(n) nada

*I don't like... at all*

Odio

*I hate*

\*Remember you need to add an 'N' when the word following *me encanta* or *me gusta* is plural, that is if it has 'los' or 'las' in front of it.

For example:

Me gusta **el** queso

Me gustan **los** tomates

Me encanta **la** sopa

Me encantan **las** salchichas

## BREAKFAST, LUNCH and DINNER

Desayuno **cereales** y **leche**. Para comer, como **pasta** de primer plato, como **carne** de segundo plato y como **flan** de postre

*I have **cereals** and **milk** for breakfast. For lunch, I have **pasta** as a starter, I have **meat** as a main course and I have **crème caramel** for dessert.*

Ceno **ensalada** de primer plato, **pollo** de segundo plato y **helado** de postre  
*I have a **salad** for dinner, **chicken** as a main course and **ice cream** for desert*

## DESCRIBING FOOD

sano	<i>healthy</i>	delicioso	<i>delicious</i>
rico	<i>rich</i>	grasiento	<i>greasy</i>
salado	<i>savoury</i>	nutritivo	<i>nutritious</i>
sabroso	<i>tasty</i>	dulce	<i>sweet</i>
picante	<i>spicy</i>		

**El** pescado es sabroso.

**Fish** is tasty.

**La** carne es sabrosa.

**Meat** is tasty.

**Los** perritos calientes son grasientos.

**Hot dogs** are greasy.

**Las** salchichas son grasientas.

**Sausages** are greasy.

Me gusta la comida rápida / india / china / italiana / mexicana / vegetariana / caribeña  
*I like fast / Indian / Chinese / Italian / Mexican / vegetarian / Caribbean food*

## QUANTITIES

una botella de limonada  
200 gramos de queso  
250 gramos de jamón  
una barra de pan  
un cartón de leche  
una docena de huevos  
un paquete de galletas  
una caja de pasteles  
una lata de sardinas

*a bottle of lemonade  
200 grams of cheese  
250 grams of ham  
a loaf of bread  
a carton of milk  
a dozen of eggs  
a packet of biscuits  
a box of cakes  
a tin of sardines*



## CLOTHES

Español	English	Español	English
una blusa	<i>a blouse</i>	unos zapatos	<i>a pair of shoes</i>
una falda	<i>a skirt</i>	una chaqueta	<i>a jacket</i>
un jersey	<i>a jumper</i>	una camiseta	<i>a T-shirt</i>
unas botas	<i>a pair of boots</i>	unos vaqueros	<i>a pair of jeans</i>
una camisa	<i>a shirt</i>	unas zapatillas	<i>a pair of trainers</i>
unos pantalones	<i>a pair of trousers</i>	un cinturón	<i>a belt</i>
unos calcetines	<i>a pair of socks</i>	una gorra	<i>a cap</i>

## DESCRIBING THE COLOUR OF ITEMS OF CLOTHING

negro	<i>black</i>	blanco	<i>white</i>
rojo	<i>red</i>	amarillo	<i>yellow</i>
verde	<i>green</i>	marrón	<i>brown</i>
rosa	<i>pink</i>	naranja	<i>orange</i>
gris	<i>grey</i>	azul	<i>blue</i>
<b>un jersey negro</b>		<i>a black jumper</i>	
<b>una chaqueta negra</b>		<i>a black jacket</i>	
<b>un jersey azul</b>		<i>a blue jumper</i>	
<b>una chaqueta azul</b>		<i>a blue jacket</i>	

## THE SHOPS

Español	English	Español	English
la zapatería	<i>shoe shop</i>	la pastelería	<i>cake shop</i>
la joyería	<i>jewelry shop</i>	la panadería	<i>bakery</i>
la droguería	<i>drug store</i>	la carnicería	<i>butcher's</i>
la frutería	<i>fruit shop</i>	la pescadería	<i>fishmonger's</i>
la librería	<i>bookshop</i>	la farmacia	<i>pharmacist's</i>

## WHERE TO BUY PRODUCTS

¿Dónde puedo comprar pan?	
	<i>fruta?</i>
	<i>pasteles?</i>
	<i>aspirinas?</i>
<i>Where can I buy</i>	<i>bread?</i>
	<i>fruit?</i>
	<i>cakes?</i>
	<i>aspirins?</i>

Puedes comprarlo / comprarla / comprarlos / comprarlas

en la panadería / en la frutería / en la pastelería / en la farmacia

*You can buy it / them*

*in the bakery / in the fruit shop / in the cake shop / in the pharmacist's*

## WRITING A LETTER ABOUT YOUR FREE TIME AND HOLIDAYS

In your exam you will have to write a letter about your holidays, so follow all the steps and you'll get a very good mark. To start a letter:

Querido **Pedro**: (ending in **-o** if male)                      *Dear **Pedro***  
Querida **Sandra**: (ending in **-a** if female)                      *Dear **Sandra***

¿Cómo estás? Te voy a explicar lo que hice de vacaciones.  
*How are you? I am going to explain to you what I did while on holiday.*

Normalmente voy de vacaciones...  
**a la costa / a la sierra / a Mallorca / al campo**

*I normally go on holiday...*  
**to the coast / to the mountains / to Mallorca / to the countryside**

**en coche / en avión / en tren / en autocar / en ferry / a pie**  
**by car / by plane / by train / by coach / by ferry / walking**

**con mis padres / con mis hermanos / con unos amigos / con mis abuelos / solo**  
**with my parents / with my brothers and sisters / with my friends / with my grandparents / on my own**

y...	<b>descanso</b>	<b>me baño en el mar</b>
	<b>tomo el sol</b>	<b>voy de paseo</b>
	<b>voy de compras</b>	<b>voy a discotecas</b>
	<b>monto en bicicleta</b>	<b>saco fotos</b>
	<b>hago surfing</b>	

<i>and...</i>	<b><i>I rest</i></b>	<b><i>I swim in the sea</i></b>
	<b><i>I sunbathe</i></b>	<b><i>I go for a walk</i></b>
	<b><i>I go shopping</i></b>	<b><i>I go to clubs</i></b>
	<b><i>I ride on my bike</i></b>	<b><i>I take pictures</i></b>
	<b><i>I go surfing</i></b>	

Me gusta ir de vacaciones allí porque...  
**siempre me lo paso bien                      hace buen tiempo**  
**la gente es simpática**

*I like going there on holiday because...*  
***I always have a great time                      the weather is good***  
***people are friendly***

Sin embargo, el año pasado fui a...  
**a la costa / a la sierra / a Mallorca / al campo**

*However, last year I went to...*  
**to the coast / to the mountains / to Mallorca / to the countryside**

porque quería cambiar.  
*because I fancied a change.*

Me alojé...

**en un hotel / en un camping / en un chalet / en casa de mis abuelos**

*I stayed...*

***in a hotel / on a camping site / in a villa / at my grandparent's***

y fue...

**muy cómodo / muy incómodo.**

*and it was...*

***very comfortable / very uncomfortable.***

Hizo...

**muy buen / mal tiempo y**

***The weather was good / bad and***

había muchas cosas que hacer...

**se pueden ver espectáculos**

**se puede jugar en el campo de golf**

**se puede ir a un parque temático**

**se puede ir a pasear**

*there were many things to do...*

***you can see a show***

***you can go to a golf course***

***you can go to a theme park***

***you can go for a walk***

Durante mis vacaciones...

**visité muchos sitios**

**comí en restaurantes**

*On my holiday...*

***I visited many places***

***I ate in restaurants***

**hice deporte / fui de compras / fui de excursión / tomé el sol / escribí postales**

***I did sport / I went shopping / I went on a trip / I sunbathed / I wrote postcards***

El sábado por la mañana visité...

**la catedral / el castillo / un museo**

*On Saturday morning I visited...*

***the cathedra / the castle / a museum***

y... **me gustó mucho / no me gustó nada.**

*and... I really liked it / I didn't like it at all.*

Por la tarde fui de compras y compré...

**una camiseta negra / una gorra negra / unos zapatos negros.**

*In the afternoon I went shopping and I bought...*

**a black T-shirt / a black cap / a pair of black shoes.**

También compré **una camiseta** para **mi madre / mi padre / mi hermana / mi hermano / mi abuelo / mi abuela / mi amigo**

*I also bought a T-shirt for my mum / my dad / my sister / my brother / my granddad / my grandma / my friend*

El domingo mis padres...

**se despertaron a las siete**

**se bañaron en el río**

**fueron al bosque**

**visitaron el castillo**

*On Sunday my parents...*

**got up at seven**

**swam in the river**

**went to the forest**

**visited the castle**

y mi hermano / mi hermana...

**fue de compras / fue de paseo.**

and **my brother / my sister...**

**went shopping / went for a walk.**

El último día fui a una discoteca...

**con mi hermano / con mi hermana / con mis padres / con un amigo**

*The last day I went to a club...*

**with my brother / with my sister / with my parents / with a friend**

y nos lo pasamos fenomenal.

*and we had a great time.*

El año que viene queremos ir a otro sitio.

*Next year we want to go somewhere else.*

Vamos a ir...

**a la costa / a la sierra / a Mallorca / al campo**

*We are going to go...*

**to the coast / to the mountains / to Mallorca / to the countryside**

porque...

**hace más calor / es más relajante / me gusta más**

*because...*

**it is hotter / it is more relaxing / I like it more**



## TYPES OF FILMS

Talking about whether you like or dislike certain films and why:

(No) Me gustan las películas...

**románticas / cómicas / policíacas / de ciencia ficción / de acción  
de terror / de dibujos animados /de guerra /del oeste**

*I (don't) like.... films*

***romantic / comedy / crime / sci-fi / action  
horror / cartoons / war /westerns***

porque son...

**emocionantes / aburridas / inteligentes / divertidas / animadas  
graciosas / infantiles /interesantes / tontas**

*because they are...*

***exciting / boring /intelligent / fun / lively  
funny / childish / interesting / silly***