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EXAMEN DE ADMISIÓN 2026

ASIGNATURA: INGLÉS

NIVEL DE APLICACIÓN:

TERCERO MEDIO

NOMBRE DEL ALUMNO:

COLEGIO DE PROCEDENCIA:

FECHA:

PUNTAJE IDEAL:

PUNTAJE OBTENIDO:

%LOGRO:

NOTA:

OBSERVACIONES DEL EXAMINADOR:

- **VOCABULARY.**

A. Complete the sentences with one word.

(7 marks)

1. Can you _____ the dog for a walk?
2. I'm taking this watch _____ to the shop. It doesn't work.
3. Work _____ pairs to do this next exercise.
4. Don't run _____ the road! It's dangerous.
5. Let's _____ Fred to the party on Saturday.
6. Shall we _____ surfing tomorrow?
7. Don't _____ so much noise! I'm trying to study.

B. Complete the sentences with the correct preposition.

(8 marks)

8. Be careful when you jump _____ the swimming pool.
9. I'm not sure if I can come camping. It depends _____ my work.
10. Did you wait long _____ your plane?
11. Harry's worried _____ his driving test tomorrow.
12. Leo fell in love _____ his girlfriend soon after they met.
13. Can you pay _____ the tickets today?
14. Please write _____ me soon, and tell me all your news.
15. What kind of music do you listen _____?
16. What time did you arrive _____ school? Were you late?
(about to for at into with on)

C. Complete the sentences. Use the correct form of the verb in brackets. (8 marks)

17. My sister usually _____ (get up) at seven o'clock.
18. They _____ (not listen) to the teacher at the moment.
19. _____ you ever _____ (see) a bat?
20. She _____ (meet) her new boss last week.
21. Happy anniversary! How long _____ you _____ (be) married?
22. I don't think it _____ (snow) this week. It's too warm.
23. He _____ (cook) lunch when we arrived, so we offered to help.
24. Pizza _____ (make) with flour, oil, tomatoes and cheese.

- GRAMMAR

D. Underline the correct word(s) in each sentence. (8 marks)

25. You **must** / **mustn't** / **needn't** listen to your teacher. She's trying to help you.
26. This is the **best** / **good** / **better** museum I've ever visited.
27. This bike's **most** / **more** / **the more** expensive than mine.
28. He's eaten **too many** / **too much** / **many** cakes, and now he feels ill!
29. You **mustn't** / **don't have to** / **must** wear a uniform at work if you don't want to.
30. We had a boring weekend. We didn't have **anything** / **something** / **nothing** to do.
31. Wait! You walk **more quick** / **quickly** / **quicker** than me.
32. **Walking** / **Walk** / **To walk** in the country makes me feel great.

The woman who can remember every day of her life

As part of our series on extraordinary people, this week we find out about Rita Howard, a woman with a very unusual talent.

What was the weather like yesterday? What were you thinking about when you woke up this morning? If someone asked you these questions, you probably wouldn't find it too hard to answer. But how about remembering the same information for this date last year, or even ten years ago? Most of us find it easy to remember what happened on the most important days of our lives, but soon forget the little details of the other days, weeks, months and years. We often imagine that, without this regular 'forgetting', our brains would be too crowded with memories and thoughts. For Rita Howard, however, it's as easy to remember a day thirty years ago as it is to tell us about yesterday.

Rita can choose any date from her 68 years and say where she was, what she was doing, and what day of the week it was. For years, she had no idea that this amazing memory was anything special. She was a hard-working student who always did well at school. Then later she became a historian, a job where she had many opportunities to use her ability to memorize all the facts she'd ever learned. Even so, it was only six years ago, when she was in a research project, that scientists actually told Rita she had hyperthymesia – an unusually good memory of her own experiences. Only around 20 people worldwide have the condition.

'People began to imagine that I knew everything,' says Rita. 'Whereas, of course, I only know everything about my own life!' Another common idea is that Rita has far more memories than everyone else. 'In fact, we all have a similar number,' she comments. 'I'm just far better at finding and using mine than other people.'

As Rita reached retirement age, she wondered if her memory would get worse. Three years later, however, it's just as good as ever. 'Will that always be the case?' she asks. 'Who knows? I know all about the past, not the future!'

33. Most people don't find it difficult to remember recent events.

A True B False C Doesn't say

34. People find it easier to remember their own lives than world events.

A True B False C Doesn't say

35. We generally think that it's useful to forget small things.

A True B False C Doesn't say

36. Rita Howard is best at remembering things which happened a long time ago.

A True B False C Doesn't say

37. When she was young, Rita thought everyone had an excellent memory.

A True B False C Doesn't say

38. People noticed her ability to memorize information when she was at school.
A True B False C Doesn't say
39. People expect Rita to know about things that she hasn't experienced.
A True B False C Doesn't say
40. Everyone's brain has as many memories as Rita's.
A True B False C Doesn't say
41. Rita is working as a historian.
A True B False C Doesn't say
42. Age hasn't changed Rita's abilities.
A True B False C Doesn't say