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**PRUEBAS DE ACCESO A CICLOS FORMATIVOS DE GRADO SUPERIOR**

**RESOLUCIÓN de 16 de enero de 2023, BOA 25/01/2023**

**PARTE ESPECÍFICA**

**OPCIÓN C. HUMANIDADES Y CIENCIAS SOCIALES:**

**SEGUNDA LENGUA EXTRANJERA. INGLÉS**

**GIBRALTAR**

Gibraltar is a British territory located at the southern tip of the Iberian Peninsula. The 30,000 inhabitants who live at the foot of "the Rock" are citizens of Great Britain, even though the Spanish have wanted the area back for over 300 years.

In 1704 the British and Dutch navy captured Gibraltar. A few years later the British took control of the area. It has served as a military base since then. The territory's citizens have been called to decide on their future twice in the last 50 years. In both referendums they overwhelmingly voted to stay British. Today, Gibraltar governs itself, but many issues are the responsibility of the British Crown.

Gibraltar has been very important throughout very important events in history. It has always been of vital strategic importance because whoever controls Gibraltar controls the entrance to the Mediterranean Sea. During World War II its people left the land and the colony was turned into a fortress.

In the second half of the 20th century the relationship between Spain and Britain deteriorated and for a short time the border between Spain and Gibraltar was closed.

When Spain joined the EU in 1986 relationships started to become normal again.

The Rock of Gibraltar is the country's only landmark. Thousands of tourists come to visit the Rock every year. A cable car brings you to the top of the mountain, from where you get a breathtaking view of the Strait of Gibraltar and see as far as the African coast, only a few miles away. The Rock of Gibraltar has also become a nature reserve, most animals and plants are



protected by law. Apart from migrating birds that visit Gibraltar, it is famous for its small monkeys, or rock apes that live there.

Gibraltar's economy focuses on trade, shipping and tourism. In the past years it has become an important place for online gaming services because of low taxes. Gibraltar also attracts cruise ships, which stop over for a day trip.

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**1. Are these sentences true or false according to the text? Please write**

**“TRUE” or “FALSE” next to each sentence and justify your answers by QUOTING THE RELEVANT INFORMATION FROM THE TEXT: (2 marks).**

a. People from Gibraltar voted to continue being part of Great Britain.

b. The Spain / Gibraltar border has always been open.

**2. Answer the following questions with information from the text, but USING YOUR OWN WORDS: (2 marks)**

a. Why has Gibraltar been important in history?

b. What can tourists do or see when they visit the Rock of Gibraltar?



**3. Match up the words from the text with their synonyms or definitions.**

**Write the letters on the spaces provided: (1,5 marks)**

1. citizens (line 2) \_\_\_\_\_ a) amazing, beautiful
2. deteriorated (line 13) \_\_\_\_\_ b) became a member of
3. joined (line 14) \_\_\_\_\_ c) became weaker or worse
4. breathtaking (line 17) \_\_\_\_\_ d) help or work that a company gives you
5. trade (line 21) \_\_\_\_\_ e) people who live in a city/country and have rights there
6. services (line 22) \_\_\_\_\_ f) to buy and sell things

**4. Choose the correct answer: (1,5 marks)**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ the Rock of Gibraltar before?  
a) Have you visited                      c) Did you have visited  
b) Did you visited                      d) Do you visited
2. Because of the fog, the planes \_\_\_\_\_ take off. It was impossible.  
a) mustn't    b) don't have to    c) needn't                      d) couldn't
3. The sea conditions were so bad that many ship cruises \_\_\_\_\_ to leave the shore.  
a) didn't allowed                      c) hadn't allowed  
b) weren't allowed                      d) haven't allowed
4. Many online gaming services settle down in Gibraltar \_\_\_\_\_ low taxes.  
a) since                      b) however                      c) due to                      d) although
5. There is a cable car \_\_\_\_\_ brings you to the top of the mountain.  
a) whose                      b) what                      c) where                      d) that
6. We would have seen the African coast if we \_\_\_\_\_ to the top of the Rock.  
a) would have climbed                      b) would climb                      c) had climbed                      d) climbed



**5. Write a composition (100-120 words) choosing ONE of the following topics. (3 marks)**

- a. Describe a place you visited in your country. Why is it famous? What can you do there? Why people like going there?
- b. Online games can be addictive and dangerous. Do you agree? Give reasons to support your opinion.



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