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Convocatoria de 17 de junio de 2021 (Resolución de 22 de febrero de 2021)

DATOS DEL ASPIRANTE	CALIFICACIÓN
Apellidos:	
Nombre: D.N.I.:	

GRADO SUPERIOR – PARTE COMÚN LENGUA EXTRANJERA-INGLÉS

Mantenga su **DNI en lugar visible** durante la realización de la prueba.

Lea detenidamente los **enunciados** de las cuestiones.

Cuide la presentación (orden, claridad y limpieza). **Destaque las soluciones.**

Duración de la prueba: 1 HORA

MANY YOUNG ADULTS IN THE US LIVE WITH THEIR PARENTS

A new study from the Pew Research Centre revealed that most American adults younger than 30 years old are now living with their parents. The number of 18 to 30-year-old young people who live at home has increased. Around 52 per cent, or 26.6 million, of young people in the USA are at home with one or both parents. Researchers say that there have not been so many young people living with parents since 1940. The percentage was only higher in the Great Depression of the 1930s. The researchers say there has been a recent increase in the number of young adults moving back in with their parents. Some contributory factors to this are the economic downfall and a high level of unemployment caused by coronavirus.

Regarding to the economy, financial analyst Jeremy Sopko said: "You have to take into account two big factors: the debt of the students' credits and the absence of available work." He added "It's a difficult situation that has been aggravated by the pandemic and it may take almost a decade for younger demographics to recover and be financially stable enough to leave home." He concluded: "Most of young people do not want to be living at home with mom and dad." Another analyst said the tendency could negatively affect the property rental market. She said that with young people not moving into cities and renting, there are many empty apartments.

<http://breakingnewsenglish.com/english-news-readings.html>

Question 1 (2 points) Indicate whether the following statements are TRUE or FALSE and write down the part of the text which justifies your answer.

TRUE FALSE

1. The article says over half of young adults worldwide live with their parents.

2. A greater percentage of young adults lived at home in the 1930s.

3. It could take nearly 10 years for young adults to be able to leave home.

4. An analyst said a great part of young adults want to live with their parents.

Question 2 (2 points) Answer the following questions in your own words.

1. How has coronavirus influenced the return of young people to their parents' house?

2. Why are there many empty apartments in cities?

Question 3 (1.5 points) Find the words in the text that mean the same as the following:

1. scientists (*paragraph 1*) _____

2. elements (*paragraph 1*) _____

3. influence (*paragraph 2*) _____

Question 4 (1.5 points) Complete these sentences with the correct structure.

1. An interesting report _____ published last week by the Pew Research Center. (*passive*)
2. The people _____ lived in the 1930s experienced a great economic crisis. (*relative pronoun*)
3. Young people _____ be able to rent a house if we recover soon from the economic crisis
(*conditional sentence*)

Question 5 (3 points) Write a short essay (about 100 words) on ONE of the following topics.

- a) Advantages and disadvantages of living with parents
- b) The pandemic is having enormous effects on young people