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EJERCICIO 1: GREAT APARTMENT LIVING

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| 10 | A | <input type="radio"/> B | C |

EJERCICIO 2: CHILDREN FROM RUSSIA

- 1 1986
- 2 damage
- 3 died
- 4 average
- 5 birth
- 6 raise/collect
- 7 summer
- 8 highest
- 9 outdoor
- 10 miss

<p>No se deben penalizar los errores ortográficos en este ejercicio</p>

EJERCICIO 1**GREAT APARTMENT LIVING**

www.esl-lab.com

Listen to someone making a phone call to get information about an apartment for rent. For questions 1-10 choose the best answer A, B or C. Only **ONE** answer is correct. **DON'T FORGET TO TRANSFER ALL YOUR ANSWERS TO THE ANSWER SHEET.**

1 The apartment

- A was built in the 1990s
- B has been rebuilt recently
- C was built at the beginning of the 20th century

2 The apartment

- A is unfurnished
- B is fully furnished
- C has some furniture

3 She thinks the rent is

- A cheap
- B adequate
- C expensive

4 The contract requires a minimum stay of

- A one year
- B one month
- C six months

5 If she moves out and the apartment is in good shape,

- A she will get a full deposit
- B she will get half the deposit
- C they will take away some money for maintenance

6 How close is the apartment to the university campus?

- A She will have to drive
- B It is 8 minutes to the campus
- C She may need to use public transport

7 The apartment is

- A in a very busy area
- B in a very quiet part of town
- C ten minutes from the shopping centre

8 She can park her car .

- A on the street
- B in a public car park
- C in the apartment private car park

9 the following morning.

- A She won't be able to see the apartment
- B The apartment might not be available anymore
- C Somebody else is already going to see the apartment

10 In the apartment are allowed.

- A all kinds of pets
- B small-sized pets
- C only cats and dogs

EJERCICIO 2**CHILDREN FROM RUSSIA**

www.cdlponline.org

Listen to a man saying what an American charity does to help children from Chernobyl and complete each space in the summary with ONE word or number. DON'T FORGET TO TRANSFER ALL YOUR ANSWERS TO THE ANSWER SHEET.

There was an explosion in the year 1 .

It provoked extensive 2 due to the radiation.

Over 50 people 3 as a result of the explosion.

Apart from this, the chances of getting cancer are now much higher than the world 4 .

Many children have illnesses and the number of 5 defects has increased since then.

A group of American people have created a charity to 6 money to bring the children in the area to the States every 7 when the radiation is the 8 .

The children who came to the USA enjoyed the food, the clean air and many 9 activities.

A member of this charity said that the kids who take part in this project do not 10 as much school when they go back to Ukraine.

EJERCICIO 1**GREAT APARTMENT LIVING**

Apartment Owner: Hello.

Caller: Hi. I'm calling about the ad for the apartment found in today's newspaper.

Apartment Owner: Okay.

Caller: I'm kind of desperate, and I need something right away.

Apartment Owner: Okay. What would you like to know?

Caller: First of all, how big is it?

Apartment Owner: It's a two-bedroom apartment with a living room, dining room and kitchen, and one bathroom. There's also a place for a washer and dryer.

Caller: Okay, and how old is the apartment complex?

Apartment Owner: Well, let's just say it has a lot of history. To be honest, my great grandfather built it during the 1920s, but it's a very sturdy and sound structure.

Caller: Oh, and . . . so, is the apartment furnished at all?

Apartment Owner: Oh, yeah. The apartment is partially furnished with a refrigerator, stove, and my grandmother's old dishwasher.

Caller: Your grandmother's old dishwasher? Okay. What's the rent?

Apartment Owner: It's \$950 a month.

Apartment Owner: Whoa. That is a little steep for me.

Caller: But you could always split the cost with a roommate.

Caller: Perhaps. Does that include utilities?

Caller: Well, the rent includes gas and electricity, but not the phone bill. And the water pump is right out the back door.

Caller: Water pump! [Yeah.] Oh, yeah. Well, can I rent month-to-month, or do I have to sign a lease for a longer period of time?

Apartment Owner: We require a 6-month commitment for the apartment, and if you cancel the agreement anytime during that period, hey . . . you lose your deposit.

Caller: Oh, and how much is the deposit?

Apartment Owner: It's \$400, and, of course, this money is used to repair damage or general wear and tear on our apartment, like the leaks in the old roof from last year's snow storm. Man, that was ugly. Plaster falling down from the ceiling. And I didn't even know there was a rat's nest up there, but we got that taken care of.

Caller: A what? Do I get my deposit back after I move out? That's assuming that I even move in.

Apartment Owner: Generally speaking, we return the deposit, minus a small fee for, you know, cleaning the apartment for the next tenant, but if you trash the place, then don't expect to get anything back.

Caller: Okay. Oh, um . . . how close is the apartment to the university campus?

Apartment Owner: It's about eight blocks from campus, but you can catch a number of buses right out in front.

Caller: Oh, so, then, if there's a busy road out front, is it noisy?

Apartment Owner: Well, there are always trade-offs: it's a little noisy with the road outside and the airport behind you, but the place is really convenient because there's a supermarket and shopping center right across the street. Just keep the windows closed and a pair of ear plugs handy, and you'll be fine.

Caller: Okay, and one last question. Are there parking spaces for tenants?

Apartment Owner: Yeah. The apartment has two covered parking spaces, which are really convenient during certain times of the year.

Caller: Uh . . . I don't know. Is it possible for me to drop by and visit the apartment tomorrow morning?

Apartment Owner: Sure, but just remember we rent the apartment on a first-come, first-serve basis, so there's no guarantee it'll still be available then.

Caller: Okay. Thanks. Um . . . and where exactly is the apartment located?

Apartment Owner: It's one block west of the waste water treatment plant.

Caller: Ah . . . Are pets allowed?

Apartment Owner: Well, you can keep small pets like a hamster in a small cage, but we don't allow larger animals like dogs, cats, or snakes. Things like that.

Caller: Um, I have a rat . . .

Apartment Owner: You don't have anything like that, do you?

Caller: Well, I have a rat that I keep in a cage. Will that be okay?

Apartment Owner: Well, as long it doesn't escape, I guess that's okay.

Caller: And what's your name?

Apartment Owner: It's Norman. Norman Bates.

Caller: Alright, Mr. Bates. I'll see you tomorrow. Bye.

Apartment Owner: Bye.

EJERCICIO 2

CHILDREN FROM RUSSIA

In the year 1986 there was a terrible explosion. The explosion was at a nuclear power plant in another country called Ukraine. The radiation caused a lot of damage. It contaminated the soil and other things. People lived in the area when the explosion happened. Twenty years later those people are still suffering. Effects from the explosion will go on for a long time.

Over two million people still live in the contaminated areas. Only 56 people died from the explosion but many other problems have been caused because of it. Some types of cancer are more than 200 times above world average. Many children have cancer now and birth defects have doubled since the accident.

Some people in the United States are worried about the children living there. One group has been trying to raise money. They are called the Chernobyl's Children's Project. They want to bring children from the Ukraine to the U.S. each summer.

A spokesperson for the group says that radiation is the highest in the summertime so it is a good time to get the children out of the country. They want to help the children get away for a little while. The Project wants them to be safe from radiation.

It costs \$1,500 to bring each child to the United States for six weeks. The group raised enough money to bring 28 children to the United States. The children were able to do lots of fun things. They enjoyed clean air, healthy food, and plenty of outdoor fun.

One little nine year-old girl who got to come to the United States said that she likes America.

A spokesperson for the Project said that the children that come to America during the summer miss less school when they return home.