



# Spanish Second Year – Self-Assessment Test

**Self-assessment for those considering enrolment into the Spanish Second Year course at Professional and Continuing Education (PACE)**

*Ideally, this self-assessment is to be completed in 20-25 minutes. Please do not refer to a dictionary or any other reference material when attempting the self-assessment.*

*There are 4 sections in the self-assessment:*

<i>Section A</i>	<i>.../15 marks</i>
<i>Essential words and phrases in Spanish</i>	
<i>Section B</i>	<i>.../10 marks</i>
<i>Use of gender and singular and plural</i>	
<i>Section C</i>	<i>.../10 marks</i>
<i>Personal pronouns and basic conjugation</i>	
<i>Section D</i>	<i>.../5 marks</i>
<i>Telling the time</i>	
<i>Total</i>	<i>.../40 marks</i>

*Once you've completed the self-assessment, check your [answers](#) to determine your score.*

**A score of 24 marks and above would suggest that you are able to cope with content covered in PACE's Second Year course.**



**Section A. Essential words and phrases in Spanish (15 marks).**

Numbers and colours in Spanish. Match the right answer.

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|------------|--------|
| 1. Five    | Cuatro |
| 2. Eight   | Diez   |
| 3. One     | Cinco  |
| 4. Four    | Ocho   |
| 5. Ten     | Uno    |
| 6. Rojo    | Black  |
| 7. Verde   | Blue   |
| 8. Negro   | White  |
| 9. Azul    | Red    |
| 10. Blanco | Green  |

Use of “Los saludos” (saluting). Select the correct answer (a, b or c).

11. Buenos Días
- a) Good evening
  - b) Good bye
  - c) Good morning

12. Buenas Tardes
- a) Good night
  - b) Good afternoon
  - c) Good morning

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13. ¿Cómo está usted?
- a) What's the time?
  - b) How is your day going?
  - c) How are you?

14. Hasta luego
- a) See you later
  - b) Hi there!
  - c) Morning!



15. Buenas Noches

- a) Good afternoon
- b) Good evening
- c) Have a great day

**Section B. Use of genders and singular or plural. (10 marks)**

Choose the correct gender word with “a” or “o”

- 1. El gato es hermos... (a/o). [The cat is beautiful]
- 2. El día es bonit... (a/o). [The day is nice]
- 3. La película es buen... (a/o). [The film is good]
- 4. El chocolate es delicios... (a/o). [Chocolate is delicious].
- 5. Mama esta enojad... (a/o). [Mum is angry]

Choose the correct word for the sentences below.

- 6. \_\_\_ niña es bonita. (El / La / Los / Las)
- 7. \_\_\_ perro es grande. (El / La / Los / Las)
- 8. \_\_\_ mujer lleva un sombrero (El / La / Los / Las)
- 9. \_\_\_ hombres son inteligentes (El / La / Los / Las)
- 10. \_\_\_ hermanas de mi padre son mis tías (El / La / Los / Las)



### Section C. Personal Pronouns and Basic Conjugation (10 marks)

Write the correct pronoun before the conjugated form of “hablar” (to speak).

Use the following list to complete the blank spaces:

- Tu
- El
- Ellos
- Nosotros
- Ustedes

1. \_\_\_\_ habla. *He speaks.*
2. \_\_\_\_ hablamos. *We speak.*
3. \_\_\_\_ hablan. *You (all) speak.*
4. \_\_\_\_ hablan. *They speak.*
5. \_\_\_\_ hablas. *You speak.*

Write the correct conjugation form of verb “comer” (to eat).

Use the following list to complete the blank spaces:

- comen
- come
- comemos
- comes
- como

6. Nosotros \_\_\_\_ una pizza. *We eat a pizza.*
7. Yo \_\_\_\_ un emparedado. *I eat a sandwich*
8. Ella \_\_\_\_ una pera. *She eats a pear.*
9. Tu \_\_\_\_ una ensalada. *You eat a salad.*
10. Ellas \_\_\_\_ sushi. *They eat sushi.*



### Section D. Telling the time (5 marks)

Fill the empty line with the correct answer:

- Son las siete
- Son las once
- Son las cinco
- Son las cuatro
- Son las seis



1)

\_\_\_\_\_

2)

\_\_\_\_\_

3)

\_\_\_\_\_

4)

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5)

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