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<b>ASIGNATURA /AREA/DIMENSIONES</b>	<b>ING</b>	<b>GRADO:</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>PERÍODO</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>AÑO:</b>	<b>2024</b>
<b>NOMBRE DEL ESTUDIANTE</b>			

**DESEMPEÑOS:** Elaborar cuestionarios en inglés de forma correcta.

**ACTIVIDADES PRÁCTICAS A DESARROLLAR INCLUYENDO BIBLIOGRAFIA DONDE SE PUEDA ENCONTRAR INFORMACIÓN: (ACTIVIDADES FLEXIBLES Y AJUSTES RAZONABLES)**

**1. Para el trabajo escrito:**

Traducir las 3 páginas que están abajo y presentarlas al docente.

**2. Para la sustentación:**

Sacar el glosario de las palabras desconocidas y aprenderlas.

**METODOLOGIA DE LA EVALUACIÓN: (EVALUACION FLEXIBILIZADA CON AJUSTES RAZONABLES)**

- **Trabajo escrito: valor 50%**
- **Sustentación: valor 50%**

**RECURSOS:** En las siguientes hojas encontrará el texto a traducir y responder el cuestionario, recuerda que la sustentación consiste en resolver uno de los cuestionarios trabajados.

**OBSERVACIONES:** Se recomienda que el estudiante no traduzca mediante ninguna aplicación, deberá hacerlo con el conocimiento adquirido durante el proceso académico.

<b>FECHA DE ENTREGA DEL TRABAJO:</b>	<b>FECHA DE SUSTENTACIÓN Y/O EVALUACIÓN:</b>
<b>NOMBRE DEL EDUCADOR(A):</b> Jhon Heiler Garcia Mosquera	<b>FIRMA DEL EDUCADOR(A)</b>
<b>FIRMA DEL ESTUDIANTE</b>	<b>FIRMA DEL PADRE DE FAMILIA</b>



## Yellowstone National Park (B1)

Yellowstone National Park, located in Idaho, Montana, and Wyoming, was established as the first national park in the United States. The park is a popular destination for visitors who enjoy ecological tourism as it offers forests, mountains, and abundant ecosystems to explore. Some of Yellowstone's most well-known landmarks are its geothermal hot springs and geysers, the most famous of which is named Old Faithful.

Last fall, Lisa and her friends decided to take a camping trip to Yellowstone National Park. They arranged to stay at one of the park's many convenient campsites. For their camping trip, they brought their backpacks, sleeping bags, and a cooler of food and drinks. They pitched their tents immediately upon arriving to their campsite. During their trip, Lisa and her friends hiked the many trails of the park, exploring its natural surroundings. In the forest, they saw a lot of local wildlife. Lisa was surprised to see a family of grizzly bears, some gray wolves, and even bald eagles flying overhead. Outside of the woods, they admired the beauty of some of Yellowstone's natural cascades.

Since Yellowstone contains many hot springs and the world's largest area of active geysers, Lisa and her friends visited many different geyser sites. They even spent an afternoon swimming in Yellowstone's Boiling River. Of all of the sites, Lisa and her friends agreed that Old Faithful was the most impressive. Lisa and her friends waited patiently for the geyser to erupt. After about 40 minutes, a stream of boiling water over 100 feet tall sprayed from the ground and up into the air. Fortunately, no one got wet!

### Did you understand the text?

1) **Yellowstone is an important national park in the United States because:**

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|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> a) It is the country's first national park.          | <input type="checkbox"/> b) It is the largest U.S. national park.      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> c) It is the most ecologically diverse natural park. | <input type="checkbox"/> d) It is the most visited U.S. national park. |

2) **When did Lisa and her friends visit Yellowstone National Park?**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> a) Last spring | <input type="checkbox"/> b) Last summer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> c) Last autumn | <input type="checkbox"/> d) Last winter |

3) **Where did Lisa and her friends stay during their visit to the park?**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> a) In a log cabin | <input type="checkbox"/> b) In a rental home |
| <input type="checkbox"/> c) At a hotel     | <input type="checkbox"/> d) At a campground  |

4) **All of the following are animals that Lisa saw during her trip except:**

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|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> a) Grizzly bears | <input type="checkbox"/> b) Wild horses |
| <input type="checkbox"/> c) Gray wolves   | <input type="checkbox"/> d) Bald eagles |

5) **Why did Lisa and her friends wait patiently when visiting Old Faithful?**

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|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> a) They arrived an hour before the geyser opened to the public. | <input type="checkbox"/> b) They were still wet from swimming in the Boiling River. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> c) There was a long line to see the geyser.                     | <input type="checkbox"/> d) The geyser took about 40 minutes to erupt.              |



## Washington, D.C. (B1)

Yesterday, Stephen returned from a trip to Washington, D.C., the capital of the United States. His visit took place during the week prior to the Fourth of July. Logically, there were many activities and celebrations in town in preparation for Independence Day. During his stay in the city, Stephen visited a lot of important historical sites and monuments, and he left with a deeper understanding of the political history of the United States.

Stephen spent a lot of time outdoors exploring the important monuments surrounding Capitol Hill. Of course, he saw the White House from its outside gate at 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue. Stephen also visited the Washington Monument, the Jefferson Memorial, and the Lincoln Memorial. These statues and pavilions are dedicated to former U.S. presidents. They commemorate the contributions that these leaders made throughout American history. Washington, D.C. also has several war memorials dedicated to fallen soldiers during the major wars of the 20th century.

Away from the Capitol Hill area, Washington, D.C. has many museums and art galleries worth visiting. Stephen enjoyed his visit to Washington, D.C. because he learned a lot more about American history after touring each important landmark.

### Did you understand the text?

1) Why is Washington, D.C. important for the United States?

- a) It is a great vacation spot.
- b) It's where the Fourth of July was first celebrated.
- c) It offers the most outdoor tourism.
- d) It is the nation's capital.

2) Which phrase best describes "the Fourth of July" in the United States?

- a) Washington, D.C.
- b) Independence Day
- c) American history
- d) Capitol Hill

3) "1600 Pennsylvania Avenue" represents:

- a) Washington D.C.'s main downtown area
- b) The name of Stephen's hotel
- c) The location of the Washington Monument
- d) The White House's address

4) Washington, Jefferson, and Lincoln can best be identified as:

- a) Presidents
- b) Senators
- c) War Heroes
- d) Buildings

5) Apart from Capitol Hill, what else does Washington, D.C. offer for tourists to visit?

- a) Tall skyscrapers
- b) A theme park
- c) Art galleries and museums
- d) America's largest shopping mall



## Valentine's Day (B1)

Valentine's Day (or Saint Valentine's Day) is a holiday that, in the United States, takes place on February 14, and technically signifies the accomplishments of St. Valentine, a third-century Roman saint.

With that said, most Americans, instead of honoring St. Valentine through religious ceremony, enjoy the holiday by engaging in "romantic" behavior with their significant other or someone who they wish to be their significant other; gifts, special dinners, and other acknowledgements of affection comprise most individuals' Valentine's Day celebrations.

Chocolates and flowers are commonly given as gifts during Valentine's Day, as are accompanying greeting cards (greeting card companies release new Valentine's Day designs annually). Red and pink are generally understood to be "the colors" of Valentine's Day, and many individuals, instead of celebrating romantically, spend the holiday with their friends and/or family members.

Variations of Valentine's Day are celebrated across the globe throughout the year. In America, the holiday, although acknowledged by the vast majority of the population, isn't federally recognized; no time off work is granted for Valentine's Day.

### Did you understand the text?

1) **When does Valentine's Day take place in the United States?**

- a) February 1
- b) February 14
- c) Throughout February
- d) A and B

2) **What does Valentine's Day technically signify?**

- a) The accomplishments of St. Valentine
- b) Love throughout the ages
- c) The fun of gifts
- d) None of the above

3) **Which of the following gifts are commonly given on Valentine's Day?**

- a) Chocolates
- b) Flowers
- c) Greeting cards
- d) All of the Above

4) **Besides in the US, where is Valentine's Day celebrated?**

- a) In Europe and South America
- b) In Oceania and Western Europe
- c) Across the globe
- d) In the United Kingdom

5) **Which colors are generally understood to represent Valentine's Day?**

- a) Red
- b) Green
- c) Pink
- d) A and C



## Thanksgiving (B1)

Thanksgiving is a holiday celebrated predominantly in North America, and it possesses a different meaning in each of the countries where it's acknowledged.

In the United States, Thanksgiving is a federal holiday (meaning all government employees and most private employees are given a day off of work), and always takes place on the Fourth Thursday in November, regardless of the date.

The holiday signifies the immense progress made by pilgrims, or some of the first travelers to North America, at Plymouth Plantation circa 1621. It was at this time that the hungry and weary Pilgrims were taught (by Native Americans) how to grow and produce food on North America's unique terrain. Once they'd grown (and caught) an abundance of food, the Pilgrims were expectedly thankful, and they celebrated alongside the Native Americans who provided them with such valuable assistance. President Abraham Lincoln initiated the contemporary practice of Thanksgiving by calling for a "day of Thanksgiving" during one of his Civil War addresses.

In America today, Thanksgiving remains firmly engrained in its historical roots, and is widely considered to be a day for giving thanks for good food, good times, and family. Thanksgiving dinner generally consists of turkey, mashed potatoes, stuffing, vegetables, gravy, and ample desserts. To be sure, indulging in abundance is a cornerstone of the holiday, as doing so could only be possible if one possesses abundance.

### Did you understand the text?

#### 1) When is Thanksgiving celebrated in the US?

- a) November 25
- b) Four weeks before Christmas
- c) Throughout November
- d) The Fourth Thursday in November

#### 2) Which event(s) began the tradition of Thanksgiving?

- a) The pilgrims' food-creation success and largescale celebratory dinner
- b) Nobody is certain
- c) An address delivered by President Lincoln
- d) A and C

#### 3) Which food(s) are often prepared for Thanksgiving dinner?

- a) Turkey
- b) Potatoes
- c) Stuffing
- d) All of the above



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**Where is Thanksgiving celebrated?**

- a) Only in America
- b) Only in Canada
- c) In English speaking countries
- d) Throughout North America and some other parts of the world, albeit in different forms and on different dates

**What is the meaning of Thanksgiving's federal holiday status?**

- a) The federal government instructs all citizens to celebrate Thanksgiving
- b) Only federal government employees celebrate Thanksgiving
- c) All federal employees and many other workers are given a day off for Thanksgiving
- d) It's difficult to say for sure