Inglés Intermedio 15. The story of LEGO



Hello again!

We have a new video activity for this week.

I've found a very interesting short animation film about *the story of LEGO toys.* I hope you enjoy it as much as I did.

You can watch the movie here **The story of LEGO** Remember that you can always enable subtitles and reduce the playback speed.



This time the **task** will be to **write a summary** of the film. 12 (lines (+/-). 4 paragraphs. (120 words) Paragraph 1: Introduction (2, 3 lines). when?, where?, who?. Paragraph 2: (3,4 lines). what? Paragraph 3: (3,4 lines). how? Paragraph 4: Conclusion / personal opinion (2, 3 lines).

	ADJECTIVE	COMPARATIVE	SUPERLATIVE
One-syllable adjectives	CHEAP	CHEAP-ER	THE CHEAP-EST
Two-syllable adjectives	HEALTHY	HEALTH-I-ER	THE HEALTH-I-EST
Two-syllable adjectives not ending in "-y"	BORING	MORE BORING	THE MOST BORING
Three or more syllable adjectives	EXPENSIVE	MORE EXPENSIVE	THE MOST EXPENSIVE

Irregular comparatives:

FORMA	FORMA	FORMA	
POSITIVA	COMPARATIVA	SUPERLATIVA	
Bad	Worse	The worst	
Malo	Peor	El peor	
Good	Better	The best	
Bueno	Mejor	El mejor	
<i>Little</i>	Less	The least	
Poco	Menos	El menos	
Many	<i>More</i>	<i>The most</i>	
Muchos	Más	La mayoría	
<i>Much</i>	<i>More</i>	<i>The most</i>	
Mucho	Más	La mayor parte	
<i>Far</i> Lejos	<i>Further o Farther</i> Más lejos	<i>The farthest o the furthest</i> <i>furthest</i> El más lejano	

HOMEWORK: Read the sentences below and think if they are correct or not.

- 1. Much less water floo<u>ded</u> into the house than I expected.
- 2. There are less people here than promised to come.
- 3. Tennis is a far harder game than football.
- 4. The more you protest, more guilty you look!
- 5. This house is twice as big as the other one we saw.
- 6. Your dog is so friendlier than my one.
- 7. That company is considerably richest than that one.
- 8. That's by far the largest dam I've ever seen.

Soluciones a las actividades de la semana anterior (Inglés intermedio 14)

Completa las frases con el gerundio o el infinitivo:

- 1. Do you enjoy __dancing_ (dance)?
- 2. I promise ____to participate_____ (participate) in the organization.
- 3. Can you imagine ____living__ (live) in the Caribbean?
- 4. You have to avoid __hurting_____ (hurt) your wife's feelings.
- 5. I agree__to wash_____ (wash) the dishes every day.
- 6. Would you mind _____to come____ (come) with me?
- 7. Tom learnt_to speak____ (speak) Japanese in six months.

2.- Put the verb into the gerund or the infinitive with 'to':

- 1. She delayed _____getting___ (get) out of bed. (after delay)
- 2. I offered ____to help___ (help). (after offer)
- 3. __Running____ (run) in the morning is great. (subject)
- 4. I'd love __to come___ (come) with you. ←ojo!!! (after would love)
- 5. I am ready for __swimming____ (swim). (after preposition)
- 6. I would hate ____to arrive__ (arrive) too late. ←ojo!!! (after would hate)
- 7. It is difficult _____to pass_____ (pass) the exam. (after an adjective)
- 8. I chose ___to work____ (work) here. (after chose)
- 9. I really can't stand <u>waiting</u> (wait) for the bus. (after can't stand)
- 10. We can't afford _____ (buy) a new car. (after can't afford)
- 11. I couldn't help **_laughing__** (laugh). (after can't help)
- 12. It seems ___to be____ (be) raining. (after seem)
- 13. I considered _____ (move) to Spain. (after consider)
- 14. _Making____a cake is not very difficult (make). (subject)
- 15. She is thinking about <u>travelling</u> (travel) to Asia next summer (after preposition)

3. Completa con infinitivo o gerundio

- 1. Georgina gave up _____smoking_____ (smoke) last month.
- 2. Please, try to avoid ____watching (watch) TV to __reading_____ (read).
- 4. I'<u>d</u> hate __**to arrive**____ (arrive) too late.
- 5. I am against ____drinking_____ (drink) and (drive).
- 6. I really can't stand __waiting____ (wait) for the bus.
- 7. When Tom finished **___speaking___** (speak) he left the room.
- 8. Serafín is thinking of __leaving___ (leave) his job and __going_ (go) back to Mexico.
- 9. I couldn't help _laughing____ (laugh).
- 10. <u>I'd</u>love __to come____ (come) with you.
- 11. Imagine _living_ (live) with a woman who never wants __to talk__ (talk).
- 12. I don't enjoy __working___ (work).

Translate the following sentences:

1. Estoy acostumbrado a cocinar.

I am used to cooking

2. Veía la televisión por la noche. (Solía ver la televisión por la noche)

I used to watch TV at night

3. Me estoy acostumbrando a usar mi nuevo móvil.

I am getting used to use my new mobile phone

4. Él está acostumbrado a trabajar por la noche.

He is used to working at night

5. ¿Jugabas con los niños? (¿Solías jugar con los niños?):

Did you use to play with the kids?

6. Me acostumbré a viajar.

I got used to travelling