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**DESTREZA:  
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Datos del candidato

Apellidos: \_\_\_\_\_

Nombre: \_\_\_\_\_ N<sup>o</sup> Orden: \_\_\_\_\_

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- No abra el cuadernillo de examen hasta que se lo indique su profesor.
- Las tareas deben escribirse con bolígrafo negro o azul (no con lápiz), y en el espacio indicado. **No escriba en las zonas sombreadas.**
- Haga **todas las tareas**. Al principio de cada tarea hay un **ejemplo** ilustrativo con el número cero.
- Entregue todo el papel de borrador utilizado dentro del cuadernillo al final de la prueba.
- Permanezca en su asiento hasta que el profesor indique el final de la prueba.

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**Puntuación en la destreza por tareas:**

Tarea 1: \_\_\_\_\_ puntos

Tarea 2: \_\_\_\_\_ puntos

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## Task 1

Read the following texts where several companies offer information about different types of holidays. Decide whether the sentences in the chart below are true (T) or false (F), or whether the information is not mentioned (NM), and put a cross in the right box. *Sentence 0* has been answered as an example. (Marking: 10 x 1 = 10 points)

### HOLIDAY BROCHURES

- 1) Go on a motor boat along Europe's picturesque rivers and canals; past vineyards, castles, historic towns and colourful villages. Stop off to try the local wines, beers and cuisine. The perfect way to explore the delights of old Europe.
- 2) Join us for a long weekend or a whole delicious week of Italian cooking in Northern Lazio. We specialise in Italian food that you can recreate at home. Our staff are local food enthusiasts who want to show you the very best their region has to offer and teach you how to prepare their favourite dishes.
- 3) Flexibility, independence and choice. Go when you like, for as long as you like, walk at your own pace. We prebook your accommodation and arrange for your baggage to be moved on from inn to inn.
- 4) Serac Outdoor Sports specialises in providing outdoor activities to groups and individuals. Over the last 19 years we have delivered a programme of walking holidays and rock and ice climbing courses which offer incredible value for money.

*Adapted from © all-holiday-brochures.com*

Paragraph 1	T	F	NM	
0. <b><i>Tourists will visit different ports on a ferry.</i></b>		<b>X</b>		✓
1. Tourists have the opportunity to see beautiful villages.				
2. Tourists have to travel along the canals without any stops.				
3. The trip lasts two or three weeks, depending on the countries they visit.				
<b>Paragraph 2</b>				
4. Tourists can go on the trip for a weekend or even a week.				
5. The employees of the company will visit local markets with the tourists.				
6. When tourists go back home, they can cook the recipes that they have learnt in Italy.				
<b>Paragraph 3</b>				
7. Tourists need to travel on a fixed date.				
8. Tourists have to carry their luggage with them all the time.				
<b>Paragraph 4</b>				
9. Serac Outdoor Sports offers activities connected with physical exercise.				
10. These courses offer good quality at a good price.				
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## Task 2

Read the text and complete the chart below with a word from the list that comes after the text. Every word can only be used ONCE. There are FIVE words that you do not need to use. *Question 0* has been answered as an example. (Marking: 15 x 1 = 15 points)

### SARKOZY VS. RYANAIR

French president Nicolas Sarkozy and his girlfriend Carla Bruni are taking (0) \_\_\_\_\_ airline Ryanair to court over a picture of the couple it used in a/an (1) \_\_\_\_\_. Bruni, an ex-model, is asking (2) \_\_\_\_\_ 500,000 euros –the amount she says her photo normally (3) \_\_\_\_\_.

This advertisement appeared in French newspapers earlier (4) \_\_\_\_\_ week as part of a Ryanair promotion for reduced fares. It showed a photograph of the presidential couple with the words “With Ryanair, (5) \_\_\_\_\_ my family can attend the wedding” coming (6) \_\_\_\_\_ Ms Bruni’s head. Nicolas Sarkozy and the singer Carla Bruni (7) \_\_\_\_\_ had a much- reported romance and rumours of a marriage are very much in the air. Ryanair said that the advertisement was meant to be a (8) \_\_\_\_\_ of fun– but in France, the laws on privacy and exploitation of a person’s (9) \_\_\_\_\_ are very strict. Carla Bruni is taking the airline to court for half-a-million euros, (10) \_\_\_\_\_ this, is the amount she (11) \_\_\_\_\_ receive for the use of her picture in an advertising campaign. The president is asking for a symbolic one euro in damages.

Ryanair said it wouldn’t mind (12) \_\_\_\_\_ ten thousand euros to stop the case. But it has (13) \_\_\_\_\_ said the half-million euro claim by Ms Bruni is (14) \_\_\_\_\_ unjustified. She had, the airline has said, started an open widely publicised and internationally-reported relationship with President Sarkozy. The court will say (15) \_\_\_\_\_ the decision is next Tuesday.

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| ADVERT | COSTS   | HAVE            | NEXT    | WHAT |
| ALL    | COULD   | HAS             | ON      |      |
| ALSO   | FOR     | IMAGE           | PAYING  |      |
| AROUND | FROM    | <b>LOW-COST</b> | THIS    |      |
| BIT    | GETTING | MUCH            | TOTALLY |      |

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