

Engleski jezik

Reading Paper

Task 3

Questions 11-15

Read about Marcos Demaria.

For questions 11-15, complete the form with **one** or **two** words in each space.

Write your answer **only** here in this exam booklet.

There is an example at the beginning (0).

Marcos Demaria

Marcos Demaria was 21 when he left his country, crossing the American border illegally into California. He spoke only Spanish, and surviving in the States wasn't easy for an illegal immigrant. He spent his first days in the streets of Los Angeles with only a few dollars in his pocket, and the first job he took was as a limousine driver for a famous Hollywood actress. He did all sorts of jobs to make ends meet and pay for an English teacher. He knew he had to learn the language to become a success in the States.

He was determined to succeed in the new country and promised himself to become independent before 30. And he did. At 33, he's the most popular dog trainer in the world and his TV programme on handling dogs has become globally famous. It really was a long journey from a small restaurant back home in Mexico, where he earned his first salary cooking local dishes.

Demaria has received several awards. He is extremely proud to be the first Mexican to receive a Treasure Award. At the ceremony, he gave a speech in English and Spanish, when dedicating the award to his parents. He has also received a Special Honor for rehabilitating animals, which is the one he likes most since it was his first award. What's more, he has recently been nominated for an Emmy for Outstanding Reality Program.

0 Surname: Demaria

11 Age: 33, thirty-three

12 Nationality: Mexican

13 Mother tongue: Spanish

14 First job: cook, cooking

15 Favourite award: Special Honor

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Task 6

Questions 26-30

Complete this text. For questions 26-30, write **one** word for each space.
Write your answer **only** here in this exam booklet.
There is an example at the beginning (0).

Mensa

Mensa (0) was founded in England in 1946 by Roland Berrill, a barrister, and Dr. Lance Ware, a scientist and lawyer. The name Mensa means "table" (26) in Latin and so was chosen to demonstrate the round-table nature of the organization – the coming together of equals. They had the idea of forming (27) a society for people with a high IQ. The aim (28) was, as it is today, to create a society that is non-political and free from all racial or religious prejudices. The society welcomes people from every walk of life (29) whose IQ is in the top 2% of the population. Mensans vary in job and profession and are represented among all age groups. The youngest member joined (30) at the age of two, while the oldest member joined when he was 107.

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