

## Nivel B2 – Inglés Coloquial – Inglés Técnico II – Inglés V

El alumno deberá desarrollar de forma extensiva cualquiera de los siguientes temas, tópicos o preguntas, a pedido del profesor:

- A weird/ **spooky story** you know.
- A time when you had **an accident** being on holiday or something scary that happened.
- Have you ever had your **fortune** told?
- Have you ever been **interviewed** (for a job, a scholarship application, etc)? What questions were you asked?
- What to do and not to do in a job interview
- **Somebody** who is bad tempered/ absent minded /tight fisted/laid back/self-centered / strong-willed. What does he/she do? Can you define what a tight fisted person is?
- **Stereotypes** regarding teenagers and elderly people
- **Society**: Extent of agreement with these statements:
  - The elderly are best looked after in residential homes, not at home
  - Politicians should be at least 40 years old
  - Society doesn't sufficiently value the wisdom elderly people have
  - Rich people are usually meaner than poor people
  - The government could and should do more for the unemployed
- **Fashion and appearance**: Extent of agreement with these statements:
  - People shouldn't be judged by the way they dress
  - Expensive clothes are higher quality and last longer
  - People who follow fashion are usually vain and selfish
  - Women are more careful with the way they look
- **A travelling experience** /anecdote related to (use all past tenses):
  - A delayed flight
  - Lost luggage
  - Being stopped in customs
  - Flying long haul/feeling jet lag
  - An emergency during the flight
  - A time you had an accident being on holiday
  - Something scary
- Did your parents use to **read** to you when you were a child? What was your favourite story? Was there a character you identified with?
- The extent of agreement with these statements:
  - In twenty years time:
    - Most people in office jobs will be working from home
    - Most people will be using public transport or bikes to get to work
    - People will be retiring at the age of 70 or even later.
    - The teaching of handwriting will most likely disappear from school curriculums
- What do you think companies should do to reduce waste and pollution?
- How **eco-guilty** are you? What do you think everybody should do to reduce waste and pollution?
- Are you **optimistic or pessimistic** about the future? What will you be doing in ten year's time?
- How does weather affect your **mood**?

- Are you considered a **risk taker**? Why?
- **Dangers** on roads
- What would you do....
  - If you were offered a job abroad?
  - If you got lost in the mountain without phone signal?
  - If you were to ask for one free wish? What would you ask for?
- Where would you go if you had a free ticket to any part of the world?
- Speak about a situation in which you felt: delighted / disappointed /bewildered/ overwhelmed
- What you would have done in a given situation
- Speak about something you find infuriating/ frustrating / terrifying /stressful
- Speak about an **embarrassing moment**.
- Something you wish other people would or wouldn't do because you are annoyed by the situation.
- Something you wish you had done differently.
- Something you wish you had. Why?
- Something you don't like the way other people do, and would rather do yourself.
- What role does **music** have in your life?
- Something you'll never forget seeing. (for the first time)
- Something you remember doing when you were **under 5** years old
- What do you remember you used to do when you were a child?
- The hardest thing you have ever had to get used to/ or to doing.
- **Sleeping habits**:
  - Are you a light sleeper?
  - Do you usually have nightmares?
  - Do you find it hard to fall asleep when you are not at home?
  - Have you ever had a recurrent dream?
- Do you usually avoid **arguing** or you don't mind? What do you usually avoid arguing about?
- A good **film** you have seen recently.
- A good **performance**
- A **scene** you like in a film. Use reported speech to speak about what was said in it.
- Have you ever been **burgled**? Or mugged in the street? What happened? Were the robbers caught?/ arrested? Sentenced?
- What do you think would most likely stop a burglar coming into your house?
- Do you know anyone who has been unfairly suspected of burglary or any other crime?
- How often do you have **your hair** cut? When did you last go to the hairdresser's?
- Have you ever had a **photo** taken in front of a famous monument?
- Have you ever been asked for **a favour** you could not deny even when it was hard to do?
- Have you ever been told a story that was hard to believe?
- Is there anyone in your class who is said to be a genius?
- What products are imported and what products are exported in Argentina?
- Is there anything a politician, celebrity or someone famous ever said that really caused your attention either positive or negatively?
- What someone said /explained /asked /suggested in a given situation