

Oxford Revise | AQA GCSE Spanish Higher | Answers | Paper 2

Speaking

Part 1: Role-play

There are five tasks for the Role-play, each of which will be awarded up to 2 marks for AO2 (10 marks in total).

For each task:

Mark	AO2
2	The message is conveyed without ambiguity.
1	The message is partially conveyed or conveyed with some ambiguity.
0	No part of the message is conveyed.

More guidance on applying the Role-play marking criteria is available on the [AQA website](#).

Example answers:

- 1 *Mi asignatura favorita es la historia, porque es útil.*
- 2 *En mi instituto hay un gimnasio y tenemos muchos laboratorios.*
- 3 *¿Te gusta tu instituto?*
- 4 *Llevo una falda verde y una camisa blanca.*
- 5 *Me encantaría trabajar de médico, para ayudar a la gente enferma.*

Part 2: Reading aloud task

Reading aloud of the text (5 marks AO3)

Level	Mark	AO3
5	5	Pronunciation is always or nearly always accurate but there may be an occasional minor error.
4	4	There are a few minor errors in pronunciation.
3	3	There are some minor errors and very occasional major errors in pronunciation.
2	2	There are minor errors and a few major errors in pronunciation.
1	1	There are regular minor and some major errors in pronunciation.
0	0	Does not meet the standard required for Level 1 at this tier.

Audio of a sample reading aloud answer is provided on the OUP Revise MFL website.

Response to compulsory questions (10 marks AO1)

The response to the four compulsory questions is marked as a whole, according to the following criteria. Marks are not awarded to individual questions.

Level	Mark	AO1
5	9–10	- All questions are answered clearly. - At least two answers have an extended response and at least one other is developed well.
4	7–8	- At least three questions are answered clearly. - One answer has an extended response and at least one other is developed well.
3	5–6	- At least two questions are answered clearly. - One answer is developed well and at least one other is developed minimally.
2	3–4	- At least two questions are answered understandably. - One answer is developed minimally.
1	1–2	- At least one question is answered understandably. - The answer(s) may be a very limited response.
0	0	Does not meet the standard required for Level 1 at this tier.

More guidance on applying the Reading aloud marking criteria is available on the [AQA website](#).

Example answers:

- Mis clases empiezan a las ocho y media y terminan a las tres. Durante el recreo, me gusta charlar con mis amigos. Mi asignatura favorita es el inglés, porque el profesor es muy simpático.*
- Me gustaría llevar mi propia ropa porque mi uniforme es feo y no es cómodo. Llevar una camiseta con unos pantalones sería ideal y mucho más barato.*
- Me gustaría estudiar Bachillerato porque quiero ir a la universidad. Me interesan la política y los idiomas, así que estudiaría español, francés y posiblemente literatura.*
- Quiero trabajar en una oficina con un equipo de gente activa y trabajadora para compartir ideas y proyectos.*

Part 3: Photo card task

Response to the content of the photos (5 marks AO2)

Level	Mark	AO2
5	5	- A lot of information is conveyed. - Information is always conveyed clearly.
4	4	- A lot of information is conveyed. - Information is nearly always conveyed clearly.
3	3	- Quite a lot of information is conveyed. - Information is nearly always conveyed clearly.
2	2	- Quite a lot of information is conveyed. - Information may lack clarity from time to time.
1	1	- Some information is conveyed. - Information lacks clarity from time to time.
0	0	Does not meet the standard required for Level 1 at this tier.

Example answer:

En la primera foto se puede ver una familia de vacaciones en la playa. Parece que hace viento y no hace mucho calor. En el centro, hay un hombre que está sacando una foto de la familia. Todas las personas están sonriendo y parece que se lo están pasando bien. En la familia hay un perro marrón, una pareja con un bebé y tres personas más. Algunos de ellos llevan gafas de sol.

En la segunda foto hay un grupo de turistas en una ciudad, delante de un monumento bonito. Creo que podría ser una iglesia o un castillo. Hay muchas bicicletas, y los turistas llevan ropa de verano, como camisetas y pantalones cortos. Me gusta mucho la segunda foto porque hay un ambiente relajado y agradable, típico del verano.

Photo card unprepared conversation (15 marks AO1 and 5 marks AO3)

Marks are awarded for AO1 and AO3 for this part of the test (total 20 marks).

Level	Mark	AO1
5	13–15	- A lot of information is conveyed. - Consistent good development with regular extended responses. - Information is always or nearly always conveyed clearly.
4	10–12	- A lot of information is conveyed. - Consistent good development with some extended responses. - Information is conveyed clearly, but with occasional lapses.
3	7–9	- Quite a lot of information is conveyed. - Consistent good development with occasional extended responses. - Information is generally conveyed clearly.
2	4–6	- Quite a lot of information is conveyed. - Regular good development of responses. - Information may lack clarity from time to time.
1	1–3	- Some information is conveyed. - Some good development and regular minimal development of responses. - Information lacks clarity from time to time.
0	0	Does not meet the standard required for Level 1 at this tier.

Level	Mark	A03
5	5	• Wide variety of vocabulary and structures. • There may be a few minor errors. Few or no major errors when more complex language is attempted.
4	4	• Very good variety of vocabulary and structures. • Some minor errors. Some major errors when more complex language is attempted.
3	3	• Good variety of vocabulary and structures, but with occasional repetition. • Quite a lot of minor errors. Occasional major errors, not only in attempts at more complex language.
2	2	• Good variety of vocabulary and structures, but with some repetition. • Frequent minor errors. Some major errors which occur even in basic language.
1	1	• Some variety of vocabulary and structures, but with regular repetition. • Frequent minor errors and some major errors in most responses to questions.
0	0	The language does not meet the standard required for Level 1 at this tier.

The unprepared conversation in the test will last between four and a half and five and a half minutes. More guidance on applying the Photo card marking criteria is available on the [AQA website](#).

Example answers:

- Durante las vacaciones de verano, generalmente mi familia y yo descansamos. Solemos ir a la playa o probar comida nueva en restaurantes. Me gusta mucho la comida mexicana, sobre todo las fajitas. ¡Son deliciosas!*
- Normalmente me quedo en mi propio país, pero preferiría ir a otro país para conocer su cultura y su idioma. Por ejemplo, me gustaría ir a Italia con mis padres. Hablaría un poco de italiano y comería mucha pasta. Los monumentos en Roma son increíbles.*
- Mi barrio es un poco feo, porque demasiada gente tira basura. Además, hay una falta de espacios verdes y mucho tráfico en el centro de la ciudad. Lo bueno es que no hay muchos problemas sociales, aunque el paro está en aumento.*
- Reciclo todo el papel, plástico y vidrio que puedo. Me preocupa mucho la contaminación del aire. Mi madre no me permite ir en coche al instituto, pero voy dando un paseo porque no está lejos de casa. También intento comprar productos verdes.*
- No mucho, aunque siempre veo vídeos en TikTok porque es una red social muy rápida y fácil de usar. Me preocupa compartir mucha información personal en Internet, por eso siempre tengo contraseñas muy largas y seguras.*