

Prueba Diagnóstica
Currículo académico funcional
English
Eighth Grade
Listening Scripts

(Narrator): Listen to a passage about the bioluminescent bay in La Parguera. You will answer questions 1 through 4 based on this passage.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): The bioluminescent bay in La Parguera is home to plankton that emit light, a natural phenomenon that makes the bay glow at night. When the water is disturbed, such as by stirring it with a hand, these tiny organisms light up. Some observers have compared the experience to looking at the stars. Moonless nights are the best time to observe these stars in the water.

Due to its unique beauty, La Parguera has become a popular tourist destination. Boats offer nighttime excursions to explore the starlit bay.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Now answer the following questions.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Look for question number 1. Now listen carefully to the question.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): According to the passage, which experience would be most **SIMILAR** to observing the nighttime water in La Parguera?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Note: Pause 2 seconds between options.)

(Narrator):

- A. watching a movie about fireflies
- B. looking at stars in the night sky
- C. surfing in the ocean at night

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Choose the letter of the correct answer.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Look for question number 2. Now listen carefully to the question.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Which question can be answered by the information presented in the passage?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Note: Pause 2 seconds between options.)

(Narrator):

- A. Why does the water in La Parguera light up at night?
- B. Why are there plankton in the bay in La Parguera?
- C. Where else can someone see a starlit ocean?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Choose the letter of the correct answer.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Look for question number 3. Now listen carefully to the question.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): According to the passage, why would someone visit La Parguera?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Note: Pause 2 seconds between options.)

(Narrator):

- A. La Parguera has more hotels.
- B. La Parguera has free concerts.
- C. La Parguera is exceptionally beautiful.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Choose the letter of the correct answer.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Look for question number 4. Now listen carefully to the following question.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): According to the passage, when is the **BEST** time to see the glowing bay?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Note: Pause 2 seconds between options.)

(Narrator):

- A. when the sky is clear
- B. during the new moon
- C. on moonless nights

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Choose the letter of the correct answer.

(Narrator): Look for question number 5. Listen carefully to the following sentence.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Yes, it was sweet and delicious.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Now listen carefully to the question.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Which question does the sentence answer?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Note: Pause 2 seconds between options.)

(Narrator):

A. Are you coming to the party?

B. Did you like the cake I baked?

C. Were you studying all night?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Choose the letter of the correct answer.