

EXERCICI 3: PRIMERA LENGUA ESTRANGERA - ANGLÉS II
EJERCICIO 3: PRIMERA LENGUA EXTRANJERA - INGLÉS II
(Durada / Duración: 1 h)

HEALTH AND HAPPINESS

A small village in the Himalayan mountains called Buthan was a poor area and not many people visited it. But nowadays, it is becoming more and more popular with tourists. Medicine and health is improving and its economy is growing. King Jigme Singye Wangchuck, the king of Bhutan until 2006, talked about his country's 'Gross National Happiness'. In other words, he thought happiness is the way to measure the country's development. But how do you measure happiness? Perhaps health is the best way because a famous doctor once said, 'Happy people generally don't get sick.' It's also easy to measure how many people feel ill or unhealthy in a country. For example, one survey says Iceland is the 'healthiest country in the world' because men and women live a long time there, the air is very clean and there are more doctors available per person than anywhere else in the world.

However, there was another survey of the happiest countries in the world and Iceland was not near the top. The questions on this survey included: How much do you earn? How healthy are you? How safe do you feel? After visiting 155 different countries, the researchers decided that Denmark feels happier than other countries.

PART A

1. Answer the following questions using your own words but taking into account the information in the text. (3 marks, 1 each)

- a) Where is Buthan located?
- b) Why is Buthan popular nowadays?
- c) What two reasons are mentioned to consider Iceland as the healthiest country?

2. Decide if the following sentences are TRUE (T) or FALSE (F). Find evidence in the text to support your answers. (1,5 marks, 0.5 each)

- a) Happy people never get sick.
- b) The king of Butan thought happiness and development of his country was the same thing.

c) Two surveys say that Iceland is the healthiest country.

3. Find the right words from the text for these definitions: (2,5 marks; 0,5 each)

a) The science of preserving health and treating disease.

b) Pleasure, joy or satisfaction.

c) A person licensed to practice medicine.

d) Offering security from danger; giving protection

e) Investigators

PART B

4. Composition (130-150 words approximately) (3 marks)

Health and happiness.

Write about how you feel, how happy and healthy you are. Relate as much as possible the two concepts.

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