

EXERCICI 3: PRIMERA LLENGUA ESTRANGERA - ANGLÉS I i II
EJERCICIO 3: PRIMERA LENGUA EXTRANJERA - INGLÉS I y II
(Duració / Duración: 1 hora)

Read the following text:

THE BEATLES: NOW AND THEN

In an exciting musical comeback, fans of *The Beatles* got to hear their favourite singer, John Lennon, in a new song made with the help of computer smarts. The song is called "*Now and Then*," and it tells a story about a lost love. Apple Corps, the company connected to the band, says it's the "final song" from *The Beatles*.

The song was made using a demo that Lennon did in the 1970s with a piano. They used computer technology to finish the song. People who review music say it sounds a lot like Lennon's solo songs, especially one called "*Jealous Guy*." The original demo was secretly passed around for years, but it wasn't until last year that Paul McCartney and Ringo Starr, two other Beatles, finished it. Even though George Harrison, another member of the band, passed away, they included some guitar sounds he recorded in 1995.

The song's release has people talking about *The Beatles'* music and how their new songs, made after they stopped playing together 53 years ago, bring back memories. "*Now and Then*" will be released with one of their first songs, "*Love Me Do*."

You can listen to it online, and if you like collecting music, you can get it on CD, vinyl, or cassette starting in November. There's also a music video directed by Peter Jackson, and it has some video clips that no one has seen before. It's a special way to end the story of the greatest rock band ever.

PART A

1. **Answer the following questions using your own words but taking into account the information in the text (3 marks, 1 point each)**
 - a) What is special about the song "Now and Then" according to Apple Corps? (1 point)
 - b) What discussions has the song's release sparked about The Beatles? (1 point)
 - c) How does the text describe the significance of "Now and Then" in relation to The Beatles' history? (1 point)

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) "Now and Then" will be released only as a digital single. (0,5 points)
- b) George Harrison's contribution to "Now and Then" is through his vocal recordings. (0,5 points)
- c) Paul McCartney and Ringo Starr finished the production of "Now and Then" last year. (0,5 points)

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

- a) a return or resurgence, often in the context of someone or something that was once popular, successful, or prominent. (0,5 points)
- b) a piece of music that is created before the final version, often as a preliminary recording (0,5 points)
- c) to die. (0,5 points)
- d) to make something available to the public. (0,5 points)
- e) to indicate a superior level or rank compared to others (0,5 points)

PART B

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

What are the advantages and disadvantages of using Artificial Intelligence in our day to day life?
Why?

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