

PAU ESSAY TITLES - ANDALUCÍA

TOPIC	ESSAY TITLE	YEAR
Age	Old people should live in residential homes. Discuss.	2010
Animals	Are you for or against keeping animals in zoos?	2011
	Hunting animals for sport.	2011
	What do you think should be done with Nessie, if ever discovered?	2010
Beautiful places / travel / tourism	Advantages and disadvantages of living in a beautiful tropical area like the Caribbean.	2008-2009
	Attracting more tourists is essential for the Spanish economy. Discuss.	2008-2009
	Where, outside Spain, would you like to go on a short pleasure trip? Give reasons.	2008-2009
	Would you emigrate to another country to start a new life?	2008-2009
Books, television, cinema, music, arts	Do you like horror stories?	2011
	What do you think about music / dance competitions on TV?	2009
Crime	Do you like horror stories? Explain why.	2011
	Should criminals go to prison? Why?	2011
Dating	Would you like to use the internet to meet other people? Explain.	2011
Education, school and university	Discipline in schools. Discuss.	2009
	Strict education versus liberal education.	2011
	Violence at school.	2011
	Would you like to become a teacher? Give reasons.	2009
	Would you prefer to learn at home instead of having to go to school? Why?	2011
Fashion and physical appearance	The influence of the world of fashion on physical appearance.	2009
Friends, family and relationships	Describe your ideal friend – what do you think she / he would be like?	2011
	Different attitudes of men and women towards love.	2011
	Do you think your love will last longer than 30 months? Why?	2011
Health, addictions etc.	Being healthy in the modern world.	2011
	Drinking alcohol may be the cause of many problems. Why?	2011
	Health problems for young people in our country (drug / alcohol abuse, eating disorders, etc.)	2009
	Healthy drinks and sports. Give your opinion.	2011
	Should the government stop paying for smoking illnesses? Give reasons for and against.	2009
	What do you think about eating disorders in adolescence?	2009
	What is your opinion about the prohibition of smoking in bars?	2009
Learning English and culture	Some British and American traditions have become popular in Spain nowadays. Discuss.	2010
	The importance of English today.	2009
	What English speaking country would you like to visit to practise your English? Give reasons.	2009
Mobile phones	Advantages and disadvantages of mobile phones.	2010-2011



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Piracy	Internet piracy: discuss.	2009
Poverty	Western countries should help the developing third world. Discuss.	2010
	What would you do to help poor people in your country?	2010
Recycling / the environment	Do you think people should pay more attention to the environment in order to prevent natural disasters? Give reasons.	2009
	How can you contribute to preserving the environment in your daily routine?	2010
	Is life on our planet in danger of extinction?	2009
	Weather changes greatly affect people's lives. Discuss.	2010
	What would you do to help the environment?	2009
	What would your ideal weather be like?	2010
	What's your opinion about recycling and what do you do about it?	2009
	Write about how the excess of waste affects the environment.	2009
	Would you like to work as a volunteer in a poor country? Give reasons.	2009
Social problems / world problems	Are prohibitions necessary? Why?	2011
	Do all people have the same opportunities in our society? Why?	2011
	Do you think genetic research is good or bad for humanity?	2010
	Should the government control everything we do?	2011
	The Spanish government should invest more money in scientific research. Discuss.	2010
	There is no agreement on how governments should spend public money: education, health, culture, environment etc. Give your own opinion.	2010
	What measures could be taken to solve the problem of illegal immigration?	2009
	Would you like to cooperate with a Non-Governmental Organisation?	2011
	Would you mind having your children after fifty? Give reasons.	2010
	Young people nowadays don't want to have children. Discuss.	2010
The internet/social networking sites / new technologies	Advantages and disadvantages of using the internet.	2009
	Do you think that children's access to the internet and violent video games should be strictly controlled by their parents? Give reasons.	2009
	Imagine that the internet disappears overnight. How would it affect your life?	2011
	What do you normally use the internet for?	2011
Towns and cities	Advantages and disadvantages of making city centres pedestrian areas.	2010
	How good is public transport where you live? Explain.	2010
Work, jobs, employment and unemployment	Do you think that some jobs are only for men? Why?	2011
	Equal opportunities for men and women at work.	2011
	If you had to do some work in social care, who would you like to take care of? Give reasons.	2010



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Miscellaneous	Do you feel very Spanish? Why?	2011
	Do you like being told what to do? Why?	2011
	Do you like the new euro coins and notes. Why?	2011
	Euros: the new European currency.	2011
	Have you ever seen or had an accident? Describe what happened?	2011
	Is this a man's world? Why?	2011
	What is your favourite profession? Give reasons.	2011