



An Séala Creidiúnaithe d'Aistritheoirí

Páipéar 1

**Ní mór d'iarrthóirí na trí cheist a fhreagairt
Am ceadaithe: dhá uair an chloig
Líon marcanna: 300**

CEIST 1

Aistrigh an téacs seo thíos go Gaeilge:

Minister Donohoe & Tourism Ireland unveil new strategies to boost tourism from Spain & Italy

Monday 08 February 2016

Tourism Ireland targets +25% growth in Spanish and Italian visitors

Spain and Italy offer significant potential for Irish tourism, according to two new Tourism Ireland strategies launched today by Minister for Transport, Tourism and Sport, Paschal Donohoe TD.

The strategies set out challenging and ambitious targets which will see the island of Ireland welcome almost 3.8 million Spanish and Italian visitors between now and 2020 – 825,000 visitors per year from both countries by 2020 – representing growth of +25%.

Key factors working in our favour to enable growth from Spain include:

- recent strong performance: since 2000, visitors from Spain to Ireland have tripled. Spain is now the fifth most important market for Irish tourism in terms of visitor numbers and the sixth most important in terms of revenue;
- strong air connectivity between Spain and Ireland;
- interest in visiting Ireland is high among Spaniards;
- more than 20% of all Spanish visitors to Ireland visit in the off-season or Q4 – a real opportunity for Irish tourism operators to win business at a time when there is capacity in accommodation and other tourism facilities; and
- approximately 98% of Spanish visitors to Ireland are independent travellers, with around 95% booking part of their trip online. Spaniards are also heavy users of social and digital media and are hugely influenced by word of mouth.

[Sliocht as Preasráiteas Rialtais]

(100 marc)

CEIST 2

Aistrigh an téacs seo thíos go Gaeilge:

THE NATIONAL CAR TESTING SERVICE (NCTS)

is the single provider for this service nationwide. NCTS is totally independent of garages service and repair activity and provides a fair, uniform and impartial service.

ARRANGING YOUR NCT

NCTS will only contact the owners of currently taxed cars but you can contact NCTS directly to make an appointment (see contact details above). If your car has been off the road or not taxed for some time or you have not heard from NCTS and feel your car is eligible for the NCT, please contact us directly yourself for an appointment. **Remember! The onus is on you to make sure your car is tested when it is due (see chart on the back to find out what year your vehicle is due for testing).**

If you are offered a provisional appointment by NCTS then you must confirm or rearrange this provisional appointment. If we haven't heard from you 10 working days (Mon-Fri) before the provisional appointment date, it will be cancelled automatically and made available to other customers. If you cancel your CONFIRMED appointment with less than five working days notice (Monday-Friday, not including the day you contact NCTS) or fail to show up for the test, a €22.00 surcharge will be applied when you next bring your car for testing. A similar surcharge of €11.50 will apply in the case of a re-test and both fees may be subject to change.

[Sliocht as bileog eolais de chuid NCTS]

(100 marc)

CEIST 3**Réitigh leaganacha Gaeilge i gcomhair na bhfógraí nó na gcomharthaí poiblí seo thíos:**

| | Fógra nó comhartha le haistriú | Comhthéacs |
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| (i) | CYCLISTS DISMOUNT | Fógra treorach lasmuigh de stáisiún traenach. |
| (ii) | Always keep looking! Don't lose your footing. MIND THE GAP | Fógra rabhaidh i stáisiún traenach. |
| (iii) | Antisocial or abusive behaviour will not be tolerated. You will be caught and end up in court. Iarnród Éireann Irish Rail policy is to prosecute all offenders. | Fógra rabhaidh i stáisiún traenach. |
| (iv) | NO FISHING Beyond this point No Jet Skis No Dogs Without Leash | Fógra eolais de chuid údarás áitiúil ag béal abhann. |
| (v) | VISITING 2:00pm to 4:00pm 6:30pm to 8:30pm Visiting is planned so that patients get adequate rest, privacy and care. Please respect the visiting times. | Fógra treorach in ospidéal. |
| (vi) | PLEASE GIVE UP THESE SEATS IF AN OLDER OR DISABLED PERSON NEEDS THEM | Fógra treorach i mbus. |
| (vii) | No Football Boots Inside Hall MINORS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT AT ALL TIMES | Fógra treorach ag doras ionaid pobail. |
| (viii) | CAUTION! Take Care Walkways May be Slippy. | Fógra rabhaidh de chuid údarás áitiúil cois cósta. |

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| | Please use Handrails Where Supplied | |
| (ix) | TOILETS 50c <i>Towards the upkeep & maintenance of the facilities</i> | Fógra treorach i bhfoirgneamh poiblí. |
| (x) | EMERGENCY ACCESS Bicycles (or other) attached to this gate will be removed. | Fógra rabhaidh de chuid údarás áitiúil cois cósta. |

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