

Internet está muy mal aquí hoy = The internet is very bad here today  
nuestro PISO esta en el puerto de Jabea = our apartment is in the port of Jabea

lo mismo que un pueblo pequeño = the same as a small town  
conozco a mucha gente = I know a lot of people  
tener amigos / conocidos = to have friends / acquaintances  
SABEN que estoy estudiando español = they know I am studying Spanish  
tienen mucha paciencia = they have a lot of patience  
tienes que hacer 2 veces en wifi = you have to do it twice with wifi  
estoy muy bien = I am very well  
tengo a mi hija aquí Naire = I have my daughter here Naire  
estoy contenta = I am happy  
tomamos mucho té para charlar = we drink a lot of tea to chat  
donde vive? = where does she live?  
vive en Belfast = she lives in Belfast  
prefiere venir en coche = she prefers to come by car  
VIENE en coche = she comes by car  
tarda entre 4 y 5 horas = it takes between 4 and 5 hours  
la carretera es muy buena = the road is very good  
antes había mucho trafico = before, there was a lot of traffic  
habia muchos ATASCOS (jam) = there were many traffic jams  
tardaba mucho tiempo = it took a long time  
pero la carretera ESTA muy bien = but the road is very good now  
ahora tardo 4 horas y media = now it takes me 4 and a half hours  
antes TARDABA 8 o 9 horas = before it used to take me 8 or 9 hours  
hace muchos las carreteras en el norte de Irlanda ERAN mejores = many years ago,  
the roads in Northern Ireland were better  
pero ahora las carreteras son mejores en la republica = but now the roads are  
better in the Republic  
por las ayudas de Europa = thanks to European funding  
Irlanda del Norte ESTABA en el Union Europea = Northern Ireland was in the  
European Union  
tengo que pedir algo = I have to ask for something  
tengo una... = I have a...  
Irlanda del norte = Northern Ireland  
tengo una petición = request  
PETICION= request = request  
hay OTRA clase donde puedo IR = is there another class where I can go  
por desgracia = unfortunately  
hoy es el cumpleaños de mis hijos ASI QUE por la tarde iremos a cenar = today is  
my children's birthday so in the afternoon we will go to dinner  
también voy a jugar al golf después de clase = I am also going to play golf  
after class  
como celebráis el cumpleaños de los chicos? = how do you celebrate the boys'  
birthdays?  
no tenemos muchos planes para celebrarlo = we don't have many plans to celebrate  
it  
ahora tienen mas de 20 años, no son niños = now they are over 20 years old, they  
are not children  
tenemos regalos = we have gifts  
porque los niños son GEMELOS (twins) = because the children are twins  
no tenemos muchos planes = we don't have many plans  
lo importante es REUNIRSE = the important thing is to get together  
PERDERSE algo = to miss something

CUMPLEN 28 años = they turn 28 years old  
que mayores ya! = how grown up they are!  
yo también me sorprende = I am surprised too  
has sido años duros = it has been tough years  
es una santa = she is a saint  
es una mujer muy fuerte y también quiere ayudar a otros = she is a very strong woman and she also wants to help others  
es muy amable = she is very kind  
tienen mucha suerte de tener padres como vosotros = they are very lucky to have parents like you  
a veces soy un demonio = sometimes I am a devil  
a veces soy un angel = sometimes I am an angel  
para Willie y yo... mis hijos les gustan los regalos = for Willie and me... my children like gifts  
es una sorpresa - PIDIERON algo = it's a surprise - they asked for something  
están en la cocina ahora = they are in the kitchen now  
no sabe como se dice en español = he/she doesn't know how to say it in Spanish  
que vas a hacer esta semana? = what are you going to do this week?  
voy a jugar al golf esta tarde = I am going to play golf this afternoon  
la semana pasada he visitado a mi hermano = last week I visited my brother  
tuvo una operación en la CADERA (hip) = he had a hip operation  
no es un hospital, está en una residencia = it's not a hospital, he's in a residence  
para RECUPERARSE (to recover) = to recover  
es una éxito muy bueno = it's a very good success  
espero que PUEDA jugar al golf = I hope he can play golf  
espero que PUEDA hacer mas = I hope he can do more  
tu hermano es muy diferente? = is your brother very different?  
los dos tenemos la misma personalidad = we both have the same personality  
tenemos mucha energía = we have a lot of energy  
le interesa todo = he is interested in everything  
es muy comunicativo - es un extrovertido = he is very communicative - he is an extrovert  
si a los dos nos gusta estar con otras personas = yes, we both like being with other people  
es una adicción - estar con personas = it's an addiction - being with people  
EXTROVERTIDOS / INTROVERTIDAS = extroverts / introverts  
me considero un poco introvertido = I consider myself a bit introverted  
ME CONSIDERO intro/extro = I consider myself intro/extro  
toda la gente son una mezcla de los dos = all people are a mix of both  
por una parte, es un poco mas grande = on one hand, it's a bit bigger  
me gusta mucho la tranquilidad = I really like peace and quiet  
una gran parte mía es EXTROVERTIDA = a large part of me is extroverted  
me gusta estar con otra gente = I like being with other people  
me gusta estar en un grupo = I like being in a group  
también me gusta estar sola al mismo tiempo = I also like being alone at the same time  
estoy de acuerdo CONTIGO = I agree with you  
SOMOS una mezcla de los dos = we are a mix of the two  
me gusta tener tiempo A SOLAS (alone) = I like having time alone  
tiempo A SOLAS = time alone  
ME CONSIDERO... = I consider myself...  
me gusta tomar algo con amigas = I like to have something with friends  
pero me gusta ESTAR sola en casa = but I like being alone at home

y leer muchos libros en casa, tranquilidad = and reading many books at home,  
peace and quiet  
MIRAR los arboles desde las ventana = looking at the trees from the window  
CONTEMPLAR los arboles = contemplating the trees  
me considero una mezcla = I consider myself a mix  
me gusta estar con mis amigas a veces = I like being with my friends sometimes  
también me encanta el tiempo a solas = I also love time alone  
también me gusta contemplar los arboles = I also like contemplating the trees  
me gustan los bosques = I like forests  
muchas veces voy a caminar sola con mi perro = many times I go walking alone  
with my dog  
me gusta PASEAR a solas con mi perro = I like to walk alone with my dog  
SOY una abraza-arboles = I am a tree-hugger  
la semana pasada estuve en España para jugar al golf = last week I was in Spain  
to play golf  
HABIA parques muy bonitos = there were very beautiful parks  
los arboles ERAN muy hermosos y con formas raras = the trees were very beautiful  
and had strange shapes  
CON FORMAS RARAS = with strange shapes  
arbol con formas raras = tree with strange shapes  
fui a Cambrils hace dos semanas = I went to Cambrils two weeks ago  
está cerca de Salou = it's near Salou  
RASCANDO el sofá = scratching the sofa  
hay muchos arboles muy grandes en el parque de Johnstown - son imponentes =  
there are many very large trees in Johnstown Park - they are impressive  
tambien tienen un nombre para estos arboles antiguos y especiales = they also  
have a name for these old and special trees  
se llaman champion trees = they are called champion trees  
de camino a Dublín = on the way to Dublin  
son arboles de otros países = they are trees from other countries  
hemos hecho una visita a los jardines de monte Usher = we made a visit to the  
Monte Usher gardens  
con el grupo de profesores jubilados = with the group of retired teachers  
estaba precioso en otoño = it was beautiful in autumn  
hay una montaña pequeña = there is a small mountain  
cerca de Kings Court está el parque de... = near Kings Court is the park of...  
hay unos arboles muy bonitos todo el año = there are some very beautiful trees  
all year round  
CUIDAR el medioambiente = take care of the environment  
habéis visto basura? = have you seen trash?  
la gente CUIDA bien? = do people take good care of it?  
me parece que cuidan bien los parques = it seems to me that they take good care  
of the parks  
pero en el campo no lo cuidamos = but in the countryside, we don't take care of  
it  
se ve basura en todas partes = you see trash everywhere  
se ve basura al lado de la calle/ camino = you see trash next to the road/path  
LA BASURA = the trash  
aquí en Irlanda veo mucha basura = here in Ireland I see a lot of trash  
veo las cacas de los perros = I see dog poop  
la calle está muy sucia = the street is very dirty  
mi zona está bastante limpia = my area is quite clean  
no hay mucha basura en mi zona = there is not much trash in my area  
está muy limpia = it's very clean

hay basura al lado de la carretera muchas veces cuando estamos conduciendo =  
there is often trash by the roadside when we are driving  
bolsas llenas de basura = bags full of trash  
hay bolsas llenas de basura = there are bags full of trash  
la gente no quiere pagar la basura = people don't want to pay for trash removal

TIRAR = to throw

a veces tiran bolsas llenas de basura = sometimes they throw bags full of trash

hay una ley para prohibirlo = there is a law to prohibit it

hay una ley que prohíbe que la gente TIRE basura = there is a law that prohibits  
people from throwing trash

no hay personal para IMPLEMENTAR la ley = there is no staff to enforce the law

la ley no funciona = the law doesn't work

hay muchas multas = there are many fines

es difícil identificar las personas = it's hard to identify people

tambien tienen que buscar una carta con los nombres de las personas = they also  
have to find a letter with the names of the people

muchas veces LLAMAMOS al ayuntamiento porque hay basura fuera de mi casa = many  
times we call the town hall because there is trash outside my house

tambien cuando estoy en la bici veo basura al lado, cartones, comida, = also  
when I'm on the bike I see trash on the side, cardboard, food

es un asco! = it's disgusting!

en las escuelas hay iniciativas para educar a los jóvenes = in schools, there  
are initiatives to educate young people

para que SEAN mas responsables = so that they are more responsible

es obvio que no hay éxito = it's obvious there is no success

creo que no son solo los jóvenes = I think it's not just the young people

por otro lado, esta mañana he leído en el periódico que hay menos basuras de  
botellas de plástico = on the other hand, this morning I read in the newspaper  
that there is less plastic bottle trash

que buena noticia! = what good news!

lo he leído también! = I read it too!

DEVOLVER las botellas de plástico = return the plastic bottles

DEVOLVER = to return

mucha gente RECICLA las botellas de plástico = many people recycle plastic  
bottles

el aceite = the oil

que pasa después? donde va la basura? = what happens next? where does the trash  
go?

mucha gente no sabe reciclar = many people don't know how to recycle

DIA INTERNACIONAL DEL MEDIO AMBIENTE = World Environment Day

5 / 5 = May 5

5 / 6 = June 5

no lo sabia = I didn't know

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COMIDA SALUDABLE = healthy food

organica / ecológica / natural = organic / ecological / natural

es mas responsable / fresca = it's more responsible / fresh

de una huerta cercana / no ha hecho muchos kilómetros en avión = from a nearby  
garden / it hasn't traveled many kilometers by plane

REDUCIR el daño al planeta = reduce harm to the planet

HACER daño al planeta = harm the planet

a la gente le interesa el tema = people are interested in the topic

dicen que es importante para todos los países trabajar juntos para PRESERVAR el planeta = they say it's important for all countries to work together to preserve the planet

ACUERDO DE PARIS = Paris Agreement

que países participan? = which countries participate?

la unión europea = the European Union

pero no los Estados Unidos = but not the United States

Inglaterra = England

creo que si = I think so

que países son los mas contaminantes del mundo POR PERSONA? = which countries are the most polluting in the world per person?

POR PERSONA - Estados Unidos = per person - United States

Estados Unidos - EEUU = United States - USA

una mala reputación - punto negro = a bad reputation - black mark

DAR mala reputación = to give a bad reputation

no es una buena idea depender de otros países para la energia = it's not a good idea to depend on other countries for energy

ESTACIONES = seasons

ellos TENGAN = they have (subjunctive)

TODO el mundo = everyone

INTENTAR = to try