

SCENE 43 • NUMBER 7

El informe de Tomás

Monday. Tomás reads his written festival timeline aloud, using short present-tense entries.

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

L1) WHO SAYS IT: 1b, 2a, 3b

L2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN: 1b, 2c, 3c

L3) HOW DO YOU SAY IT: 1c, 2c, 3b

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER: Veinte quince: un ruido. Algo se cae., ¿Y después? ¿Qué pasa?, Bueno. Un bonito error.

L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST: 1: 25134

Words: El informe de Tomás

VOCABULARY & WRITING

W1) WHAT DOES IT MEAN?: 1b, 2c, 3b, 4b, 5a, 6a

W2) USE THE WORDS IN CONTEXT: 1: informe, 1: ruido, 1: error

W3) THE NEIGHBOURS IN A SMALL COMIC: 1: nota, 2: bailo, 3: brazo, 4: bolígrafo

W4) CONNECT THE MEANINGS: 1b, 2d, 3c, 4a

Grammar: Busco a Michi

GRAMMAR

G1) CHOOSE THE FORM FOR THE MESSAGE: 1c, 2a, 3a, 4c, 5c, 6b

G2) COMPLETE A USEFUL EXCHANGE: 1: a, 1: lo, 1: Luego, 1: conoces, 2: conoce, 1: conocemos, 2: conocen

G3) PUT THE MESSAGE TOGETHER: No veo a nadie., Busco a mi hermana., Al final baila Tomás.

G4) CONNECT THE MESSAGE AND ITS MEANING: 1a, 2b, 3c

Translation

■ Good morning. Here is my Saturday report. For you.

○ A report? Of the festival?

■ Yes. Minute by minute. And from now on, let us use familiar address. I am Tomás.

■ Listen.

■ Twenty hundred: the concert starts.

- Twenty fourteen: the lights go out.
- Twenty fifteen: a noise. Something falls.
- What falls, Tomás?
- No idea. Twenty sixteen: I scream.
- You scream? Why?
- Something warm touches my leg. In the dark.
- Perhaps it is Michi.
- Perhaps. I cannot see anything.
- Twenty twenty: the light returns. End of report.
- And afterwards? What happens?
- Nothing. I go home at half past eight.
- Are you sure? Everyone says you dance.

Tomás stands stiff, arms at his sides, chin up, cheeks a little pink. He did not dance.

- I do not dance.
- Elvira says you dance very well.
- It is not true.

A typed sheet on the desk. The last line is struck through.

- ☐ And here? In the last line?
- ☐ Twenty twenty-five: I dance.
- ☒ A mistake.
- ☐ A mistake?

Tomás goes red, and then a shy smile. He looks down at his shoes.

- ☒ Well. A lovely mistake.

"Everybody says you danced." "I did not dance." The last line of the report is crossed out, but you can still read it: "20:25: I danced."