

TEXTO A - SUGGESTED ANSWERS

University Education

Question A.1

- a) TRUE: "It used to be that a university degree was a fast track to a good career."
- **b) TRUE:** "Men studying English or philosophy may also earn less than the average man who left school at the age of 16."

Question A.2

Key ideas

- **a)** Women who do not have a university degree earn less than men who have no qualifications. So even a degree which will allow women to earn a low salary is worthwhile, as it will result in higher earnings than no degree at all.
- **b)** Yes, you can earn more money if you choose to study certain degrees. On the other hand, you can choose to study other subjects which will not make you a higher earner but will help you develop personally.

Question A.3

- a) struggle
- **b)** slightly
- c) conclude
- d) motivating

Question A.4

- a) had known ----- wouldn't have chosen
- b) which ----- was reported
- c) getting ----- to sit
- d) forward ----- since

Question A.5

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TEXTO B - SUGGESTED ANSWERS

The Ladies Bridge

Question B.1

- **a) TRUE**: "As World War II overtook Europe and men went off to battle, the women of England entered the wartime workforce."
- b) FALSE: "The displacement of women's role in the history of the Waterloo Bridge, says a 2006 article, wasn't out of malice, or discrimination."

Question B.2

Key ideas

- a) Rosie the Riveter was an icon of women's invaluable role as the main working force during World War II in America.
- b) The politician Herbert Morrison was grateful to all the men that helped constructing the bridge and he said that their work would be remembered for a long time, despite the fact that a lot of women had worked on it.

Question B.3

- a) nicknamed
- b) perhaps
- c) fortunate
- d) oversaw

Question B.4

- a) because of / due to / owing to / thanks to ----- played
- b) in / during ----- diminished / was diminishing / had been diminishing / had diminished
- c) on / ahead / along ----- from
- d) at / by ----- to have

Question A.5

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