

## 47. 2013 the Ig Nobel awards honouring improbable research A

### Comprehension:

- 1 c
- 2 c

### True or False?

- 4 True. "He was honoured alongside Rouslan Krechetnikov's team, who carried out research into why you usually drop coffee when walking around with a cup".
- 5 True. "He had no idea, of course, of the attention his work would get."

### Use of English

- 6 challenge
- 7 lost
- 8 look
- 9 genuine
- 10 were (en selectividad/PEvAU no debemos poner "was" aunque en realidad se use)
- 11 This is the place where Shakespeare was born.
- 12 Whose novel did she criticize?
- 13 I promised not to offend him.

## 48. 2013 time is worth more than money B

### Comprehension:

- 1 c
- 2 a

### True or False?

- 4 True. "People are able to access help or services that they may not otherwise be able to afford".
- 5 False. "Everyone who wants to become a member is interviewed and must provide references".

### Use of English

- 6 capabilities, capacities, skills
- 7 provide
- 8 reliable, unreliable
- 9 afford
- 10 Whom does it bring together? ("Who does it bring together?" vale también en una conversación informal, pero yo pondría "whom" porque estamos preguntando por el objeto ["a quién"] de la frase, no por el sujeto ["quién"])
- 11 The director said that they didn't worry if people spent too much money.
- 12 S + would + V (forma base) = I would say they are not at home at the moment / I would introduce myself ...
- 13 Clients share their own abilities and knowledge due to the fact that they want to help and be helped.  
Clients share their own abilities and knowledge given that they want to help and be helped.  
Clients share their own abilities and knowledge since they want to help and be helped.  
Clients share their own abilities and knowledge as they want to help and be helped.