

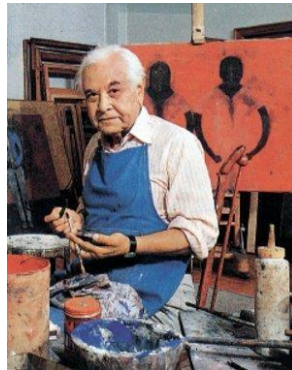
## NTI Day 2 - ESPAÑOL (Wednesday 13th February)

Readings may have unfamiliar words in them, but you should be able to understand them rather easily. You know that many Spanish words look a lot like English words (cognates). So when you do not know the meaning of a word, take a guess and try to understand it.

Read the following text, and then complete the three activities in the answer sheet.

Teresa Tamayo es una chica mexicana. Ella es de la capital, la Ciudad de México. La Ciudad de México es una ciudad grande, con una población de casi veinte millones de habitantes.

Teresa es una estudiante en una escuela privada para chicas en Lomas de Chapultepec. Lomas de Chapultepec es un suburbio elegante de la Ciudad de México. "Tamayo" es un nombre famoso en México. Es el nombre de un pintor (artista), se llama Rufino Tamayo.



*Rufino Tamayo*

**A/ Tell whether each statement is CIERTO (C) or FALSO (F)**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Teresa Tamayo lives in a city near the capital of her country.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ She attends a coeducational school.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Mexico City is an extremely large city.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ The name "Tamayo" is quite famous in Mexico.

**B/ Explain why the name Tamayo is famous in Mexico (use English).**

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**C/ Find the Spanish words for the following in the reading.**

1. population: \_\_\_\_\_
2. inhabitants: \_\_\_\_\_
3. enormous: \_\_\_\_\_
4. section of a city: \_\_\_\_\_
5. famous: \_\_\_\_\_

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