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haz una pequeña redacción contando cuándo y dónde naciste, así como un evento importante que haya pasado en tu vida. en ingles

I was born on December 29, 2004, in the city of Comitán de Domínguez. One significant event in my life took place four years ago when I was in high school. I participated in an oratory competition and was thrilled to have won first place. The excitement of winning was overwhelming, and it remains a cherished memory.

Winning the oratory competition was a transformative experience for me. It boosted my confidence and strengthened my public speaking skills. The recognition and validation of my efforts encouraged me to pursue further challenges and opportunities for personal growth.

2 Complete these conversations with *was*, *wasn't*, *were*, or *weren't*.

1. Sandra: Were you born in the U.S., Ivan?

Ivan: Yes, I was. My brother and I were born here in Miami.

Sandra: I was born here, too. What about your parents? were they born here?

Ivan: Well, my father was. He was born in Cuba, but my mother was born in the U.S. - in Detroit.

Sandra: Detroit? Really? My parents were born in Detroit, too!

2. Kristin: I called you on Saturday, but you were home.

Jennifer: No, I wasn't. I was at the beach all weekend.

Kristin: That's nice. How were the weather there?

Jennifer: It was beautiful.

Kristin: were your parents there?

Jennifer: No, they weren't. I was with my sister. It was great!

3. Mindy: were you in college last year, Alan?

Alan: No, I wasn't. I graduated from college two years ago.

Mindy: So where were you last year?

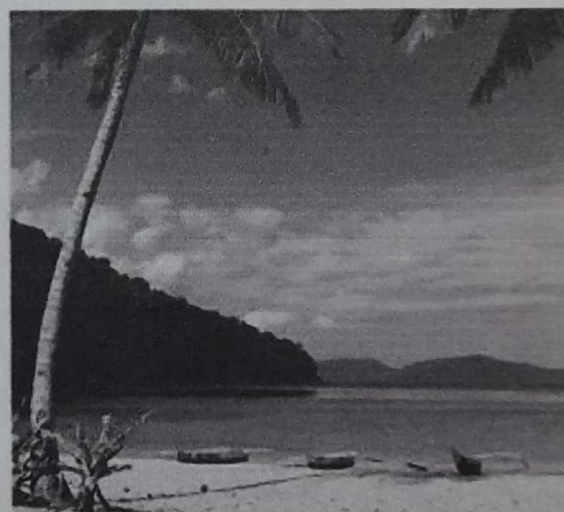
Alan: I was in Japan.

Mindy: Oh! were you in Tokyo?

Alan: No, I wasn't. I was in Osaka. I had a job there.

Mindy: What was the job?

Alan: I was an English teacher.



3 Write four sentences about each person.



1 Marie Curie, scientist (1867–1934)

- born in Poland
- won Nobel Prizes in 1903 and 1911



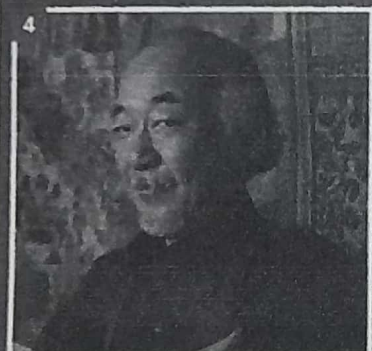
2 Gabriel García Márquez, author (1927–2014)

- born in Colombia
- wrote *One Hundred Years of Solitude*, 1967



3 Maya Angelou, author (1928–2014)

- born in the U.S.
- wrote *I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings*, 1969



4 Pat Morita, actor (1932–2005)

- born in the U.S.
- was in the movie *The Karate Kid*, 1984



5 Grace Kelly, actress (1929–1982)

- born in the U.S.
- married Prince Rainier III of Monaco, 1956



6 Salvador Dalí, artist (1904–1989)

- born in Spain
- painted *The Persistence of Memory*, 1931

1. Marie Curie was a scientist. She was born in 1867 in Poland. She won Nobel Prizes in 1903 and 1911. She died in 1934.
2. Gabriel Garcia Marquez was author, he was born in 1927 in Colombia. He wrote *One Hundred Years of Solitude* in 1967, he died in 2014.
3. Maya Angelou was author, she was born in 1928 in the U.S. She wrote *I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings* in 1969, she died in 2014.
4. Pat Morita was actor, he was born in 1932 in the U.S. He was in the movie *The Karate Kid* in 1984, he died in 2005.
5. Grace Kelly was actress, she was born in 1929 in the U.S. She married Prince Rainier III of Monaco in 1956, she died in 1982.
6. Salvador Dalí was artist, he was born in 1904 in Spain. He painted *The Persistence of Memory* in 1931, he died in 1989.