

A PAU activity types in Exam Prospects Sample Unit 3 – Murcia

The following activities will help your students for the updated 2025 Murcia PAU Exam

Activity type	Exam Prospects SB 	Exam Prospects WB 	Notes
Reading T/F (evidence from the text)	Unit 3, p38, ex 4	Unit 3, p32, ex 4	Remind students that in the PAU exam they must find a text fragment which confirms their answer. They should write “TRUE” or “FALSE” (not T or F) on the answer sheet, plus the fragment (one or two lines maximum).
Reading Sentence completion using ideas from the text in your own words	Unit 3, p38, ex 6		Remind students that they must complete the sentences using their own words (about 10-15 words of per sentence). They should not copy literally from the text nor from the items in a previous task.
Reading Writing answers to questions in your own words	Unit 3, p38, ex 5 Unit 3, p47, ex 1	Unit 3, p33, ex 6	These exercises are not sentence completion, but students have to write answers in their own words based on evidence in the text, which is similar to the PAU activity.

Vocabulary Find word which means ... (definition)	Unit 3, p36, ex 2 Unit 3, p37, ex Aim Higher (students are asked to use the words given together with the word <i>change</i>) Unit 3, p38, ex 7 Unit 3, p42, ex 3	Unit 3, p33, ex 7	
Use of English Multiple-choice cloze text		Unit 3, p 33, ex 5 (A–D)	Remind students that in the PAU exam there are only 3 options (A–C), but that the four-option exs (A–D) are still good practice at choosing between different options.
Use of English Sentence transformation (no key word – complete second sentence)		Unit 3, p30, ex 3	Remind students that they must include a clear change of linguistic structure in the new sentence.
Use of English Sentence transformations (Key word transformations)	Unit 3, p40, ex 2 (third conditional)	Unit 3, p30, ex 3 (mixed conditionals)	In the PAU exam no key words are given and the students must complete the sentences using the first words of the new sentence. These exercises do give a key word which must be used to complete the sentence, but they are good practice in sentence completion.

<p>Writing A problem–solution essay</p>	<p>Unit 3, p44–45, exs 1–6</p>	<p>Unit 3, p35, exs 1–4</p>	<p>This genre does not appear in the current 2025 model, but it is good practice to be prepared for other genres which may appear. Tell your students to write between 150 to 175 words.</p>
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