Capítulo 6 Writing Assignment

Your Task:

You have the opportunity to communicate with your pen-pal one last time! Read your pen-pal's latest letter to you. **Answer the questions** he/she wrote, then tell him/her about your **favorite food dish**. Provide a **list of ingredients** and **describe the process** of making it using commands from chapter 6 (i.e. bake = put in the oven & cook). Be sure to **describe** how it looks and tastes when finished using appropriate adjectives and tell what **utensils** you'd need to eat and/or serve it. Finally, tell your pen-pal what at least **two different family members think** of this food.

Use this opportunity to demonstrate your understanding of Chapter 6 vocabulary and grammar.

Write in a way that someone in your class could read and understand it.

Any and all plagiarism or use of translators will result in disciplinary action.

Technicalities:

- Required Length: *minimum* of <u>100</u> words
- Typed, double-spaced, 12 point size of a plain font with one inch margins
- Must include:
 - Examples of Chapter 6 vocabulary and grammar used & spelled correctly (Follow the "your task" section instructions.)
 - o Examples of conjugated forms of *ser*, *estar*, *direct object pronouns* and *commands*.
 - o Correct use and spelling of Chapter 1-5 vocabulary and grammar
 - Date, Greeting & Farewell* (i.e., Querido amigo, Hasta luego/Adiós/etc.)
 - *Remember to sign your letter using your chosen alias.
 - *This time, also include your real name below your alias.
 - Word count
 - o Rubric clipped to this assignment and pen-pal's C5 letter.
 - <u>List of all extra food/cooking words</u> used along with their English translations.

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| Content - Variety of | Includes all | Missing 1-2 | Missing 3-4 | Missing more than |
| vocab & inclusion | required | requirements | requirements | 4 requirements |
| of task information | information 12 | 10 | 8 | 3 |
| Comprehensibility | Reader can | Read can | About half of what | Difficult to |
| - ability to | understand all of | understand most of | the writer is saying | understand. |
| communicate | what the writer is | the message (1 or | is understandable. | Requires much |
| understandably | communicating. | 2) questions. Fairly | Not very logical. | interpretation. |
| | Well organized, | well organized. | 6 | Choppy |
| | logical. 12 | 9 | | organization. 3 |
| Accuracy - | All (or all but 1) | Few (2-3) | Multiple (4-5) | Many avoidable |
| Grammar | verbs and | avoidable errors in | avoidable errors in | errors in verb |
| | sentences | verb usage, | verb usage, | usage, sentence |
| | structures are | sentence structures | sentence structures | structures |
| | correct. 8 | 7 | 5 | 2 |
| Spelling & | 0-2 avoidable | 3-4 avoidable | 5-6 avoidable | More than 6 |
| Punctuation | errors 4 | errors 3 | errors 2 | avoidable errors 1 |
| Effort - evidence of | All technical | Missing a | Missing | Missing |
| going beyond the | requirements met. | requirement. | requirements. Not | requirements. Not |
| minimum | Reflects good | Reflects some | proof-read well. | proofread well if at |
| | proof-reading. | proof-reading. | Shows author's | all. Generic facts |
| | Shows author's | Shows author's | personality. | without |
| | personality. 12 | personality. 10 | 8 | enthusiasm. 3 |

Total points: _____ / 48