



**CURSO: Primer Año Medio.**

**UNIDAD III : “ The Arts “**

**Habilidad a ejercitar: Comprensión Lectora.**

**INSTRUCCIONES ANTES DE DESARROLLAR LOS EJERCICIOS:**

1. **Lea la biografía tratando de entender el contenido de ella.**
2. **Busque el significado de las palabras que no conoce con ayuda de diccionario.**
3. **Realice los ejercicios leyendo atentamente la biografía.**

**Reading Comprehension - Short Biography of Bob Marley**

**The beginning**

**Bob Marley**, was born on February 6, 1945. He was a Jamaican reggae singer, songwriter, musician, and guitarist who achieved international fame and acclaim. Starting out in 1963 with the group *The Wailers*, he forged a distinctive songwriting and vocal style that would later resonate with audiences worldwide. After *The Wailers* disbanded in 1974, Marley pursued a solo career that culminated in the release of the album *Exodus* in 1977, which established his worldwide reputation and produced his status as one of the world's best-selling artists of all time, with sales of more than 75 million records.

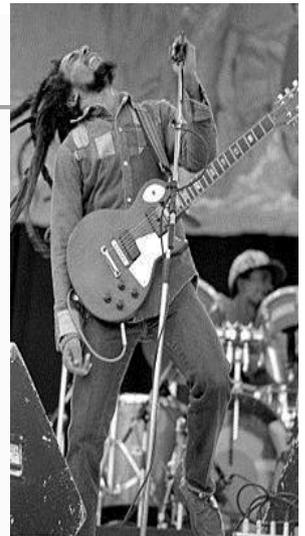
**Rastafari**

Bob Marley was a committed Rastafari, an Abrahamic religion which developed in Jamaica in the 1930s. This religion infused his music with a sense of spirituality. The Rastafari movement was a key element in the development of reggae. As an ardent proponent of Rastafari, Bob Marley took the reggae music out of the socially deprived areas of Jamaica and into the international music scene.

**Illness and death**

In July 1977, Marley was found to have a type of malignant melanoma under the nail of a toe. Marley turned down his doctors' advice to have his toe amputated, citing his religious beliefs. Despite his illness, he continued touring until his health deteriorated as the cancer had spread throughout his body. He died on 11 May 1981 at Cedars of Lebanon Hospital in Miami (now University of Miami Hospital) at the age of 36. The spread of melanoma to his lungs and brain caused his death. His final words to his son Ziggy were:

**"Money can't buy life."**



**Ejercicios a realizar en base a la biografía de Bob Marley :**

1. **Incluya en el chart dado 5 verbos regulares y 5 verbos irregulares en Past Tense:**

REGULAR VERBS	IRREGULAR VERBS
1.	1.
2.	2.
3.	3.
4.	4.
5.	5.

**II. Clasifique las palabras destacadas en las siguientes oraciones en:**

**a) Verb b) Noun c) Adjective that characterize d) None of them. Escriba su alternativa en el espacio dado:**

1. The religion **infused** his music with spirituality. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Marley was born in **Jamaica**. \_\_\_\_\_
3. He forged a **distinctive** songwriting. \_\_\_\_\_
4. He had a **malignant** melanoma under the nail of a toe. \_\_\_\_\_

**III. Elija la Question Word adecuada para completar las siguientes preguntas.**

**a) Who b) What c) Where d) When e) None of them. Escriba la alternativa en el espacio:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ was Bob Marley born? On February 6, 1945.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ did he pursue his pursue career? In 1974.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ did he die? In Miami, United States.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ didn't he have his toe amputated? Because of his religion.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ music style did he develop? The reggae.

**IV. Señale llenando el circulo si las siguientes afirmaciones son Verdaderas o Falsas en base a la biografía:**

1. Bob Marley continued to work with The Wailers until his death.  
a.  True  
b.  False
2. He was very religious.  
a.  True  
b.  False
3. He refused to have his toe amputated because he thought it was useless.  
a.  True  
b.  False
4. He died in Jamaica.  
a.  True  
b.  False

**V. Complete las siguientes oraciones usando información pertinente de la biografía:**

1. He started singing in 1963 with the group \_\_\_\_\_.
2. He was a Jamaican reggae singer, a \_\_\_\_\_, a \_\_\_\_\_ and a \_\_\_\_\_.
3. His album "Exodus" sold \_\_\_\_\_ records.

**VI. Responda las siguientes preguntas en Ingles en relación a la biografía:**

1. When did he know he had a melanoma under the nail of a toe? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What religion did he practice? \_\_\_\_\_
3. When did he die? \_\_\_\_\_
4. How old was he when he died? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Which were his last words to his son? \_\_\_\_\_
6. Do you like reggae music? \_\_\_\_\_
7. What do you think about Bob Marley? \_\_\_\_\_