

PENSION SCHEME COMIC

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Of course!
Tell me.



Hey grandpa I
have a question!

Oh hahaha well you see...



What do you do
for a living?

What do you mean
saying you "worked"?



I worked as a linotypist at
a really famous local
printer.

Well I'm retired, this means that I
have worked for a long time in my life
and now I don't have to.



Oh, I understand.



You want an ice cream?

Yes please!



And how long did you work for?

Well, I worked for 49 years. I started at the age of 14, and I retired with 64 years. I payed contributions for 50 years.



What are contributions?

Well here in Spain, paying contributions is taking out a part from your salary for paying the Social security, also the business that you work for pays another percentage to the Social security. Later this money pays pensions for people like me, retired. And it also pays medical assistance.

Yes, but we are lucky to live at a country with a social solidarity care system.



This ice cream is really good!
Right grandpa?



I agree with you!

Ohh I see, well it's actually a little bit difficult right?

I have another question!



Tell me!

Can we go over there and play chess please?



Of course!



Well, a pension plan is a private protection system for saving money to guarantee a pension at the age of retirement. It only contains the money that you've put over there during your work life.

Oh, I've just remembered last day at school they talked about a pension plan, what's that?

It's completely private but it's not 100% safe, if something happens to your investments and you lose the money it'll never come back!!



Ohhh it's a little bit scary!!



It is!! OH, I'm winning you!

Oh no!!!



Well, thanks to retirement I started knowing better my family, you see, when you were born I learned how to change diapers even though I had two children.

Also, I think that Spain really cares for elderly people like me. Because there are tonnes of different activities that are perfectly done for us.

And how has retirement affected your personal life?



OH, I've won!!!

NOO!!

Well, I think it's time for you to go back home.

Ok grandpa, thanks for teaching me those things today!!!

Glad to help!

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