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A Vocabulary

4 × 2.5 = 10 puan

Choose the word or phrase that best completes each sentence. *(Cümleyi en iyi tamamlayan kelime ya da ifadeyi bulunuz.)*

1. The new medicine proved highly ---- in treating the disease, and most patients recovered within a week.

   a) harmful b) expensive c) rare d) effective

   e) visible

2. Before making a final decision, the committee will ---- all the proposals carefully.

   a) evaluate b) abandon c) borrow d) pretend

   e) hesitate

3. The company had to ---- its plans to open a new factory due to serious financial difficulties.

   a) carry out b) give up c) set up d) take after

   e) bring about

4. Despite living abroad for years, he has never lost touch ---- his childhood friends.

   a) from b) at c) with d) on

   e) for

B Grammar

5 × 2.5 = 12.5 puan

Choose the option that best completes each sentence. *(Cümledeki boşluğa uygun düşen dil bilgisi yapısını bulunuz.)*

1. Hurry up! By the time we arrive at the cinema, the film ----.

   a) has already started
   b) already started
   c) had already started
   d) is already starting
   e) will already have started

2. The students were made ---- the classroom before they were allowed to leave.

   a) clean
   b) to clean
   c) cleaning
   d) cleaned
   e) to be cleaned

3. I'd rather you ---- my phone without asking me first.

   a) don't use
   b) won't use
   c) didn't use
   d) haven't used
   e) not using

4. ---- the bad weather, the football match was played as planned.

   a) Because of
   b) In spite of
   c) Although
   d) Due to
   e) Even if

5. The report, ---- was published last week, shows a sharp rise in online shopping.

   a) that
   b) what
   c) whose
   d) which
   e) who

C Cloze Test

5 × 2.5 = 12.5 puan

Read the passage and choose the option that best fits each numbered blank. *(Parçada numaralanmış yerlere uygun düşen sözcük ya da ifadeyi bulunuz.)*

> Volcanoes are often seen only as destructive forces, (1) ---- they also bring several benefits to people. Over thousands of years, volcanic ash breaks down and (2) ---- some of the most fertile soil on Earth. This is why farmers in many volcanic regions continue to grow rich crops (3) ---- the risk of eruptions. In addition, the heat from deep underground (4) ---- to produce clean electricity in several countries. Scientists monitor active volcanoes closely so that people living nearby can be warned (5) ---- an eruption occurs.

1. (1) için uygun seçenek hangisidir?

   a) so
   b) because
   c) but
   d) unless
   e) or

2. (2) için uygun seçenek hangisidir?

a) creates b) is created c) has been created d) creating

e) was creating

3. (3) için uygun seçenek hangisidir?

a) thanks to b) because of c) instead of d) in spite of

e) according to

4. (4) için uygun seçenek hangisidir?

a) uses b) is used c) has used d) was using

e) will use

5. (5) için uygun seçenek hangisidir?

a) until b) since c) whether d) although

e) before

D Sentence Completion

5 × 2.5 = 12.5 puan

Choose the option that best completes each sentence. *(Verilen cümleyi anlamca ve dil bilgisi açısından uygun şekilde tamamlayan ifadeyi bulunuz.)*

1. Had the government invested more in public transport, ----.

a) fewer people use their cars today b) the new metro line opens next month

c) people will prefer buses to cars d) traffic in the city would not have become so heavy

e) it was difficult to find a parking space

2. ---- that she decided to apply for a scholarship abroad.

a) It was her excellent grades b) Her grades were too excellent

c) Her grades were so excellent d) Since her grades were excellent

e) Although her grades were excellent

3. While some experts believe that homework improves learning, ----.

a) students should do their homework on time
b) others argue that it causes unnecessary stress
c) teachers give homework every day
d) it is important to study regularly
e) homework was given in most schools

4. You won’t be allowed to enter the exam hall ----.

a) if you would bring your ID card
b) as soon as the exam had started
c) because you arrived early
d) so that you could find a seat
e) unless you show your student ID card

5. The longer the negotiations continued, ----.

a) both sides agreed immediately
b) the more difficult it became to reach an agreement
c) because nobody wanted to compromise
d) although the meeting ended early
e) they had signed the contract

E Translation (English → Turkish)

2 × 2.5 = 5 puan

Choose the Turkish sentence closest in meaning to the given sentence. *(Verilen İngilizce cümleye anlamca en yakın Türkçe cümleyi bulunuz.)*

1. Hardly any of the tourists we met had heard of the small village before their visit. Cümlesinin Türkçe dilindeki en yakın karşılığı hangisidir?

a) Tanıştığımız turistlerin çoğu, küçük köyü ziyaret etmeden önce onun hakkında bir şeyler duymuştu.
b) Küçük köyü ziyaret eden turistlerle tanışmak bizim için çok zordu.
c) Tanıştığımız turistlerin neredeyse hiçbiri, ziyaretlerinden önce küçük köyü duymamıştı.
d) Tanıştığımız bazı turistler küçük köyü ziyaret etmek istemediklerini söyledi.
e) Turistlerin hiçbiri, ziyaretlerinden sonra küçük köyden söz etmedi.

2. Experts warn that, unless water is used more carefully, many cities may face serious shortages in the coming decades. Cümlesinin Türkçe dilindeki en yakın karşılığı hangisidir?

a) Uzmanlar, su daha dikkatli kullanılmazsa pek çok şehrin önümüzdeki on yıllarda ciddi kıtlıklarla karşılaşabileceği konusunda uyarıyor.

b) Uzmanlara göre, su daha dikkatli kullanıldığı için pek çok şehir gelecekte sıkıntı yaşamayacak.

c) Uzmanlar, gelecek on yıllarda pek çok şehrin su sıkıntısı çekeceğini ve bunun önlenemeyeceğini söylüyor.

d) Uzmanlar, son on yıllarda pek çok şehrin ciddi su kıtlığı yaşadığını belirtiyor.

e) Uzmanlar, suyu dikkatli kullanan şehirlerin sayısının giderek arttığını söylüyor.

F Translation (Turkish → English)

2 × 2.5 = 5 puan

Choose the English sentence closest in meaning to the given sentence. *(Verilen Türkçe cümleye anlamca en yakın İngilizce cümleyi bulunuz.)*

1. Bilim insanları, bu bölgedeki sıcaklıkların son elli yılda iki derece arttığını tespit etti. Cümlesinin İngilizce dilindeki en yakın karşılığı hangisidir?

a) Scientists predict that temperatures in this region will rise by two degrees in the next fifty years.

b) According to scientists, this region has been two degrees warmer than others for fifty years.

c) Scientists have been studying temperatures in this region for fifty years.

d) Temperatures in this region rose by two degrees fifty years ago, scientists say.

e) Scientists have found that temperatures in this region have risen by two degrees over the last fifty years.

2. Ne kadar yorgun olursa olsun, her akşam uyumadan önce kitap okur. Cümlesinin İngilizce dilindeki en yakın karşılığı hangisidir?

a) He only reads a book in the evening when he is not tired.

b) No matter how tired he is, he reads a book every evening before he goes to sleep.

c) He is so tired every evening that he falls asleep while reading a book.

d) Because he reads a book every evening, he never feels tired.

e) Even if he weren’t tired, he wouldn’t read a book before sleeping.

G Reading 1

3 × 2.5 = 7.5 puan

Read the passage and answer the questions. *(Parçayı okuyunuz ve soruları cevaplayınız.)*

> Many people believe that multitasking, doing several things at the same time, helps them get more work done. Research, however, suggests the opposite. When we switch between tasks, such as writing an email while listening to a podcast and checking messages, our brain needs time to refocus each time. These small delays add up and can reduce productivity considerably. Multitasking also increases the number of mistakes we make, because our attention is divided. Interestingly, people who multitask most often tend to believe they are particularly good at it, although tests usually show that they perform worse than others. Experts therefore recommend focusing on one task at a time and taking short breaks between tasks.

1. According to the passage, multitasking reduces productivity mainly because ----.

   a) people get bored more quickly
   b) emails take too long to write
   c) the brain needs time to refocus after each switch
   d) people take too many breaks
   e) podcasts are difficult to understand

2. It can be understood from the passage that people who multitask frequently ----.

   a) often overestimate their ability to do it
   b) make fewer mistakes than others
   c) are usually more productive
   d) prefer to take long breaks
   e) have been trained to switch tasks quickly

3. What does the author recommend?

   a) Listening to podcasts while working
   b) Checking messages more often
   c) Working for long hours without any breaks
   d) Concentrating on a single task and resting briefly between tasks
   e) Testing your multitasking skills regularly

H Reading 2

3 × 2.5 = 7.5 puan

Read the passage and answer the questions. *(Parçayı okuyunuz ve soruları cevaplayınız.)*

For centuries, maps were drawn by hand, and travellers had to rely on them, along with the sun and stars, to find their way. Today, navigation apps on our phones tell us exactly where to turn. While this technology has made travel easier, some researchers are concerned about its effect on our brains. Studies of the hippocampus, the part of the brain involved in memory and finding our way, suggest that it becomes more active when people plan their own routes. When people simply follow instructions from an app, this activity decreases. Researchers do not suggest that we stop using navigation apps altogether. Instead, they advise us to explore new places without them from time to time, in order to keep our natural sense of direction strong.

1. According to the passage, the hippocampus ----.

a) is not used when people travel
b) is more active when people plan their own routes
c) was discovered by travellers centuries ago
d) becomes larger when we use apps
e) controls only our ability to read maps

2. The researchers mentioned in the passage suggest that people should ----.

a) stop using navigation apps completely
b) draw their own maps by hand
c) use the sun and stars instead of phones
d) only travel to familiar places
e) sometimes find their way without the help of apps

3. The passage is mainly about ----.

a) the history of map-making
b) how satellites work
c) the possible effect of navigation apps on our sense of direction
d) the best navigation apps available today
e) why travellers once relied on the stars

I Reading 3

3 × 2.5 = 7.5 puan

Read the passage and answer the questions. *(Parçayı okuyunuz ve soruları cevaplayınız.)*

Food waste is a global problem. Roughly a third of all food produced in the world is lost or thrown away. In wealthy countries, much of this waste happens in homes, where people buy more than they need or throw away food that is still safe to eat because they misunderstand date labels. A ‘best before’ date, for instance, refers to quality rather than safety; food is usually still fine to eat after this date. In poorer countries, by contrast, most food is lost before it reaches consumers, due to poor storage facilities and transport. Reducing food waste would not only help feed more people but also cut greenhouse gas emissions, since rotting food in landfills releases methane.

1. According to the passage, in wealthy countries food waste occurs mostly ----.

   a) in households b) during transport c) on farms d) in landfills

   e) in storage facilities

2. It is stated in the passage that a ‘best before’ date ----.

   a) shows when food becomes dangerous to eat

   b) is used only in poorer countries

   c) tells consumers how much food to buy

   d) is about the quality of food rather than its safety

   e) is the same as the date of production

3. One reason given for reducing food waste is that ----.

   a) food prices would rise

   b) it would lower greenhouse gas emissions

   c) landfills would become larger

   d) farmers would produce more food

   e) storage facilities would be unnecessary

J Dialogue Completion

3 × 2.5 = 7.5 puan

Choose the option that best completes each dialogue. *(Konuşmada boş bırakılan yere uygun düşen ifadeyi bulunuz.)*

1. Selin: Did you watch the documentary about the Arctic last night? Barış: ---- Selin: Oh, what a pity! It was really impressive. You can still watch it online, though. Barış: Great, I'll do that tonight.

   a) Yes, I found it very impressive.
   b) I prefer documentaries about history.
   c) Yes, but I fell asleep at the end.
   d) No, I missed it because I was at my cousin's wedding.
   e) I've never been to the Arctic.

2. Receptionist: Good evening. How may I help you? Guest: I've booked a room for two nights under the name Demir. Receptionist: ---- Guest: Here you are. Receptionist: Thank you. Your room is on the third floor.

   a) Would you like a room with a sea view?
   b) Could I see your ID, please?
   c) How long are you going to stay?
   d) Did you enjoy your stay with us?
   e) What time would you like breakfast?

3. Ozan: I can't decide whether to study medicine or engineering. Defne: ---- Ozan: Well, I'm better at maths, but I really want to help people. Defne: Perhaps biomedical engineering would combine both.

   a) Which subjects are you good at, and what do you enjoy?
   b) Why don't you study abroad?
   c) When did you graduate from university?
   d) Medicine is too difficult for you.
   e) My brother is an engineer, too.

K Closest Meaning

2 × 2.5 = 5 puan

Choose the sentence closest in meaning to the given one. *(Verilen cümleye anlamca en yakın cümleyi bulunuz.)*

1. The concert was cancelled because not enough tickets had been sold.

   a) The concert was cancelled although many tickets had been sold.
   b) Not many people wanted to go to the concert after it was cancelled.
   c) If more tickets had been sold, the concert would not have been cancelled.
   d) They sold tickets for the concert after it had been cancelled.
   e) The concert was so popular that all the tickets were sold.

2. It’s no use trying to persuade him; he never changes his mind once he has decided.

a) He is easy to persuade, so you should try to talk to him.

b) He often changes his mind after you talk to him.

c) You need to try harder if you want to persuade him.

d) He never makes decisions without asking other people.

e) There is no point in trying to convince him, as he sticks to his decisions.

L Paragraph Completion

2 × 2.5 = 5 puan

Choose the sentence that best completes the paragraph. *(Parçada boş bırakılan yere getirilebilecek cümleyi bulunuz.)*

1. Bamboo is one of the fastest-growing plants on Earth; some species can grow almost a metre in a single day. ----. Because of this, it is increasingly used as an environmentally friendly alternative to wood in construction and furniture making. It is also strong and flexible, which makes it suitable for buildings in areas where earthquakes are common.

a) It can be harvested within a few years, whereas trees may take decades to mature

b) Pandas depend on bamboo for most of their diet

c) Some people do not like the appearance of bamboo furniture

d) Bamboo grows mainly in tropical and subtropical regions

e) Earthquakes are a serious danger in many parts of the world

2. ----. For example, children who grow up speaking two languages often find it easier to switch between tasks. They may also be better at focusing on important information while ignoring distractions. Some studies even suggest that bilingualism can delay the effects of ageing on the brain.

a) Learning a foreign language as an adult is extremely difficult

b) Many schools now offer lessons in several foreign languages

c) Children usually learn their first words at about one year old

d) Speaking more than one language seems to have several benefits for the brain

e) Some languages are spoken by millions of people

M Irrelevant Sentence

1 × 2.5 = 2.5 puan

Find the sentence that does not fit the meaning of the passage. *(Parçada anlam bütünlüğünü bozan cümleyi bulunuz.)*

1. (I) Walking is one of the simplest and most accessible forms of exercise. (II) Many cities have built large shopping centres in recent years. (III) It requires no special equipment, and people of almost any age can do it. (IV) Regular walking strengthens the heart and can help control body weight. (V) It is also known to reduce stress and improve mood. Yukarıdaki parçada numaralanmış cümlelerden hangisi anlam bütünlüğünü bozmaktadır?

   a) I b) II c) III d) IV e) V

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