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17th September, 2012 - Monday
A. 1-30. Sorularda boş bırakılar yerlere uygun düşen ifadeyi bulunuz.

1- While the applicants ________, the boss ______ even a word.
   a) interviewed / didn’t utter
   b) were interviewing / wasn’t uttering
   c) had been interviewed / didn’t utter
   d) were being interviewed / didn’t utter
   e) were interviewing / hadn’t uttered

2- In the past, the world ______ to be flat, but it’s now clear _______ that was far from being true.
   a) was believed / that
   b) believed / which
   c) had believed / how
   d) believed / what
   e) had been believed / in

3- His poor health ________ the man from accomplishing the great task he had started.
   a) prevented
   b) is preventing
   c) prevents
   d) will prevent
   e) have prevented

4- We make decisions all the time but we ________ never ________ certain whether we are right or wrong.
   a) would / be
   b) can / be
   c) might / be
   d) ought / to be
   e) had better / be

5- I feel terrible. Something we ate at the restaurant ________ me sick.
   a) must have made
   b) would make
   c) should have made
   d) had to make
   e) might make

6- It says on the packet that these tablets ________ out of children’s reach.
   a) will have kept
   b) ought to keep
   c) should have kept
   d) must be kept
   e) had better keep

7- I wonder whether the hotel ________ us with towels or not.
   a) will provide
   b) was provided
   c) had provided
   d) is provided
   e) is being provided

8- If I ________ the plane that evening, I ________ alive now.
   a) would catch / weren’t
   b) had caught / wouldn’t be
   c) caught / am not
   d) catch / won’t be
   e) have caught / couldn’t be
9- The lecture had already started ________ we found out which room it was in.
   a) as soon as     b) even though     c) even if     d) by the time     e) in case

10- I don’t know _______ longer I can stay here.
    a) how much     b) how     c) where     d) how far     e) when

11- We can’t miss _____ this film on television tonight.
    a) see     b) to see     c) to be seeing     d) seeing     e) to have seen

12- Haiti was the first nation in modern history _____ slavery.
    a) stopping     b) stop     c) stopped     d) to stop     e) being stopped

13- We’ll postpone _____ because of the bad weather.
    a) leaving     b) having left     c) to leave     d) leave     e) to be left

14- Do you know _______ coat this is that I am holding?
    a) whom     b) whose     c) where     d) that     e) when

15- I had been warned, but I didn’t take those warnings _______.
    a) seriously     b) easy     c) serious     d) easily     e) important

16- Dentists regard pulling a tooth _______ a last solution in dental care.
    a) as     b) just     c) like     d) even     e) yet

17- Starring ________ actors in the country didn’t prevent the film from being a failure.
    a) so well     b) as good     c) better     d) too well     e) the best

18- Football, ________ also called soccer in some countries, originated in England.
    a) which     b) that     c) where     d) whom     e) ---

19- Do you agree with _______ Stephanie has said about me?
    a) how much     b) which     c) whom     d) how     e) what

20- Ron wants to get _______ car because his old one keeps breaking down.
    a) another     b) every     c) other     d) each     e) some
21- The results _______ your tests will be ready ______ a week.
   a) for / since  b) from / at  c) about / during
d) in / throughout  e) of / in

22- Ted is leaving _____ a conference _____ Friday afternoon.
   a) at / in  b) to / at  c) on / by
d) from / to  e) for / on

23- Thanks to the internet, it’s now easy to keep ______ old friends.
   a) in return for  b) for the sake of  c) in common with
d) in touch with  e) in favor of

24- She _________ her mother in appearance, but not at all in personality.
   e) shows off  b) grows up  c) takes after  d) brings up
   e) makes up

25- I can’t possibly ________ all these work today unless I get some help.
   e) keep on  b) finish off  c) run away  d) turn down
   e) break in

26- The color which _______ the most sunlight is black.
   e) transmits  b) inhales  c) compresses  d) absorbs
   e) absolves

27- Children are warned not to _________ sweets from strangers.
   a) expect  b) accept  c) agree  d) approve
   e) command

28- The football players’ performance was ________ by the rain.
   a) effect  b) effective  c) affected  d) influenced
   e) resulted

29- It’s too ________ to walk to work. I should go by bus.
   a) fragile  b) false  c) isolated  d) particular
   e) far

30- You will pass this test if you work ________.
   a) hard  b) hardly  c) excellent  d) good
   e) fine
B. 31-35. soruları aşağıdaki parçadaki numaralandırılmış boşluklara en uygun düşecek sözcük ya da ifadeyi bulunuz.

The departure lounge was full of teenagers, obviously a school trip. They (31) ________ a terrible noise. And then I (32) ________ that terrible announcement. There was a problem with the engine of our aircraft. I decided (33) ________ a place to get another coffee. (34) ________ I was having my coffee, the hostess announced that the plane was (35) ________ because of the bad weather.

31.
- a) were making
- b) have made
- c) made
- d) have been making
- e) are making

32.
- a) could hear
- b) heard
- c) have heard
- d) was hearing
- e) would hear

33.
- a) to look for
- b) to be looking for
- c) looking for
- d) look for
- e) to have looked for

34.
- a) While
- b) Thus
- c) After
- d) Before
- e) Since

35.
- a) forbade
- b) delayed
- c) prohibited
- d) overdue
- e) banned

36-40. soruları aşağıdaki parçadaki numaralandırılmış boşluklara en uygun düşecek sözcük ya da ifadeyi bulunuz.

Antonio Lucio Vivaldi (36) ________ was nicknamed il Prete Rosso ("The Red Priest") because of his red hair, was a Italian Baroque composer, priest, and virtuoso violinist, born in Venice. Recognized (37) ________ one of the greatest Baroque composers, his influence during his lifetime was (38) ________ over Europe. Vivaldi (39) ________ mainly for composing instrumental concertos, especially for the violin, (40) ________ sacred choral works and over forty operas.

36.
- a) who
- b) which
- c) when
- d) what
- e) whose

37.
- a) for
- b) to
- c) as
- d) like
- e) with
38.
   a) common       b) remote       c) widespread       d) difficult       e) weak

39.
   a) is known     b) had been known   c) has to be known
   d) will be known     e) is to be known

40.
   a) contrary to   b) as well as     c) in spite of     d) but     e) just as

C. Sorularda Karşılıklık konuşmalarda boş bırakılan yere uygun düşen ifadeyi bulunuz.

41. Steve: Do you need some help?

   Miguel: Thanks I am lost! I am looking for the foreign student office. Can you help me?

   Steve: Sure, I am going near there. Do you want to come with me? _________

   Miguel: I am Miguel.

   a) What is your name?
   b) By the way, what is your name Miguel?
   c) Are you Miguel?
   d) Is your name Miguel?
   e) Who are you?

42. Sam: How long will it take me to get to the office?

   George: About 20 minutes.

   Sam: _________

   George: There won’t be much so early in the morning.

   a) Will the road be under construction?
   b) What if there is a lot of traffic?
   c) Do you want me to do something before going work?
   d) Do I have to start early to be on time to work?
   e) How shall I get there in these rushed hours?
43. **Martin**: Did you used to go to the beach everyday during the summer?

    **Steve**: ________, but I used to go to the swimming pool all the time.

   a) I never go to the beach  
   b) I went a lot of times  
   c) I used to swim a lot  
   d) Yes, I used to go to the beach a lot  
   e) No, I didn’t go to the beach

44. **Julia**: How do you like this weather?

    **Cliff**: Oh, the weather is great.

    **Julia**: ________

    **Cliff**: I arrived yesterday. I will stay for a week.

   a) Do you go on holiday so often?  
   b) When did you go on holiday?  
   c) How about the city life here?  
   d) Have you been staying in this hotel?  
   e) When did you come here?

D. Sorularda cümleyi en uygun şekilde tamamlayıcı ifadeyi bulunuz.

45. It is no good expecting me ____________.

   a) helping him whenever he is in trouble.  
   b) that he had to be with his family.  
   c) to correct your mistakes  
   d) when I demanded more rights  
   e) not only my resignation

46. Even though they applauded well, ________.

   a) the conductor won’t resign  
   b) the poet has failed to impress the audience  
   c) no one really enjoyed the concert  
   d) the actor had forgotten his speech  
   e) the members of the orchestra haven’t all arrived

47. I am so tired ________.

   a) that I don’t want to walk  
   b) if I had to stand all day  
   c) although it was raining  
   d) when he came last month  
   e) until it had gone dark
48. __________ why she was looking so upset.
   a) There is nothing to be ashamed of
   b) I really didn’t know
   c) We are all extremely worried
   d) There wasn’t an explanation
   e) Nobody had understood

49. If we don’t start early in the morning, __________.
   a) we wouldn’t have had time to enjoy the view
   b) we may not finish the work on time
   c) the main road has been locked
   d) you had better pack now
   e) we were still worried about or flights to Rome

E. Verilen cümlelin hangi sorunun cevabı olduğunu bulunuz.

50. __________________________
    50 Turkish Liras.

   a) Have you seen the ticket officer?
   b) How many tickets do we have to buy for the visit to the art gallery?
   c) How much does a ticket cost to Alanya?
   d) Did the guide tell you the departure time?
   e) Is there a bus stop near here?

51. __________________________

   It will be here at 11:20. They are running late today.

   a) Why is the train late?
   b) Are there any other trains tomorrow?
   c) Which platform should I go?
   d) Where is the conductor?
   e) Can I change my ticket?

52. __________________________

   Either one. You can choose whichever you want.

   a) Why don’t we go to Paris at Christmas?
   b) What do you want to watch tonight?
   c) Would you like to go out for a dinner or a movie?
   d) I am getting hungry. What about cooking spaghetti?
   e) Do you know where the conference on technology will be held?
53. ______________

Sure, I do. It was the “Golden Castle”.

a) Do you remember the restaurant we went on Friday.
b) Where did you buy that shirt?
c) Was it a Chinese restaurant that we went last week?
d) What was the name of the hotel we stayed on holiday?
e) Can you bring your biology course book tomorrow?

F. Soruları parçaya göre cevaplandırınız.

Today, millions of people want to learn or improve their English but it is difficult to find the best method. Is it better to study in Britain or America or to study in your own country?

The advantages of going to Britain seem obvious. Firstly, you will be able to listen to the language all the time you are in the country. You will be surrounded completely by the language wherever you go. Another advantage is that you have to speak the language if you are with other people. In Italy, it is always possible, in the class, to speak Italian if you want to and the learning is slower.

On the other hand, there are also advantages to staying at home to study. You don't have to make big changes to your life. As well as this, it is also a lot cheaper than going to Britain but it is never possible to achieve the results of living in the UK. If you have a good teacher in Italy, I think you can learn in a more concentrated way than being in Britain without going to a school.

So, in conclusion, I think that if you have enough time and enough money, the best choice is to spend some time in the UK. This is simply not possible for most people, so being here in Italy is the only viable option. The most important thing to do in this situation is to maximize your opportunities: to speak only English in class and to try to use English whenever possible outside the class.

54. What is the article about?

a) How many people learn English.
b) The best way to learn English.
c) English schools in England and America.
d) How do people use English in their daily life?
e) Why do people learn English as a second language?

55. What is one of the advantages of going to the UK to learn English?

a) There are no Italians in Britain.
b) You can meet nice people in the UK.
c) You will have to speak English and not your language.
d) The language schools are better.
e) Living in the UK is a lot of fun.
56. What is one of the advantages of staying in your country to learn English?

a) Your life can continue more or less as it was before.
b) You have to work too hard in Britain.
c) You can study and learn with your friends.
d) The teachers are not very good in Britain.
e) Life is too expensive in Britain.

57. People who don’t have a lot of time and money should…

a) learn English in Britain
b) try to speak English in class more often
c) go to Italy to learn English
d) give up learning English
e) find a private tutor

58. What does it in paragraph two refer to?

a) staying at home to study
b) living in the UK
c) advantages
d) to make big changes in your life
e) Italian

59. The writer suggests that Sumo wrestlers are extremely large _______

a) since it is a Japanese martial art
b) due to their great desire to beat
c) because they must use their bodies against their rivals
d) to force someone to fight with them
e) as it is a game of power for humans

60. What is the synonym of object?

a) aim b) reason c) desire d) result e) proof
61. One point emphasized in the passage is that the duration of the matches _______

a) depends on the wrestlers’ weight  
b) lasts until the audience leaves  
c) is as long as the opponent has endured  
d) generally doesn’t take more than 60 seconds  
e) continues more than the usual period

62. As we learn from the passage, to win the match___________

a) one large wrestler has to kill the other  
b) the weight of both wrestlers has to be equaled  
c) one opponent should put the other under pressure  
d) the match should be ended outdoors  
e) one opponent must be thrown out of the ring

63. What is the synonym of opponent?

a) enemy  
b) rival  
c) supporter  
d) friend  
e) fight

Soruları parçaya göre cevaplandırınız.

Calcium is necessary for growth and for the maintenance of good health in the body. The body needs calcium for muscles to move and for nerves to carry messages between the brain and every body part. In addition, calcium is used to help blood vessels move blood throughout the body and to help release hormones and enzymes that affect almost every function in the human body. At least 15 grams of calcium is required daily, and foods rich in calcium should be included in the diet. The richest sources of calcium are milk, yolk of egg, peas, potato and rise. Bones are formed by cells embedded in an intercellular substance containing calcium in the form of calcium phosphate. This gives the bones their hardness. The substance is built into columns of calcereous material and fibres, and each column contains vessels. This structure makes the bone very strong.

64. The passage makes it clear that ________

a) the hardness of the bones should be taken into consideration while dieting  
b) in order to have a strong bone, one must have a diet  
c) the hardness of the bones can be attained by putting your arm in a mixture of milk, egg, peas, potato and rice  
d) calcium phosphate has nothing to do with the bones  
e) calcium has a vital importance for the body
65. We learn from the passage that__________

a) peas, potato and rice are not foods rich in calcium  
b) bones are formed in a substance containing iron  
c) the maintenance of the good health requires eating only egg, peas, potato and rice  
d) we should eat foods rich in calcium for a balanced growth  
e) we should not eat foods rich in vitamins  

66. It is stated in the passage that__________

a) a good mixture of calcium, iron and other metals should be included in our diet  
b) the richest sources of calcium are obtained from different kinds of metals  
c) bones are formed by milk, egg, peas and potato  
d) our bodies require at least 15 grams of calcium daily  
e) we should drink milk at least 15 grams everyday  

67. What is the synonym of contain?

a) manage  
b) include  
c) conduct  
d) bring  
e) confront  

68. According to the passage which one is not one of the functions of calcium?

a) It helps body to move the muscles.  
b) It is essential for the bones to be hard.  
c) It is used for creating blood vessels in the body.  
d) It helps to release hormones and enzymes.  
e) It is necessary for nerves to carry messages between brain and body parts.  

G. Anlam bakımından hangi cümlenin paragraf bütünlüğünü bozduğunu bulunuz.

69. (I) Lightening starts with warm moist air quickly rising to form giant cumulus clouds. (II) The nature of lightening was a complete mystery until 1752. (III) An American scientist named Benjamin Franklin discovered its secrets. (IV) In an experiment with a tiny cell, he made a small spark of electricity. (V) His aim was to find out if that spark was the same as lightening.

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

70. (I) Some of these theories have been proved wrong. (II) The sun was the center and the earth was not stationary but travelled round the sun once a year. (III) The earth also turned on its own axis, and this rotation caused the change of night and day. (IV) Copernicus described the movement of five other known planets in their orbits around the sun. (V) He also described the moon’s rotation around the earth.

a) I  
b) II  
c) III  
d) IV  
e) V
71. (I) Damage to your teeth begins with the build-up of plaque. (II) It is difficult to get rid of all the plaque in your mouth. (III) The bacteria, which use sugar for energy and growth, turn the sugar into a kind of glue and use it to stick themselves to the tooth surface. (IV) Then, some of the bacteria use the sugar in sweets and plaque to produce a chemical called an acid. (V) Finally, the acid dissolves away the minerals that make your tooth enamel hard, which creates tiny holes that eventually grow into bigger holes called cavities.

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

H. Paragrafta boş bırakılan yere uygun düşen ifadeyi bulunuz.

72. In police work you can never guess the next crime or problem. ____________. Some days are relatively slow and the job is boring, other days are so busy that there is no time to eat. I think I can describe police work in one word, variety.

a) No working day is similar to any other for police officers
b) It is a very hazardous but interesting job
c) Being a policeman is sometimes boring
d) Relativity is a must in any work day for the policeman
e) Policemen frequently work more in a big city

73. Compared with human beings animals often have very highly developed senses. This is largely because their lives depend on them. ________________. Moreover, in time of need they will actually dig to get at it.

a) They are tamed for survival
b) Certain characteristics of animals haven’t been interpreted
c) Dogs are good at finding the hidden things
d) Elephants, for instance, seem to know whether there is water underground
e) They are too sensitive where to find food

74. The Fourth Amendment to the Constitution protects citizens against unreasonable searches. ________________. This means that a judge must justify a search before it can be conducted.

a) There is an old saying that a person’s home is his or her castle
b) Much of the U.S. Legal System was based on the old British System
c) “Personal effects” is a term that refers to the belongings of a person
d) Everyone can come in and search everybody’s house
e) No search of a person’s home or personal effects may be conducted without a written search warrant
I. Sorularda verilen İngilizce cümlelerin Türkçe karşılıklarını bulunuz.

75. I took no notice of your son, so he flew in a rage.

a) Oğluna hiç dikkat etmedim bu yüzden öfkelendi.
   b) Oğlunu fark etmediğim için kaçıp gitti.
   c) Oğlunla dikkatli konuşmayıca öfkeli bir şekilde çekip gitti.
   d) Oğluna hiç dikkat etmeyince, ayağı takılıp düştü.
   e) Oğluna hiç dikkat etmeyince, öfkeden çıldırdı.

76. Seeing that they have asked us to be punctual, we ought to start now.

a) Zamanında işe başlamamızı istedikleri için, zamanından önce gelmeliyiz.
   b) İşe başlamamalıyız, çünkü zamanında gelmemizi istiyorlar.
   c) İşe şimdi başlamamızı istediklerine göre zamanında gelmeliyiz.
   d) Zamanında işe başlamak için hemen gelmemiz söylendi.
   e) Zamanında gelmemizi istediklerine göre şimdi işe başlamalıyız.

77. As she didn’t want to make her parents furious, she decided not to argue with them.

a) Ebeveynlerinin tepkisini çekmek istemediği için onlarla tartışmak istemedi.
   b) Ebeveynlerinin kızmasına neden olmamak için onlarla tartışmamaya karar verdi.
   c) Ebeveynlerini kızdırmak istemediği için açıklamayaçağına henüz karar vermedi.
   d) Ebeveynlerini kızdırmak istemediği için onlarla tartışmaya karar verdi.
   e) Ebeveynlerinin kızacağı düşündüğü için onlarla tartışmaktan kaçındı.

İ. Sorularda verilen Türkçe cümlelerin İngilizce karşılıklarını bulunuz.

78. Yaşlanma insanın bütün vücudunu etkiler ve değişime yol açar.

a) Aging affects and changes the body of a person.
   b) Aging affects and causes change in a person’s body.
   c) Aging affects the whole body of a person and causes change.
   d) Aging affects the whole body of a person but doesn’t cause change.
   e) Aging affects and changes the whole body of a person throughout the years.

79. Yaralıları hemen hastaneye yetiştirmek için elimizden gelen her şeyi yapmalıyız.

a) There are so many injured people that we must take them to hospital immediately.
   b) We must do everything we can to get the injured to hospital immediately.
   c) We had to do our best to get the injured to hospital as soon as possible.
   d) The hospital was so near that we took all the injured people there.
   e) Let’s do everything we can to get the injured passengers to hospital immediately.
80. Devam eden kuraklığa rağmen, çiftçiler bu yıl iyi bir ürün bekliyor.

a) The farmers are waiting for the drought to end before they talk about this year’s crop.
b) If the drought continues, the farmers won’t be able to get a good crop this year.
c) Since the drought is continuing, the farmers aren’t expecting a good crop this year.
d) In spite of the continuing drought, the farmers are expecting a good crop this year.
e) The farmers are expecting the drought to continue and this will affect the crop this year.