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**1-15. sorularda boşluĐa gelecek en iyi seçeneĐi bulunuz.**

- Do you mind \_\_\_\_\_ care of my plants while I'm away on holiday? I promise \_\_\_\_\_ you a favour in return some day.  
a) to take / doing    b) take / done    c) to be taking / doing    d) taken / having done    e) taking / to do
- In the exam, we were given a passage which was taken \_\_\_\_\_ a book called "Nicholas Nickleby" \_\_\_\_\_ Charles Dickens.  
a) about / over    b) in / of    c) from / by    d) out of / at    e) off / with
- By the time he \_\_\_\_\_ to get his book published, he \_\_\_\_\_ for several years.  
a) has managed/ was trying    b) can manage/ has been trying    c) would manage/ had tried  
d) managed / had been trying    e) will have managed/ was trying
- You look tired, and anyway there is plenty of time tomorrow, so you \_\_\_\_\_ everything today.  
a) can't finish    b) should have finished    c) didn't have to finish    d) may finish    e) needn't finish
- If the installation of the new camera system \_\_\_\_\_, the robbers \_\_\_\_\_ by the police.  
a) has been completed / would catch    b) had been completed/ would have been caught  
c) was completed/ were caught    d) would complete / had been caught    e) completed / would be caught
- The difficulties of living near the volcano are well understood by the people \_\_\_\_\_ farm the land.  
a) that    b) which    c) whose    d) where    e) in which
- If he had remembered to bring \_\_\_\_\_ dictionary, he wouldn't have had to borrow \_\_\_\_\_ .  
a) my own / their    b) his / my    c) him / myself    d) his own / mine    e) himself / our
- It takes time and money to \_\_\_\_\_ that old town hall and build a new facility instead.  
a) encourage    b) demolish    c) ban    d) register    e) reduce
- It will be a certain solution to admit and realize the \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Jeffries put forward at the meeting.  
a) suggestion    b) destruction    c) exile    d) employment    e) weakness
- Hearing the explosion, all the people rushed out and emptied the building \_\_\_\_\_ .  
a) cheerfully    b) unwillingly    c) unbearably    d) victoriously    e) hurriedly
- Mina \_\_\_\_\_ trying to learn Russian due to the fact that the language was too difficult for her.  
a) threw away    b) got through    c) took off    d) gave up    e) put up with
- Whenever Jason realised that his neighbour had a problem, he wanted to \_\_\_\_\_ it.  
a) deal with    b) look forward to    c) fall out    d) depend on    e) be keen on
- Everybody knows how \_\_\_\_\_ the earth is, but they never care and appreciate enough.  
a) distant    b) numerous    c) valuable    d) various    e) excited
- Such a/an \_\_\_\_\_ wave in the shore will probably result in loss of lots of lives.  
a) responsible    b) tremendous    c) annoyed    d) tiny    e) portable
- I would like to invite my cousins for the \_\_\_\_\_ of my company's communicational success.  
a) celebration    b) consumption    c) revenge    d) argument    e) persuasion

**16-18. sorularda paragrafı tamamlayan en iyi ifadeyi bulunuz.**

**16. In recent years, Trinidad and Tobago has witnessed major changes in its economy policy. .... . These factors, as well as development of natural gas reserves, have put the economy back on the road to sustainable growth. Growth, recorded in all sectors, has averaged 3.5% in the last four years, consumer prices are at 3.7%, and unemployment is at its lowest in 12 years.**

- a) Practically, every island in the Caribbean can be reached by air from Trinidad and Tobago
- b) Cricket is the national sport, though basketball is also popular
- c) These include improvements in public finances through tax and privatisation of many sectors
- d) It is not only shipping activity that is on the increase
- e) Trinidad and Tobago is an ideal location for shipping to both North and South America

**17. Elephants have been hunted by men, their only real enemy, for more than 20.000 years. They were first sought after as food, then for their valuable ivory tusks. .... . Nevertheless, thousands are still destroyed every year by poachers and in some cases by government representatives.**

- a) The normal life span of an elephant is 50 to 60 years
- b) Elephants may consume up to 500 pounds of food every day
- c) Existing forests can't support the elephant's large appetite
- d) Today, most wild elephants live in protected environments
- e) In the wild, elephants spend a lot of time looking for food

**18. .... . The speeds reach about 1.800 feet per minute, or about 20 miles per hour. It takes less than a minute to reach the 103rd floor. When you travel in a fast car on a highway, you have an idea of what travelling at that speed is like.**

- a) One advantage of the escalator over the elevator is a greater passenger capacity
- b) Some kinds of elevators are faster than planes
- c) Modern planes are equipped with high speed system
- d) Chicagoans are proud of having the tallest building in the world
- e) The fastest and longest elevator ride in the US is to the top of Sears Tower in Chicago

**19-21. soruları aşağıdaki parçaya göre cevaplayınız.**

The Mississippi is one of the world's great continental rivers, like the Amazon in South America, the Congo in Africa, or the Volga in Europe. Its waters are gathered from two-thirds of the US and together with the Missouri, which is its chief western branch, the Mississippi flows some 6.400 kilometres from its northern sources in the Rocky Mountains to the Gulf of Mexico, which makes it one of the world's longest waterways. The Mississippi has been called the "father of waters". Through all, its lower course, it wanders along, appearing lazy and harmless. But people who know the river are not deceived by its benign appearance, for they have had many bitter struggles with its floods. They have had to learn that nothing is to be gained by fighting against the rages of the mighty stream. To control it, Americans have had to accept some of the river's own terms and to undertake the patient work of conserving and rebuilding soil, grasslands and forests, far back where the waters begin to gather.

**19. It is clear from the passage that the sources of the Mississippi's waters .....**

- a) are so limited that the river seldom causes flooding along its banks
- b) are not as many as those of other continental rivers in the world
- c) need to be conserved to protect the river from environmental pollution
- d) are spread over a great part of the US
- e) cannot be ascertained, since the Rocky Mountains have not been explored fully

**20. It is pointed out in the passage that although in its lower course the Mississippi looks quiet and harmless,**

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- a) most people believe that it may one day overflow its banks
- b) the people living along it are not aware of this
- c) actually it has caused much devastation
- d) people have always been indifferent to the threats it poses
- e) in its upper course it is extremely violent and destructive

21. In the passage, attention is drawn to the fact that the Mississippi's waters can best be controlled

- .....
- a) if environmental measures are taken around its northern sources
  - b) so long as its northern sources are definitely identified
  - c) provided that Americans know how to struggle with them
  - d) only if the people living along its course are evacuated
  - e) in the same way that the world's other big rivers have been

22-24. soruları aşağıdaki parçaya göre cevaplayınız.

From birth to age 10, our developmental focus is on learning how to be human beings - learning to move, to communicate, to master basic skills. These often require the mastery of learned social and cultural conventions, traditions, and rituals such as movements associated with various games, differences in spoken or written languages, and our culture's definition of good manners. The initial development is slow and awkward, but children generally function at a rapid automatic level by age 10. Adults usually allow young children to make mistakes. We smile indulgently and offer support rather than criticism as toddlers trip and as 2-year-olds make language errors. We are there principally to protect their safety and to applaud their successes because we realize that toddling leads to walking and running, and babbling leads to speaking, reading and writing,

22. We understand from the passage that the early development of children .....

- a) should centre around games and play
- b) is identical in every country
- c) should not be allowed to develop naturally
- d) is not quick and requires a lot of time
- e) needs no adult supervision

23. It is clear from the passage that the mistakes of little children .....

- a) deserve to be criticized
- b) need to be corrected right away by adults
- c) are regarded tolerantly by grown-ups
- d) must be discussed by grown-ups seriously
- e) usually relate in some way to their social and cultural environment

24. We understand from the passage that our early childhood, up to age 10, is .....

- a) a period of unnecessary adult interference
- b) a process of acquiring the basic skills of being a human being
- c) a period of physical activity, not mental
- d) not affected by the social codes of behavior
- e) the dullest and most unproductive period of our lives

25-30. soruları aşağıdaki parçaya göre cevaplayınız.

On February 3, 1956, Autherine Lucy became the first African-American student to attend the University of Alabama, although the dean of women refused to allow Autherine to live in a university dormitory. White students rioted in protest of her admission, and the federal government had to assume command of the Alabama National Guard in order to protect her. Nonetheless, on her first day in class, Autherine bravely took a seat in the front row. She remembers she was surprised that the professor of the class appeared not to notice she was even in class. Later, she was thankful that the professor seemed indifferent, as he was one of only a few professors to speak out in favor of her right to attend the university.

For protection, Autherine was taken in and out of classroom buildings by the back door and driven from class to class by an assistant to the university president. The students continued to riot, and one day, the windshield of the car she was in was broken. University officials suspended her, saying it was for her own safety. When her lawyer issued a statement in her name protesting her suspension, the university used it as grounds for expelling her for disobedience. Although she never finished her education at the University of Alabama, Autherine Lucy's courage was an inspiration to African-American students who followed her lead and later her struggle led to ending of racial discrimination in universities all over the United States.

25. On her first day at the University of Alabama, Autherine Lucy -----.

- a) was befriended by an assistant to the university president
- b) sat in the front row of her class
- c) moved into a dormitory
- d) surprised the professor of her class thanking him for what he did for her
- e) became terrified of the white rioters

26. Based on the information in the passage, which of the following best describes Autherine Lucy?
- quiet and shy
  - conservative
  - courageous and determined
  - clever and amusing
  - overly dramatic
27. The university administration made up an excuse -----.
- to support her studying in the university
  - to protect her in classes
  - to show her their sympathy
  - to suspend her
  - to discriminate against all black students
28. It is clear in the text that racial discrimination would have continued in universities in the US ----.
- when white students kept protesting black students
  - if there hadn't been Autherine's struggle
  - although the dean of the university refused her staying in dormitory
  - unless Autherine's security is provided
  - as soon as Autherine provoked other black students to go to the universities in the US
29. According to the passage, which of the following is true?
- Only her class professor showed his support for her right to attend the university
  - In 1956, the only university in the United States in which there was no racial discrimination was in Alabama.
  - A few white students at the university were pleased that Autherine Lucy was a student there
  - Autherine Lucy was escorted to and from class by the university president's assistant.
  - despite all pressure Autherine managed to graduate from the university
30. Autherine didn't graduate from university, but -----.
- she persuaded no-one about her right of education
  - after her expelling, racial discrimination at universities in the US got worsened
  - her braveness inspired African-American students who wanted to study in universities in the US
  - her marks were very good
  - white students always seemed friendly and hospitable and towards her

**31-33. sorularda paragraftaki anlam bütünlüğünü bozan ifadeyi bulunuz.**

31. (I) In places where the elevation changes of a river are great, dams for hydroelectric plants are often built. (II) This disrupts the natural flow of the river, and creates a lake behind the dam. (III) Often the building of dams affects the whole of the river. (IV) Even the part above the dam is affected as migrating fish are hindered. (V) The net bag is fixed on the river bottom to catch migrating or drifting fish.
- a) I                      b) II                      c) III                      d) IV                      e) V
32. (I) Man has always been fascinated with the ability of birds to fly, and he has wanted to imitate them. (II) Many birds fly from the temperate regions in which they breed to the tropics where they can find food in winter, returning to cooler parts in the spring. (III) Swallows spend their summers in Europe and their winters in Africa. (IV) The American Golden Plover migrates from its breeding grounds in the Arctic Circle to South America. (V) Perhaps the most impressive migration is that of Arctic Tern, which flies 19.300 kilometres from its breeding ground in the Arctic to Australia.
- a) I                      b) II                      c) III                      d) IV                      e) V
33. (I) One of the most exciting things to watch is a severe thunderstorm, especially when it comes at night. (II) The sky is pitch black, with clouds which blot out the moon and stars. (III) It is not as frightening in day-time storms. (IV) An instant later, a flash of light splits the darkness, after which everything seems darker than ever. (V) In a few seconds, a deafening noise strikes your ears in the darkness of the night.
- a) I                      b) II                      c) III                      d) IV                      e) V

**34- 38. sorularda verilen cümleleri en iyi şekilde tamamlayan ifadeyi seçiniz.**

**34. ...., he has never tasted Arabic coffee.**

- a) Despite his great love of the Middle-Eastern cuisine
- b) After living in Saudi Arabia for several years
- c) If he were married to a Saudi Arabian girl
- d) Until he moved to Egypt in 2008
- e) Before he met his Kuwaiti friend

**35. .... face a greater risk of stress-related illness than their husbands.**

- a) Men who work in situations involving a lot of stress
- b) Divorced women do not have an easy time in today's competitive world
- c) Children who live with their fathers after a divorce
- d) Career women trying to combine difficult jobs with raising a family
- e) It is not easy to be a career woman in today's World

**36. There is not actually a lot to see in Dubai, ..... .**

- a) whatever foreigners who live there do in their free time
- b) but it has somehow become a tourist attraction in recent years
- c) as well as tourism, fishing is also a very developed sector
- d) why most people do not want to go there for a holiday
- e) and Dubai has country's chief seaport, with an extensive transit trade

**37. Because he had lived for so many years in the South Pacific, ..... .**

- a) the culture of the natives was so different from his own
- b) there was certainly no traffic jam or pollution
- c) he was unable to adjust to the climate and the lifestyle in Europe
- d) all the exotic fruits growing there suited his eating habit
- e) the number of people living there increases every year

**38. .... when he said the final exam was going to be easy.**

- a) We will have to study hard to satisfy the teacher
- b) I am not sure if is he telling the truth
- c) He has inspired us to study harder than ever before
- d) It is only natural that we will all feel relaxed
- e) None of us believed the teacher

**39-45. sorularda paragraftaki boşluğa gelecek en iyi seçeneği bulunuz.**

In Britain, firemen have been on partial ( 39 ) ----- for months, demanding a huge pay increase ( 40 ) -----bitterly resisting changes to their working conditions. Tony Blair's labour government has watched with ( 41 ) ----- alarm as a series of elections has put militant leaders ( 42 ) ----- the top jobs at some of the biggest unions. In April, Kevin Curran ( 43 ) ----- the more moderate John Edmonds as leader of the GMB, Britain's fourth ( 44 ) ----- union; and in May a left-winger defeated the ( 45 ) ----- favoured by the Labour Party for the leadership of the powerful T&G union.

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|----------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|----------------|
| 39. a) parliament    | b) party         | c) collage       | d) strike        | e) event       |
| 40. a) yet           | b) while         | c) for           | d) though        | e) whether     |
| 41. a) such          | b) any           | c) -             | d) a             | e) as          |
| 42. a) from          | b) up            | c) past          | d) by            | e) into        |
| 43. a) is succeeding | b) has succeeded | c) would succeed | d) was succeeded | e) succeeded   |
| 44. a) largest       | b) larger        | c) large         | d) more large    | e) the large   |
| 45. a) employee      | b) applicant     | c) candidate     | d) client        | e) participant |

46-50. sorularda verilen cümleye anlamca en yakın olanı bulunuz.

46. **Swimming with the dolphins was something that only a few could ever experience in their lifetime.**
- Swimming with the dolphins is an event that everybody should at least experience once in their lifetime.
  - Although swimming with the dolphins is an unforgettable experience, only a few have the chance to experience it.
  - Swimming with the dolphins was such an expensive experience that it could be experienced only once in life time.
  - Swimming with dolphins was an event that not many had the chance to experience throughout their lives.
  - It was and is still something that only a few can experience swimming with dolphins in their lifetime.
47. **Because of his innocent face, it is difficult even today to believe he was a criminal although it had been certainly proven.**
- Despite the fact that he was proven to be a criminal, his innocent face makes it difficult to believe that.
  - It is certainly surprising how he hurt somebody.
  - Today it is possible to understand why people didn't want to believe that he was guilty.
  - If he had been proven that he was guilty, they would believe that he was a criminal.
  - It doesn't necessarily mean that criminals can't have an innocent look.
48. **Adults laugh less than children, probably because they play less.**
- Adults laugh as much as children while playing.
  - It seems that adults, who don't laugh much, didn't play much with other children when they were young.
  - The reason why adults laugh less than children might be that they play less.
  - Unlike adults, children laugh more as they have more free time.
  - Children cannot laugh more than adults during the play.
49. **After failing a doping test at the Seoul Olympics, Ben Johnson was stripped off his gold medal.**
- As Ben Johnson failed the doping test again at the Seoul Olympics, he was stripped off his gold medal.
  - If Ben Johnson hadn't been tested positive for doping at the Seoul Olympics, he wouldn't have lost his gold medal.
  - At the Seoul Olympics Ben Johnson and many others were disqualified after failing doping test.
  - Although Ben Johnson failed the doping test, he wasn't disqualified from the Seoul Olympics.
  - Since Ben Johnson confessed that he had used doping, his gold medal was taken back.
50. **I can't stand his talking foolishly when everybody talks about something in a serious way.**
- I can't understand him when he talks foolishly.
  - Everybody talks seriously when he talks foolishly.
  - Everybody hates him talking foolishly.
  - I hate him talking foolishly when people talk seriously.
  - I don't mind his talking foolishly when everybody talks seriously.

**\*\*\* CEVAPLARINIZI OPTİK FORMA İŞARETLEYİNİZ\*\***

**\*\*\*OPTİK FORMA İŞARETLENMEMİŞ CEVAPLAR DEĞERLENDİRMEYE ALINMAYACAKTIR\*\*\***

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1. E	26. C
2. C	27. D
3. D	28. B
4. E	29. D
5. B	30. C
6. A	31. E
7. D	32. A
8. B	33. C
9. A	34. A
10. E	35. D
11. D	36. B
12. A	37. C
13. C	38. E
14. B	39. D
15. A	40. B
16. C	41. C
17. D	42. E
18. E	43. E
19. D	44. A
20. A	45. C
21. A	46. D
22. D	47. A
23. C	48. C
24. B	49. B
25. B	50. D