

YABANCI DİL MİNİ DENEME SINAVI

İNGİLİZCE

1. Bu sınavda 40 soru vardır.
2. Bu sınav için verilen toplam cevaplama süresi 75 dakikadır.
3. Cevaplamaya, istediğiniz sorudan başlayabilirsiniz.
4. Sayfalar üzerindeki boş yerleri müsvedde için kullanabilirsiniz.

1. – 10. sorularda, cümlede boş bırakılan yerlere uygun düşen sözcük ya da ifadeyi bulunuz.

1. As a plague, leprosy reached its ---- in the 14th-century Europe, but fortunately, it began to vanish in the middle of the 15th century.

- A) rivalry B) strength
C) zenith D) endurance
E) corruption

3. Dostoyevsky, regarded as the forerunner of the psychoanalytic approach, dealt ---- with the theoretical study of crime.

- A) abruptly B) extensively
C) fluently D) respectively
E) accordingly

2. Even many young people that are graduates of prestigious universities and have ---- skills have to struggle a lot to find a good job.

- A) impulsive B) affectionate
C) successive D) versatile
E) needy

4. Hypertension is a state in which the blood pressure is too low to ---- blood throughout the body.

- A) circulate B) extend
C) submit D) found
E) source

5. The old lady came near to dying of pneumonia, but to everyone's amazement, she ----.

- A) pulled through
- B) passed away
- C) fell off
- D) gave up
- E) dropped out

6. The university administration ---- you to attend classes only when you ---- a satisfactory score from the proficiency exam.

- A) allows / will have obtained
- B) will allow / have obtained
- C) allowed / obtain
- D) had allowed / would obtain
- E) has allowed / obtained

7. The renowned singer ---- hard at the start of his career because he ---- ahead by just being handsome.

- A) must have worked / had to get
- B) couldn't work / may have got
- C) needn't have worked / must get
- D) should have worked / had better get
- E) didn't need to work / was able to get

8. We need to get some younger people in to the industry ---- we have a long-term sustainable future.

- A) regardless of
- B) yet
- C) if only
- D) no sooner
- E) in order that

9. Compared to their legitimate models, counterfeit mobile phones are often sold at a heavy discount ---- retailers don't need to pay any import taxes for them.

- A) due to the fact that
- B) in case
- C) thanks to
- D) or else
- E) whereas

10. The two people known to have been infected ---- the new virus suffered from fever, coughing and shortness ---- breath.

- A) into / for
- B) by / from
- C) against / with
- D) with / of
- E) at / about

11. – 15. sorularda, aşağıdaki parçada numaralanmış yerlere uygun düşen sözcük ya da ifadeyi bulunuz.

The tasty secret of the cacao tree was discovered 2,000 years ago in the tropical rainforests of the Americas. The pods of this tree contain seeds that can be (11)---- into chocolate. The story of how chocolate grew (12)---- a local Mesoamerican beverage into a global sweet encompasses many cultures and continents. The first people known (13)---- chocolate were the ancient cultures of Mexico and Central America. Later, the Spanish conquistadors brought the seeds back home to Spain, (14)---- new recipes were created. Eventually, the drink's popularity spread throughout Europe. Since then, new technologies and innovations (15)---- the texture and taste of chocolate, but it still remains one of the world's favourite flavours.

11.

- A) processed
- B) transmitted
- C) managed
- D) diverted
- E) combined

12.

- A) with
- B) up
- C) from
- D) for
- E) by

13.

- A) being made
- B) making
- C) to have made
- D) to be made
- E) having made

14.

- A) which
- B) where
- C) to whom
- D) on which
- E) of whose

15.

- A) changed
- B) are changing
- C) were changing
- D) have changed
- E) had changed

16. – 18. sorularda, cümleyi uygun şekilde tamamlayan ifadeyi bulunuz.

16. In order not to fall behind the global competition today, ----.

- A) the industrial market didn't seem to be a safer bet
- B) as the market has become too challenging for most to enter
- C) the firm had already been under the threat of bankruptcy
- D) companies need to develop more products in less time
- E) avoiding old-fashioned strategies was not logical

17. ----, which causes a lot of pique especially among those who are older than him.

- A) All of the workers at the company are really competent
- B) The boss had promised to give everyone a pay rise
- C) The new director is the youngest person in the staff
- D) The whole staff has decided not to work overtime this week
- E) One of the new graduates highly appreciated for his technical knowledge

18. People should keep important documents in a safe place ----.

- A) whatever they do before anything urgent happens
- B) on which they have listed their medical conditions and prescription medications
- C) after they had been burgled while having a holiday
- D) when they gave their social security number over a mobile phone
- E) in case they need to leave their home for extended periods of time

19. – 21. soruları, aşağıdaki parçaya göre cevaplayınız.

The Molinere Underwater Sculpture Park, located in the Caribbean Ocean off the west coast of Grenada, is a collection of ecological underwater contemporary art. It was created by British sculptor Jason deCaires Taylor. In May 2006, the world's first underwater sculpture park was open for public viewing. Taylor's aim was to attract local people to the underwater environment that surrounds them by using his works derived from the daily life of the local community. Onto the ocean floor, he installed cement figures mostly consisting of a range of human forms, from solitary individuals to a ring of children holding hands.

19. It is suggested in the passage that ----.

- A) the sculptures will not pose any threat to the environment
- B) ocean currents can be dangerous for the sculptures
- C) not many sculptors contributed to the creation of the underwater sculpture park
- D) the sculptures are located on a floating platform
- E) the underwater sculpture park consists of several artists' work

20. We can understand from the passage that Taylor used figures of the public people because ----.

- A) it was easier for him to do so
- B) he wanted to engage them with the underwater world
- C) he wanted to give universal messages
- D) he liked the people living around a lot
- E) his art wouldn't have raised any interest if he had done otherwise

21. We can understand from the passage that the ocean floor was mostly decorated with ----.

- A) a big range of various shapes and objects
- B) the help of a group of kids
- C) the sculptures of people who had kids
- D) figures mostly favoured by children
- E) human figures made of cement

22. – 24. soruları, aşağıdaki parçaya göre cevaplayınız.

Ever since the book series *Twilight Saga* by Stephenie Meyers became popular among teenagers, there has been a sort of vampire frenzy everywhere. Wherever you turn these days, whether it be television, books, movies or magazines, chances are you will find something related to these supernatural creatures of the night. While marketers have certainly exploited the interest in the *Twilight Saga*, the current vampire craze is not a new phenomenon. Vampire mania has long been around, becoming popular among people of all ages with movies like *Dracula*, *Vampire in Brooklyn*, and *Van Helsing*. However, for the current generation of adolescents, the vampires are the heroes of the series, instead of the enemy.

22. The writer of the passage ----.

- A) believes the fondness for vampires started with Meyer's books
- B) states that one would easily find something about vampires in multimedia publications
- C) has a negative attitude towards the excessive interest in supernatural beings
- D) thinks old vampire movies gained more popularity than the current ones
- E) questions why people are crazy about the nocturnal creatures

23. The passage implies that, the vampires in the movies of previous decades were ----.

- A) not considered as supernatural
- B) less similar to ordinary people in appearance
- C) not friendly with the humankind
- D) in relationship with only adolescents
- E) looked older than the current ones

24. According to the passage, teenagers' interest in the *Twilight Saga* ----.

- A) alarmed authorities to take action
- B) didn't find a response in the media
- C) gave rise to good vampires
- D) was taken advantage of in the market
- E) disturbed some marketers

25. – 26. sorularda, karşılıklı konuşmanın boş bırakılan kısmını tamamlayabilecek ifadeyi bulunuz.

25. Dean:

- ----

Sid:

- I just wanted to inform people about the dangers in our school.

Dean:

- But now, parents will want us to install air purifiers for their kids who have asthma.

Sid:

- Well, I did not think that I was doing something wrong.

- A) Our economy is in very good shape, and we'd like you to start a science project!
- B) I am furious with you boy! Who told you to publish these results on pollen levels?
- C) We cannot afford to reward you, but we will allow you to study for free this year.
- D) Let's sit down and just let me know if I can reward you with a slice of chocolate cake.
- E) You need to learn how they purify drinking water in some regions.

26. Danielle:

- Would you say it is a good book?

Steve:

- It is quite sad, and it might even make you cry.

Danielle:

- ----

Steve:

- Definitely, because of the frequent use of complex grammar structures.

- A) Wasn't the part about the Brooklyn Bridge very sad?
- B) Do you think I will get the message as well as you did?
- C) Did you have difficulty understanding it?
- D) What level is it- upper intermediate or advanced?
- E) There are many ways to learn grammar and vocabulary, aren't there?

27. – 28. sorularda, verilen cümleye anlamca en yakın cümleyi bulunuz.

27. Until recently, our ancestors were believed to have migrated from Africa 120,000 years ago.

- A) We wrongly believed until recently that our ancestors left Africa 120,000 years ago.
- B) Until recently, we had no idea that it was Africa that our ancestors had left 120,000 years ago.
- C) We have recently begun to believe that our ancestors left Africa 120,000 years ago.
- D) It is only recently that our ancestors have been discovered to have left Africa 120,000 years ago.
- E) Until recently, we had no idea that our ancestors left Africa 120,000 years ago.

28. The reason for her sudden death was later announced to be a stroke that resulted from high blood pressure.

- A) According to the latest announcement, she died of a stroke after a sudden rise in blood pressure.
- B) She died from a stroke followed by a sudden rise in blood pressure, but it was announced much later.
- C) As later announced, she suddenly died of a stroke caused by a rise in blood pressure.
- D) She was announced to have had a stroke that caused her death much later than the sudden rise in blood pressure.
- E) It was announced that the rise in blood pressure caused her to have a sudden stroke, which could have resulted in her death.

29. – 30. sorularda, verilen duruma uygun düşen cümleyi bulunuz.

29. You are the owner of a highly profitable advertising company. Recently, a group of your workers have won you a very profitable bid. Since this is not their first achievement, you decide to reward them for all their successes so far. However, you don't want to spend a lot of money. So you offer mealy and say: ----

- A) I have reserved five rooms for two people in each, in a five-star hotel, so you can go there with one of your friends.
- B) You will not believe it, but I have bought a car for each of you.
- C) As we are going through hard times these days, I have to put off rewarding you.
- D) I really appreciate your accomplishments guys. Drinks on me tonight!
- E) I'd rather wait till I get the next month's sales figures and reward you then.

30. You have gone to a steakhouse with one of your friends who is very shy. She has ordered a well-done steak, but when her meal comes, you notice that the meat is underdone and that she is too shy to make a complaint. You have ordered a medium-cooked steak, but rare meat is also OK with you. In order to save her from having to get into a conversation with the waiter, you make an offer and say: ----

- A) If I were you, I would stop being so shy and do whatever needed to have the meal I'd like to eat now.
- B) The waiter is treating you so, for you are too shy to make a fuss, so you'd better make him change your food.
- C) I can't understand why you haven't ordered a well-done steak, like mine.
- D) My steak is more cooked than I like. How about swapping our plates?
- E) Mine is rare, so if you want, you can have it.

31. – 32. sorularda, boş bırakılan yere, parçada anlam bütünlüğü sağlamak için getirilebilecek cümleyi bulunuz.

31. The green building movement is changing the way buildings are constructed. ---- Natural resources were being damaged, energy and water consumption was rising, and so was pollution off all kinds. This environmental destruction has continued, so the green building movement emerged as a solution.

- A) The movement started in the 1970s as people began to see that modern life was destroying the environment.
- B) Green builders try to make use of recycled materials as much as possible.
- C) In the early years, the goal of the movement was considered unrealistic.
- D) For many years, green building ideas were viewed as a costly option.
- E) Green building methods reduce damage to the environment.

32. *The House of Royals* is a book about women in Saudi Arabia, and about life inside the gilded walls of a rich family's home. The children of this wealthy family are mostly female; there are ten girls, and only one boy, who is favoured by his parents. ---- It continues to describe her arranged marriage and her love for her husband.

- A) This apple is taken away from her and given to the brother to eat, as he is the only boy.
- B) It is common for rich Saudi families to buy summer homes in other countries.
- C) The book tells the story of one of the sisters and her childhood friends.
- D) The book is in the list of the Best Five Hundred Books For Women, which is quite a distinction.
- E) The oldest brother spends most of his time chatting with friends in his "majlis".

33. – 35. soruda, verilen İngilizce cümleye anlamca en yakın Türkçe cümleyi bulunuz.

33. Moonbow is a rainbow which appears at night and which is formed by the light reflected from the Moon, rather than from sunlight.

- A) Ay kuşağı, gece görünen bir gökkuşağıdır ve güneş ışığından ziyade, Ay'ın yansıttığı ışıkla oluşmaktadır.
- B) Ay kuşağı, güneş ışığından ziyade, Ay'dan yansıyan ışıkla oluşan bir gökkuşağı olduğundan gece görünmektedir.
- C) Ay kuşağı, gece görünen ve güneş ışığından ziyade, Ay'dan yansıyan ışıkla oluşan bir gökkuşağıdır.
- D) Gece görünen bir gökkuşağı olan ay kuşağı, güneş ışığından ziyade, Ay'dan yansıyan ışıkla oluşur.
- E) Güneş ışığından ziyade Ay'ın yansıttığı ışıkla oluşan ay kuşağı, gece görünen bir gökkuşağıdır.

35. The government has decided to shut down some of its embassies and schools abroad due to the arguments going on for weeks.

- A) Haftalardır süren tartışmalardan dolayı, hükümet yurt dışındaki bazı elçilik ve okullarını kapatma kararı aldı.
- B) Haftalardır süren tartışmalar, hükümetin yurt dışındaki bazı elçilik ve okullarını kapatma kararı almasına sebep oldu.
- C) Yurt dışındaki bazı elçilik ve okullar, haftalardır süren tartışmalar nedeniyle hükümet kararıyla kapatılacak.
- D) Hükümetin, yurt dışındaki bazı elçilik ve okullarını kapatmaya yönelik aldığı karar haftalardır tartışılmaktadır.
- E) Yurt dışındaki bazı elçilik ve okullarla ilgili tartışmalar haftalardır sürdüğünden, hükümet bunları kapatmaya yönelik kararlar aldı.

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36. – 38. soruda, verilen Türkçe cümleye anlamca en yakın İngilizce cümleyi bulunuz.

34. People have to sleep because it maintains cognitive skills such as speech, memory, and innovative thinking at a normal level.

- A) Konuşma, hafıza ve yenilikçi düşünce gibi bilişsel becerileri normal seviyede tutan uykudur, bu yüzden insanlar uyumalıdır.
- B) Uyku; konuşma, hafıza, ve yenilikçi düşünce gibi bilişsel becerileri normal seviyede tuttuğundan, insanlar uyumak zorundadır.
- C) Uyku gereklidir, çünkü bu, insanların konuşma, hafıza ve yenilikçi düşünce gibi bilişsel becerilerini normal seviyede tutar.
- D) Normal seviyede olması gereken konuşma, hafıza ve yenilikçi düşünce gibi bilişsel beceriler, insanların uyumasını zorunlu kılar.
- E) Konuşma, hafıza ve yenilikçi düşünce gibi bilişsel becerilerin normal seviyede tutulması için insanlar uyumak zorundadır.

36. Tekneleri alabora olan iki balıkçı, bir çöp bidonuna tutunarak dondurucu suda hayatta kalmayı başardı.

- A) The two fishermen whose boat capsized clung to a dumpster and survived in the freezing water.
- B) It was with the help of the dumpster they clung to when their boat capsized that the two fishermen were able to survive in the freezing water.
- C) The two fishermen whose boat capsized were able to survive in the freezing water by clinging to a dumpster.
- D) The two fishermen survived in the freezing water by clinging to a dumpster when their boat capsized.
- E) The two fishermen who clung to a dumpster when their boat capsized were able to survive in the freezing water.

37. Pizzanın, savaş zamanı yokluk yüzünden, İtalyan kadınların hamurun üzerine buldukları malzemeleri atmasıyla bulunduğunu çoğu insan bilmez.

- A) That pizza was found by Italian women's putting whatever ingredients they found on dough due to poverty during wartime is not known by many people.
- B) Many people don't know the fact that it was the Italian women who found pizza by putting whatever ingredients they found on dough due to poverty during wartime.
- C) Not many people know that pizza was found during wartime by Italian women, who put whatever ingredients they found on dough due to poverty.
- D) Pizza was found during wartime by Italian women, putting whatever ingredients they found on dough due to poverty, but not many people know it.
- E) Not many people know that pizza was found by Italian women's putting whatever ingredients they found on dough due to poverty during wartime.

38. Uyku sırasında yüzün sarkmasını önleyerek yaşlanma etkilerini geciktirdiği iddia edilen uyku kaskı, Japonya'da üretildi.

- A) The sleeping helmet produced in Japan is claimed to delay the effects of aging by preventing the face from sagging during sleep.
- B) The sleeping helmet claimed to be produced in Japan delays the effects of aging by preventing the face from sagging during sleep.
- C) It is claimed that a sleeping helmet which delays the effects of aging by preventing the face from sagging during sleep was produced in Japan.
- D) The sleeping helmet claimed to delay the effects of aging by preventing the face from sagging during sleep was produced in Japan.
- E) A sleeping helmet that is claimed to be preventing the face from sagging as well as delaying the effects of aging during sleep was produced in Japan.

39. – 40. sorularda, cümleler sırasıyla okunduğunda parçanın anlam bütünlüğünü bozan cümleyi bulunuz.

39. (I) Human impact on the natural world is more apparent and widespread than ever before. (II) Almost 40% of the Earth surface has been converted into cropland. (III) However, the environmental consciousness growing over the last few years is a promising step to start revising this destruction. (IV) Past productive lands are turning into deserts at an alarming rate while low-lying coastal areas appear to be threatened by flooding. (V) In addition, an estimated three unique plant and animal species go extinct every hour.

- A) I B) II C) III D) IV E) V

40. (I) In 1936 Adolf Hitler did everything possible to showcase the Olympic games held in Berlin, Germany. (II) His favourites on the games were supposed to prove that the Germans were members of a master race. (III) However, Hitler had not reckoned with the talent of Jesse Owens, the black track star from Ohio State, who walked away with four gold medals. (IV) The 1936 Berlin Olympic Games had been handed to Berlin before the Nazis came to power. (V) Hitler was so upset that he left the stadium when Owens received his gold medals.

- A) I B) II C) III D) IV E) V