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1. - 20. sorularda, verilen cümlede boş bırakılan yerlere uygun düşen sözcük ya da ifadeyi bulunuz.

1. **Africa has been known for centuries as the continent suffering from extreme forms of ---- and other serious life-threatening problems due to severe poverty.**

- A) possession B) legend
C) contradiction D) famine
E) diagnosis

2. **Due to high computer technology, international testing services can provide ---- scores with no calculation errors just after a person has taken test.**

- A) humble B) accurate
C) shallow D) reckless
E) filthy

3. **In the last two decades, people in Türkiye have lost their faith in ---- organizations as most of them have failed to convey people's donations to those who really need them.**

- A) heredity B) confirmation
C) vulnerability D) charity
E) hesitance

4. **Experts frequently warn prospective mothers to take necessary measures against a possible calcium ---- in their kids as it will hinder proper teeth and bone development.**

- A) legalization B) secularisation
C) deficiency D) illiteracy
E) praise

5. **According to the latest newspaper report, the nationwide famous surgeon was ---- of negligence in his last operation where an injured man miserably died from the severe loss of blood.**

- A) charged B) blamed
C) accused D) restored
E) terminated

6. **My officemate's husband is such a(n) ---- arrogant and restless man that I can't understand how she manages to put up with him in the twenty-four hours of the day.**

- A) immensely B) reluctantly
C) vertically D) distantly
E) subsequently

7. **With the invention of laptop computers, desktop computers have become ---- as they are considerably inferior to laptops in many technological respects.**

- A) obsolete B) prejudiced
C) remarkable D) hazardous
E) annual

8. **One of the ---- reasons why some European countries object to Türkiye's full admission to the European Union is directly related to Türkiye's poor economy.**

- A) chief B) graceful
C) detachable D) literary
E) sympathetic

9. **One of the rules of language testing simply states that a language test must be carefully checked before it can be ---- applied in a certain group of learners.**

- A) extravagantly B) snobbishly
C) validly D) hesitantly
E) infectiously

10. **I got really shocked when I saw my neighbour stroking a cat ---- behind the ears because I had always thought she hated all kinds of animals.**

- A) tenderly B) deliciously
C) emphatically D) independently
E) perceptually

11. **The famous musician's unique blend of musical styles and his ability to connect deeply with listeners ---- him fame in a short time.**
 A) were earning B) had earned
 C) have earned D) will be earning
 E) are earning
12. **Scientists in Hong Kong ---- samples of liver tumour cells and ---- that some of the cells contained high levels of a variant of the protein called CPE.**
 A) were studying / will find
 B) had been studying / found
 C) study / have found
 D) are studying / find
 E) have studied / are finding
13. **The Chairman's remarks ---- so astounding that the audience ---- to him with utmost attention and everybody clapped at the end of his speech.**
 A) are / has listened
 B) have been / is listening
 C) were / listened
 D) will be / listens
 E) are / was listening
14. **The first lecture ---- new students to the broad outlines of the subject. It is only after a week or two that the students start to study everything in detail.**
 A) introduces
 B) introduced
 C) is introducing
 D) would introduce
 E) has introduced
15. **Tamales ---- a popular street food in Mexico, with vendors selling them from carts or stalls. These street tamales often ---- unique fillings, showcasing the creativity of Mexican cuisine.**
 A) were / will have B) have been / have
 C) will have been / had D) are / have
 E) are / have had
16. **The earliest examples of Mayan inscriptions ---- rulers and their achievements, as well as religious rituals and mythological stories.**
 A) were depicting B) depicted
 C) will be depicting D) have depicted
 E) are depicting
17. **Demand for cars in the developed world ---- an unbelievable point within twenty years. They are essential for people to be able to travel.**
 A) has reached B) reached
 C) is reaching D) was reaching
 E) will have reached
18. **The tragic heroes of Greek mythology, such as Achilles ---- a significant mark on modern literature and pop culture. Their stories of pride, fate, and downfall ---- to captivate audiences.**
 A) have left / continue
 B) were leaving / continued
 C) left / were continuing
 D) will leave / will continue
 E) leave / have continued
19. **Popular Swedish skiing resorts ---- plans to use water from local lakes and create dams to make fake snow for the pistes, which ---- in fights with environmental groups.**
 A) devised / resulted
 B) devised / will have resulted
 C) have been devising / results
 D) are devising / had resulted
 E) devise / would result
20. **My wife's jealousy ---- ridiculous. The other day she ---- at my calendar on my phone and wanted to know who May was.**
 A) is getting / looked
 B) got / looks
 C) gets / had looked
 D) will be getting / looked
 E) has got / will look

1. - 20. sorularda, verilen cümlede boş bırakılan yerlere uygun düşen sözcük ya da ifadeyi bulunuz.

1. **Hundreds of letters were received by the publisher, complaining that some words ---- racism. Therefore, they had to change them in the book for the next editions.**
- A) have promoted B) promoted
C) had promoted D) promote
E) are promoting
2. **According to the recent researches the birth rate for older women ----, but, by contrast, births to younger mothers ----.**
- A) had declined / will increase
B) has declined / increased
C) has declined / have increased
D) declines / were increasing
E) will decline / will have increased
3. **A visit of the school, where my son studies, to the museum ---- the students to modern art and some of them expressed their interest in pursuing an art career.**
- A) is introducing B) was introducing
C) has been introducing D) introduces
E) introduced
4. **My neurologist told me about a patient of ---- who saw a farm scene before each time she had a seizure. It made ---- feel better to know I wasn't alone.**
- A) hers / me B) him / me
C) theirs / her D) mine / me
E) hers / her
5. **We will find ---- on the streets if we don't pay the rent. I will try to find another job to work at weekends and make extra money. My current salary is not enough.**
- A) us B) ourselves
C) we D) our
E) ours
6. **The union ---- with the management for two years because they refused to pay the workers the minimum wage. People are outraged since there is still no outcome.**
- A) had fought B) has been fighting
C) fights D) was fighting
E) will fight
7. **You shouldn't change ---- goals simply because they don't fit into ---- else's plans. You will regret it in the future if you do that. I am your friend. I don't want you to make mistakes.**
- A) yours / anybody B) you / no one
C) your / someone D) your / everybody
E) yourself / somebody
8. **James ---- down the street after work when he ---- an old friend of his from college. He found out that his friend moved back to the town a few weeks ago.**
- A) walks / has seen
B) has been walking / sees
C) walked / saw
D) was walking / saw
E) is walking / is seeing
9. **Several publishers ---- her book, but that ---- her more determined instead of bringing her down. She had confidence in herself and she decided to rewrite the book.**
- A) rejected / made
B) reject / will make
C) have rejected / makes
D) were rejecting / is making
E) rejected / had made
10. **Her parents ---- the old furniture out of her old downstairs room and put it upstairs months before her brother was born. The furniture was still in a very good shape.**
- A) are moving B) will move
C) had moved D) have moved
E) move

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1. - 5. sorularda, aşağıdaki parçada numaralanmış yerlere uygun düşen sözcük veya ifadeyi bulunuz.

The only American dialect that is not identified as American (1) ---- on an island called Ocracoke. Located 34 miles from the North Carolina mainland, Ocracoke Island is an isolated place. If you want to go there, it has to be (2) ---- boat. In the early 1700s, that meant Ocracoke was a perfect spot for pirates to hide. William Howard, (3) ---- used to be a pirate on Blackbeard's ship, was pardoned by King George I and he settled down in this island to build a (4) ----. Over time, Native Americans, English sailors and pirates from a variety of places settled in the island. They slowly started blending words and dialects and eventually (5) ---- their own way of speaking.

1.

- A) has been spoken B) speaks
C) is spoken D) are speaking
E) was spoken

2.

- A) of B) by
C) with D) out
E) up

3.

- A) where B) when
C) what D) who
E) why

4.

- A) buffet B) security
C) record D) minimum
E) community

5.

- A) brought about B) showed off
C) put on D) set up
E) took over

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1. - 5. sorularda, aşağıdaki parçada numaralanmış yerlere uygun düşen sözcük veya ifadeyi bulunuz.

(1) ---- the telephone dates from the late 1870s, the standard telephone system never (2) ---- a major educational tool, not even in distance education, because of the high cost of analogue telephone calls for multiple users, (3) ---- audio-conferencing has been used to supplement other media since the 1970s. Video-conferencing using dedicated cable systems and dedicated conferencing rooms have been in use (4) ---- the 1980s. The development of video compression technology and (5) ---- low-cost video servers in the early 2000s led to the introduction of lecture capture systems for recording and streaming classroom lectures in 2008.

1.

- A) Hence B) Although
C) Lest D) Since
E) Nonetheless

2.

- A) becomes B) had become
C) became D) becoming
E) has become

3.

- A) also B) in spite of
C) still D) thus
E) although

4.

- A) from B) by
C) for D) since
E) in

5.

- A) relatively B) silently
C) kindly D) slowly
E) bravely

13. **A liger, which is a crossbreed between a lion and tiger, very rarely mate in the wild and are found mostly in zoos, where they don't have a lot of enemies, ----.**

- A) though this kind of crossbreeding is no longer approved by responsible zoos
- B) because crossbreeding may result in unexpected defects as in the case of liger
- C) as there are certainly some other important variables affecting the outcome
- D) with the strength of a lion and speed of a tiger combined
- E) the offspring are known as ligers and the pairing is approved widely

14. **We are all taught when we are young that stealing is wrong, but at the same time, ----.**

- A) thieves take money, gold, drugs, or any of the other common choices, they are doing so in hopes of becoming rich
- B) most of us can understand why people steal the things they do as people often steal out of need or to become rich
- C) there are instances where people have chosen to steal things that seem so random or bizarre that it is hard to work out
- D) the robber was actually trying to get away with a truck that the owner had parked outside his home
- E) this will not protect you in the event of someone deciding to grab your house and run away with it while you are out

15. **Although some deserts are very hot, with daytime temperatures as high as 54°C ----.**

- A) with night-time temperatures dipping below freezing
- B) it is hard for most of the lifeforms under such harsh conditions and heat
- C) other deserts have cold winters or are cold year-round
- D) a desert is an area of land that receives no more than 25 cm of precipitation a year
- E) high temperatures can make it impossible to bear without water any longer than thirty minutes

16. **Being marsupial mammals, Tasmanian devils give birth to tiny, underdeveloped offsprings, ----.**

- A) in which they try to survive till they develop to be a certain size
- B) as Tasmania is the only place where they are found in the wild
- C) whose babies crawl up the mother's fur and into her pouch
- D) when trying to join in as other devils are eating an animal
- E) which complete their development in the mother's pouch

17. **While modern historians believe that the English king William II was killed accidentally, ----.**

- A) the more grounded suggestion that the hostile king of France had planned everything
- B) after the hunt began, the news spread that William had been shot and killed by an arrow in the heart
- C) the English king William II went hunting in southern England's royal New Forest with a hunting party
- D) in fact, the English king William II ended up leaving England for France
- E) others have speculated that there are still many things uncovered and deeper research is needed to be done

18. **Though slavery in America has long been illegal in the United States, ----.**

- A) the traces of the African slave trade are still seen throughout American society
- B) the colonists still considered Native Americans slaves due to the fact that they were not Christian
- C) it was less agriculturally minded and more domestic; many slaves in the Northern colonies were maids, butlers and cooks
- D) the benefits of abolishing slave trade have been felt positively in the entire continent ever since then
- E) the demand for more and more crop and the work of cotton increased the country's dependency on slaves

5. **Most of the new students were well- informed of the curriculum, so they had no difficulty in adapting to the classes.**
- A) A majority of the new students didn't have any difficulties in adapting themselves to the classes as they had had sufficient information about the curriculum.
 - B) Nearly all of the new students found it difficult adapting themselves to the classes although they were well-informed about the curriculum.
 - C) Most of the new students are well- informed about the curriculum and as a result they don't experience difficulties during classes.
 - D) The students who had an easy adaptation process to the classes were the ones who had been well-informed beforehand.
 - E) Many of the new students experienced no difficulties in adapting to the classes despite the lack of information they had about the curriculum.

6. **San Antonio is the third largest city in Texas, after Houston and Dallas, and the chief trade centre of southern Texas.**
- A) Houston and Dallas are the first two largest cities in Texas and the city that comes after them is San Antonio, which is the main trade centre of southern Texas.
 - B) There are no larger cities than San Antonio in Texas including Houston and Dallas, both of which are the key trade centres of southern Texas.
 - C) Houston and Dallas are important trade centres in Texas but they are not so big as San Antonio.
 - D) Texas has only three large cities, namely San Antonio, Houston, and Dallas, which are all main trade centres of southern Texas.
 - E) The third largest city in Texas is San Antonio yet it is not as important as Houston and Dallas as a trade centre.

7. **So as to have an accurate idea of the financial situation of the firm, the boss should consider the judgments of the managers.**
- A) What the boss should have done to get a clear picture of the financial condition of his company was to take the directors' analyses into account.
 - B) The boss can have a precise idea about the situation of the company only if he doesn't ignore the managers' opinions.
 - C) If the boss wants to know the real condition of the company, it is obligatory that he consult the managers at first.
 - D) In order to have a precise idea about the financial condition of the firm, the boss had to follow the managers' advise.
 - E) With the aim of having a precise idea about the financial condition of the company, the boss should take the assessments of the administrators into consideration.

8. **Egyptian pyramids were regularly robbed despite their complex passageways and false walls for protection.**
- A) The complex passages and false walls were built in Egyptian pyramids after the robberies.
 - B) Because of their complicated passageways and false walls, Egyptian pyramids couldn't be robbed out.
 - C) To prevent the pyramids from robbery, the Egyptians built some intricate passages and false walls.
 - D) It wouldn't have been possible to rob Egyptian pyramids if complicated passages and false walls had been built.
 - E) Even the complicated passages and the false walls couldn't prevent the Egyptian pyramids from being robbed frequently.

9. **Sound is a wave in the air. If we could see air the way we see water, we'd see the waves that sounds make. Sound waves bounce and produce an echo if they hit something big and solid like the side of a hill or the walls of a cave. If nothing stops the sound waves, they just get smaller and smaller. ---- That's why we don't usually hear echoes in the house.**

- A) Or they are absorbed by soft things such as carpets, draperies, or large pieces of furniture.
- B) An echo is a sound you make that bounces back to you from hills or other surfaces.
- C) For instance, it is said that a duck's quack is the only sound that doesn't echo.
- D) Bats use echoes to tell what is around them in the dark and dolphins do the same thing underwater.
- E) Human beings have learned to harness the power of echoes for navigation too.

10. **Rain makes things cleaner. It helps flowers grow and helps keep plants green. It washes the dust from cars and houses. It leaves roads shiny. And it leaves a fresh smell in the air. ---- It can leave cars looking streaky and windows spotty. Some rain will even ruin the paint on cars. It will damage or kill the plants it falls on and the fish living in lakes that are fed by rain. Such rain is called acid rain.**

- A) It has damaged some of the world's great monuments, including the cathedrals of Europe.
- B) Rain is water droplets that have condensed from atmospheric water vapor and then fall under gravity.
- C) This kind of rain harms many forms of life, including human life, and damages buildings.
- D) Increasing temperatures tend to increase evaporation which can lead to more precipitation.
- E) But rain can also be dirty because as it falls, it gathers up any pollution that's in the air.

11. **Have you ever seen black smoke spilling out of factory chimneys, turning the sky a dirty grey? This is air pollution. Cars, trucks, buses, and even lawnmowers release gases and particles that pollute the air too. ---- When farm chemicals that kill insect pests or help crops grow sink into ground and water, they pollute too. And noise pollution is created by loud machines and honking cars.**

- A) Citizens that care about the environment never dump waste on land or in water.
- B) Stopping pollution isn't hard if people can change the way they live a little bit.
- C) Land pollution, water pollution, and even noise pollution are also big problems.
- D) For example, even small changes such as reusing things instead of throwing them away helps.
- E) It is certain that more people will use cleaner forms of energy such as wind power and solar energy.

12. **Caves are natural openings in the Earth large enough for a person to get in. Most have been made when rainwater or streams have worn away rock, usually a soft rock such as limestone. ---- As more and more rock wears away, the opening grows wider and deeper. Soon even more water can flow in. In time, many of these openings become huge caves, or caverns.**

- A) Slowly, over millions of years, the water makes a small tunnel-like opening in the soft rock.
- B) Some caves, however, have beautiful craggy formations that hang from the cave's roof.
- C) In France, the Jean Bernard is one of the world's deepest caves, reaching down more than 5,000 feet.
- D) When lava flowed out of the volcano, it left gaps, making these volcanic caves.
- E) Mammoth Cave in Kentucky, which is one of the longest in the world, is a linked system of caverns.