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ESOGU FLD Proficiency Test **100** adet test sorusundan oluşmaktadır.

Aşağıdaki Örnek, Proficiency Test'teki çeşitli soru türlerindeki bölümlerden (Vocabulary – Grammar - Sentence/Paragraph Completion – Closest Meaning – Situation/Dialogue - Irrelevant Sentence – Reading) oluşan 30 soruyu içermektedir.

Choose the best alternative in 1 – 6.

1. When births outnumber deaths, the population increases; when the _____ is true, then it falls.
a. growth b. opposite c. proportion d. decreases
2. The young man who was _____ of killing his girlfriend was sentenced to life-long imprisonment.
a. confessed b. admitted c. accused d. denied
3. Though atomic bombs are dangerous, the _____ waste they leave behind is actually a bigger problem since it can make a place unsafe for thousands of years.
a. accurate b. hazardous c. domestic d. harmless
4. I went to New Zealand in July last year and, _____ Peter was there at the same time. We didn't bump into each other, though.
a. accurately b. coincidentally c. alternatively d. appropriately
5. Due to their fear of the dentist, most people try to _____ visiting one until the last possible moment.
a. keep on b. take on c. wear off d. put off
6. Students here _____ from those in other parts of the world in many ways.
a. differently b. difference c. different d. differ

Choose the *antonym* of the underlined word in 7.

7. He voluntarily agreed to give up his job at the company and to join us as a partner.
a. reluctantly b. enthusiastically c. inefficiently d. considerably

Choose the *synonym* of the underlined word in 8.

8. The moon landing is considered one of the great achievements of mankind, but it has never since been repeated.
a. performances b. accomplishments c. procedures d. steps

Choose the best alternative in 9 – 18.

As a composer, Beethoven was a genius but as a person he was not very easy to like. He was a passionate man who lost his temper very easily. He was also arrogant. The upper classes of Vienna (9)_____ him to parties, (10)_____ he was often quite rude. He was once heard to say to a prince: "There will always be many princes, but there is only one Beethoven." How was (11)_____ man inspired to write such romantic music? Perhaps the answer lies in the three letters (12)_____ after his death.

9. a. was inviting
b. were invited
c. used to invite
d. used to be invited
10. a. that
b. who
c. whose
d. where
11. a. so bad-tempered
b. such a bad-tempered
c. bad-tempered
d. too bad-tempered
12. a. which were found
b. which found
c. were found
d. finding

13. Let's not go anywhere at the weekend. The weather reports say it is going to be rainy; _____, we have a project to complete then.

- a. however b. moreover c. therefore d. otherwise

14. Lately, I have been thinking ___ changing my career because I am dissatisfied ___ the conditions in my present company.

- a. for / on b. over / from c. about / with d. with / about

15. The recently married couple is very upset. _____ invitations had been delivered, but _____ people came to their wedding ceremony.

- a. A large number of / too few b. A large amount of / very many
c. Too many / very little d. A great many / any

16. Although Arnold _____ his insurance policy for years, the insurance company _____ to meet all of the loss after his house burned down.

- a. had paid/is refused b. has been paying/had refused
c. had been paying/refused d. has been paid/refuses

17. Adolescence, the process of changing from a child into an adult usually _____ sometime between the ages of 11 and 14 and _____ for approximately six to ten years.

- a. occurs / continues b. occurred / has been continuing
c. will occur / continued d. occurs / was continuing

18. When the winners arrived at the award ceremony, the President _____ was there to greet _____.

- a. myself / their b. themselves / ours c. itself / ourselves d. himself / them

Choose the best alternative that completes the missing part in 19-20.

19. _____ as long as you pay attention and stick to the rules.

- a. There is a huge number of fascinating views around Britain
b. Scuba divers get a great deal of pleasure from exploring sea life
c. Scuba diving is very safe
d. Scuba was first patented in 1865 and was perfected over the years

20. Recently a great deal of research has been carried out on the benefits of marriage. On average, married people are healthier and have lower mortality rates than single, divorced or separated people. _____. Moreover, they suffer from less anxiety, depression and other mental ailments. These findings apply to both sexes.

- a. Their lives are more regular and secure and they engage in fewer harmful activities
b. Formal marriage usually involves a higher degree of personal commitment
c. Several research projects show that women also benefit
d. This means that serious violence among married couples is fairly uncommon

Choose the best alternative that is *closest* in meaning to the given sentence in 21.

21. All the best items had been sold by the time we got to the exhibition.

- a. Some of the most valuable things at the exhibition weren't sold till much later.
b. We stayed on at the exhibition until all the best things had been sold.
c. This time there were some very fine items at the exhibition.
d. We arrived at the exhibition too late to find anything worth buying.

Choose the best alternative in the following situation and dialogue in 22-23.

22. Angela : Isn't it possible to use the air-conditioner as a heater?
Malcolm : It certainly is. Are you feeling cold? Shall I turn it on for you?
Angela : _____
Malcolm : The signs and symbols on the remote control device make it easy to turn on.

- a. It would be nice. I really am feeling cold.
b. Please do. We can turn it off when the central heating comes on.
c. I wish you would. That's if you know how to do so.
d. Of course. Now the sun's gone, it's quite getting cold.

23. A friend's child is acting in a very disturbing way. You feel that professional help is urgently needed, so you say to your friend and her husband:
- a. You must come to some agreement between yourselves before going to a psychiatrist.
 - b. I really think you ought to consult a psychiatrist as soon as possible.
 - c. All children go through difficult times.
 - d. Why don't you wait a little? I think you're being over-anxious.

Choose the irrelevant sentence in 24.

24. (I) Television means literally "seeing at a distance". (II) Pictures and sound from all over the world can be seen and heard on a small screen in your own home. (III) There are far more channels today than anyone dreamed of just a few years ago. (IV) This is achieved by translating picture and sound information into ultra high frequency waves. (V) These can be transmitted, like radio, then re-translated into picture and sound through an electronic gadget: the television set.

- a. I
- b. II
- c. III
- d. IV

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Choose the best alternative in 25-30 according to the following text.

Of the once-stately city of Kish, today only ruins can be seen. It lies between the Tigris and Euphrates rivers, about 13 kilometres east of the site of Babylon in what is now Iraq. Inscriptions in the ruins state that it was "the first city founded after the Flood." As the traditional first capital of the Sumerians, Kish was an early centre of civilization. In ancient times, the area was fertile, so wheat and other crops could be grown there. The Sumerians settled around a bend of the Euphrates River, where they built a city more than 8 kilometres long and almost 3 kilometres wide, which **they** strengthened against their enemies. Until as late as the time of King Sargon I, about 2300 BC, Kish dominated the Near East. Then it declined because the Euphrates River changed its course elsewhere, and when finally it was abandoned, desert sand covered its ruins. Archaeologists were excavating the ruins between 1923 and 1933, when they dug into virgin soil and found 18 metres below the top of the mound, remains of several cultures, from Neolithic times to the Christian era. The discovery of a four-wheeled chariot was astounding and it was the earliest known wheeled vehicle. Other discoveries showing the highly developed Sumerian civilization were thick-walled temple towers, canals and a library with some of the earliest known writing. (**Kaynak: ELS**)

25. We can *infer* from the passage that the excavation of the ruins at Kish _____.
- changed the previously available knowledge concerning the age of wheeled transportation
 - revealed how the Euphrates River had changed its course in ancient times
 - provided evidence that the city was founded soon after the flood
 - proved that the area was uninhabitable before the Sumerians arrived
26. One can conclude from the passage that the city of Kish _____.
- was replaced by Babylon as the capital of the Sumerian civilization
 - needed to be next to the river Euphrates in order to remain powerful
 - was the only city to be strengthened by the Sumerians
 - was inhabited by several different cultures at the same period of time
27. It is clear from the passage that the Sumerians _____.
- used to build their strengthened cities amongst hills or in the bends of rivers
 - built the first library in the world
 - changed the direction that the river Euphrates was flowing in
 - were the most powerful nation in the Near East for a quite a long period in ancient times
28. It is understood from the passage that King Sargon I _____.
- was not the first ruler of the Sumerians in Kish
 - ordered the building of the 24-kilometre walls that surrounded his capital city
 - conquered all of the Near East during his reign
 - built many thick-walled temple towers, canals and a library
29. It can be concluded from the passage that _____.
- wheat and the other crops grown alongside the Euphrates in ancient times were exclusive to that area
 - virgin soil protects objects of archaeological interest far better than desert sand does
 - civilized people were living on the site of the future city of Kish before it was founded by the Sumerians
 - cities which are built next to rivers are certain to be abandoned later on
30. What does "**they**" refer to in line 6?
- The Sumerians
 - The Euphrates
 - kilometres
 - enemies

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| 1. B | 8. B | 15. A | 22. C | 29. C |
| 2. C | 9. C | 16. C | 23. B | 30. A |
| 3. B | 10. D | 17. A | 24. C | |
| 4. B | 11. B | 18. D | 25. A | |
| 5. D | 12. A | 19. C | 26. B | |
| 6. D | 13. B | 20. A | 27. D | |
| 7. A | 14. C | 21. D | 28. A | |