



Lisansüstü İngilizce Yeterlik Sınavı İçeriği

A. LANGUAGE USE SECTION (35-50 items, 0.5 points each)

A.1. Grammar (Sentence Based)

A.2. Vocabulary (Sentence Based)

B. READING SECTION (15-25 items, 1 point each)

B.1. Sentence Completion

B.2. Reading Text (Comprehension / Reference / Vocabulary)



Sınavlarda Uyulması Gereken Kurallar ve Genel Bilgiler

1. Sınav Yabancı Diller Yüksekokulu binasında yapılır. Adaylar sınava girecekleri salonlara ilişkin bilgiyi, Yabancı Diller Yüksek Okulu web sayfasından ve sınav sabahı binadaki panolara asılan listelerden takip etmelidirler. Bu nedenle adayların sınav binasına erken gelmeleri doğru olacaktır.
2. Sınava girecek adayların, gerekli kodlamalar için, sınav saatinden en az 15 dakika önce sınav salonlarında bulunmaları gerekir.
3. Sınava geç kalan adaylar sınavın ilk 15 dakikasından sonra sınava alınmazlar.
4. Sınavların ilk 15 ve son 10 dakikası içinde salondan hiçbir nedenle çıkılamaz. Sınav esnasında sınav salonunu her ne sebeple olursa olsun terk eden adaylar salona geri alınmazlar.
5. Adaylar yanlarında Başkent Üniversitesi tarafından verilmiş resmi kimlik belgesi (veya nüfus cüzdanı, ehliyet), yumuşak uçlu kurşun kalem ve silgi bulundurmalarıdır.
6. Sınavlara cep telefonu, bilgisayar ve bilgisayar işlevi görebilecek her türlü teknolojik cihaz, saat, kitap, defter, sözlük vb. ile girilmesi kesinlikle yasaktır. Adayların sınav başlamadan önce cep telefonlarını kapatarak gözetmenlere teslim etmesi gerekmektedir.
7. Sınavda kopya çekme veya kendi yerine sınava başkasını sokma girişiminde bulunan adayların sınav notu “0” sayılacak ve tutanak tutularak, haklarında yasal işlem (disiplin soruşturması) başlatılacaktır.
8. Tüm adaylar, sınav süresince gözetmenlerin talimatlarına uymakla yükümlüdürler.

ÖNEMLİ DUYURU:

Aşağıda verilen sınav soru tiplerine örnek teşkil etmesi için hazırlanmıştır. Sınavda çıkacak soru sayısı, konular veya sınavın zorluk derecesi ile ilgili bir taahhüt içermez. Yabancı Diller Yüksekokulu sınavın içeriğinde, soru tiplerinde, soru sayısında, sınav süresinde ya da puan dağılımında değişiklik yapma hakkını saklı tutar.

Bu materyalin her hangi bir şekilde kopyalanması ya da çoğaltılması, ya da izinsiz olarak kullanılması durumunda gerekli yasal yaptırımlar uygulanır.



20xx-20xx ACADEMIC YEAR

xxxx TERM

PROFICIENCY EXAM

00

Exam Code : xxx-PR

Exam Date : xx.xx.20xx

Duration : 75 minutes

Name & Surname : _____

Student ID Number : _____

Exam Room : _____

Tüm yanıtlar optik forma işaretlenmelidir. Kitapçık üzerinde yapılan işaretlemeler kesinlikle dikkate alınmayacaktır. Optik formun doğru bir şekilde kodlanmasında tüm sorumluluk adaylara aittir.

Language Use Section	: xx POINTS	Pages: xx
-----------------------------	-------------	-----------

Reading Section	: xx POINTS	Pages: xx
------------------------	-------------	-----------

TOTAL	: xx POINTS
--------------	-------------

CONVERTED TOTAL	: 100 POINTS
------------------------	--------------



A. LANGUAGE USE SECTION

GRAMMAR:

A.1. Choose the best alternative to complete each blank. (0,5 points each)

1. **Anna:** Whose keys are these?
Bruce: Not _____. Ask your sister.
a) yours b) my c) your d) mine
2. **Frank:** We should go to a travel agency and make a reservation.
Sue: Don't worry. I _____ already made an online reservation.
a) have b) am c) did d) was
3. You're driving very fast! We will have an accident if you _____ down.
a) didn't slow b) slowed c) don't slow d) slow
4. He is _____ person in the company. He always finds a solution to every problem.
a) clever b) more clever c) the clever d) the most clever
5. I'm afraid your exam score is not _____. Next time, you should do _____ than this.
a) good / the best c) well / better
b) good / better d) well / best
6. Lena is only 13 years old. I think she isn't _____ to drive a car.
a) old enough b) enough old c) too old d) old too
7. Last night while I _____ to my friend on the phone, an earthquake happened. It was scary!
a) was talking b) have been talking c) talked d) had talked
8. Megan is nervous about everything nowadays. She _____ be so relaxed back in our university years. I wonder what's wrong with her life.
a) would b) wouldn't c) used to d) didn't use to
9. **Andrea:** Do you have any plans for summer?
Tom: We haven't really thought about it, but we _____ abroad.
a) go b) are going c) might go d) will definitely go
10. I have decided to leave John. We have _____ in common and we have completely different plans for the future.
a) something b) anything c) everything d) nothing
11. The traffic was terrible. When we arrived at the airport, our plane _____. So we had to buy tickets for the next flight.
a) have taken off b) had taken off c) didn't take off d) had to take off



12. _____ I had a big breakfast just a few hours ago, I feel hungry right now.
a) Although b) Therefore c) Because d) Before
13. Almost fifty people _____ to the ceremony, but there weren't any children among them.
a) invite b) inviting c) were invited d) invited
14. **Andy:** In this picture, my sister _____ next to my father.
Jack: How little she looks! Now your sister is taller than _____.
a) sits / he's b) sits / he c) is sitting / his d) is sitting /him
15. The hotel _____ I always stay is in the city centre. The rooms are not big _____ they are very clean.
a) which / so b) which / but c) where / but d) where / so
16. **Hanna:** What's the matter? You _____ upset.
Danny: It's the project. I don't think I can finish it on time.
Hanna: Don't worry. I _____ you.
a) look / will help c) are looking / will help
b) look / help d) are looking / help
17. It's 8.50. Can you please hurry up? The class _____ at 9. We'll be _____.
a) is starting / late c) is starting / lately
b) starts / late d) starts / lately
18. I need 6 eggs to make a cake for the guests, but we don't have _____. Only one left. Can you go shopping?
a) much b) many c) a little d) any
19. I met _____ girl you told me about. We sat _____ a tree and talked for hours
a) a / in front of b) the / above c) a / outside d) the / under
20. **Lilly:** It's a lovely day! _____ go outside and have something to drink?
Laurel: Great idea! But I _____ finish writing this report first.
a) Why don't we / must
b) Shall we / don't have to
c) How about / have to
d) Let's / mustn't

21. Athens deserves to be the _____ city of Greece. It's really beautiful.
a) lead b) head c) capital d) big
22. Your hair looks dirty. You must _____ it tonight.
a) clean b) wash c) brush d) tidy
23. I stopped gardening when the rain started. I didn't want to get _____.
a) warm b) dry c) windy d) wet
24. Susan's not well. I think we should _____ her to a hospital.
a) go b) take c) give d) leave
25. According to the weather forecast, it will be a _____ day tomorrow. We should definitely plan an outdoor activity.
a) stormy b) boiling c) lovely d) freezing
26. Carlos loves repairing things, especially cars. That's why he wants to train to be a _____.
a) mechanic b) painter c) journalist d) architect
27. Our baby is a bit fat so it is difficult to _____ him around.
a) bring b) check c) carry d) get
28. Can I have a _____ ticket to Paris, please, coming back tomorrow?
a) return b) one-way c) double d) long
29. Don't _____ to send the mail first thing in the morning. It's important.
a) remember b) forget c) mind d) type
30. My dream is to study _____ and learn a new language there.
a) strange b) foreign c) abroad d) culture
31. The seminar was so _____ that I everyone stayed until the end.
a) interested b) bored c) boring d) interesting
32. When it comes to your family, you should _____ the truth. Never keep secrets from them.
a) say b) tell c) talk d) describe
33. When you come across a word that you don't know, _____ in your dictionary.
a) look it up b) look for it c) look after it d) look at it
34. I think we'll have to _____ some money from our families. Otherwise we we won't be able to pay our bills.
a) lend b) ask c) spend d) borrow



35. When the Turkish scientist Aziz Sancar won the 2015 Noble prize in chemistry, he made all the Turkish people _____.
a) mysterious b) frightened c) proud d) peaceful
36. My little son is very _____. Whenever he hears a sad song, he starts crying.
a) sentimental b) passionate c) independent d) identical
37. When the dog jumped on me, I was so scared that I _____ my laptop on the floor and now I can't turn it on.
a) fell b) held c) broke d) dropped
38. Ray Charles, who is a very important figure in soul music, always played his songs _____. Music was very important in his life and he was a master of the piano and keyboard.
a) passionately b) honestly c) completely d) immediately
39. Children _____ languages very easily. They are better learners than adults.
a) take back b) pick up c) go on d) fill in
40. When we were kids, I never _____ my brother. We fought like cats and dogs all the time, but now he is one of my best friends.
a) fell out with b) grew up c) got on well with d) gave up

B. READING SECTION

SENTENCE COMPLETION

B.1. Choose the best option to complete each blank. (1 point each)

41. Although the dress was expensive, _____.
a) I wanted to try it on anyway
b) I lost my credit card
c) I couldn't buy it
d) I got the wrong size
42. The company will fire some of the employees _____.
a) and the new director meets them
b) if the working hours are long
c) so they are well-qualified
d) because of the financial problems
43. Derek organized a surprise birthday party for his wife _____.
a) so he loved his wife more than anything
b) because there wasn't enough food
c) when their children come home
d) and invited all the close family members
44. The nurse applied a cold press to the footballer's ankle because _____.
a) he wanted to win the match in the end
b) he was badly injured during the match
c) the other team took him to the hospital
d) all players in the team felt sorry for him



45. The school will have to hire more teachers _____.
a) when the new teachers arrive
b) as long as there are less classes
c) as the number of students is going to increase
d) since some of them are well-qualified
46. The house was not expensive but _____.
a) he still couldn't afford it
b) he wanted to decorate it
c) he found a reasonable one
d) he didn't like his neighbours
47. A map is not enough. If you want to go sightseeing, _____.
a) it is a good idea to do it with a tour guide
b) hitchhiking is still common in some countries
c) museum tickets are very expensive in this city
d) cycling is the best way to lose weight
48. I visited my childhood hometown last weekend and it was a long trip. However, _____.
a) I was very tired of driving that long
b) I couldn't find the house where I was born
c) I missed the plane because of the traffic
d) I was happy to see them for the first time
49. She was one of my best friends in high school _____.
a) while I studied very hard
b) if we were at university
c) and she will always be
d) but everybody likes her
50. Jeff started working at a very early age so _____.
a) he always has fun with his friends
b) he completed his university education first
c) he was unhappy about the money
d) he now has a lot of work experience



TEXT 1: Read the text and answer the following questions.

HOW MANY COLOURS DO YOU EAT?

There is an old saying: "You are what you eat." When you eat the right foods, you feel better physically, emotionally and mentally. Moreover, eating right protects you from diseases, and most of them are very serious such as diabetes or cancer. Most people believe that we become ill because of old age. That is not true at all. Today more and more health experts
5 say that we don't get sick because of age; we get sick because of what we eat.

Dr. Mark Hyman, who is an international leader in the field of [Functional Medicine](#), says what you choose to eat is a more powerful medicine than anything you will find at the bottom of a pill bottle. Hyman recently wrote a book called [Food: What the Heck Should I Eat?](#) He says "Eating healthy is more **confusing** than ever. You know what I'm talking about.
10 One day eggs are unhealthy, and then the next day they are a miracle food. One year the government tells us to eat bread and pasta, then next year they tell us to cut carbohydrates. I want to change the beliefs about food that are making people fat and sick and help them to have a healthier and longer life."

In his book, Dr. Hyman wrote the truth about the food we actually eat, what is healthy and not. He says "For example, we know that eating food that has a lot of Omega 3 fatty acids - such as fish or walnuts- is important. Studies show that these acids help lose weight and fight depression, cancer and more. However, all fish also have some amount of mercury in them, and if we eat fish which have high level of mercury, it can damage our brain development." Therefore, he suggests eating wild-caught fish, not farmed fish! Wild-caught
15 fish such as wild Pacific salmon, shrimp or smaller fish such as sardines and anchovies have more Omega 3 acids, but they have very little mercury.

On a television show, Dr. Hyman gave the following advice: "If you want to be healthy, eat real food and eat the rainbow as in different colours of fruit and vegetables. Also take supplements such as Vitamin D3, Vitamin C, Omega 3 fatty acids, B12 and Probiotics, do
20 exercise regularly, sleep well, don't use chemicals such as shampoo and **avoid** stress."

Another health expert, *Dr. Leslie Korn* noticed that some of the foods that her patients were eating affected their mental health positively. Then she decided to write a book called *The Good Mood Kitchen: Simple Recipes and Nutrition Tips for Emotional Balance*. In her book, she explains the importance of specific foods. Korn says "I think our body is like a car engine
30 in some ways. We need to give it the right fuel. What's more, each of us needs a particular combination of proteins, and carbohydrates and healthy fats."

Leslie Korn also suggests eating the rainbow, and she calls it *The Brainbow Diet*, adding the letter "b" for "brain," meaning this diet is useful for the brain. She says "the colours in food represent different vitamins. So, eating a rainbow of fruits and vegetables is good for the brain. The "Brainbow" food list also includes red foods such as watermelons; orange foods-
35 carrots, oranges, pumpkins; yellow foods- lemons, bananas; green foods- spinach, cucumber, avocados; white foods- garlic, onion, nuts; purple foods- eggplants, blueberries.

Dr. Hyman and Dr. Korn are not the only ones who attach importance to the food we eat. There are more and more doctors and health experts that make connection between food and health, so we should be aware of the new information about food and eat accordingly to be healthy.
40



B.2. Choose the best alternative according to the text. (1 point each)

51. Why did Dr. Hyman decide to write a book about food?
- He wanted people to eat more carbohydrates.
 - He wanted everybody to know that eggs are a miracle.
 - He wanted to help solve the government's health problems.
 - He wanted people to understand real and healthy food.
52. What is one thing Dr. Hyman does **NOT SAY** about Omega 3 fatty acids?
- These acids are helpful in losing weight.
 - We can get Omega 3 acids only from fish.
 - Omega 3 acids can help fight serious illnesses.
 - Omega 3 acids play an important role in our health.
53. According to the text, what information is **TRUE** about fish?
- Wild fish is as healthy as farmed fish.
 - Wild fish has more Omega 3 than smaller fish.
 - The mercury in fish can affect brain development.
 - The mercury in fish is good for depression and anxiety.
54. Which of the following **CAN'T BE** Dr. Hyman's advice?
- Eat small farmed fish
 - Add colour to your diet
 - Stop using chemical products
 - Be physically active
55. Why did Dr. Korn write a book about food?
- Her patients who had depression didn't have a healthy diet.
 - Some foods that her patients were eating improved their psychology.
 - She discovered similarities between the human brain and car engines.
 - She wanted to be a world-famous doctor and a bestseller.
56. What does Dr. Korn mean when she talks about *Brainbow Diet*?
- Eating fruits and vegetables make you feel happy.
 - Fruits and vegetables are healthier than fish and meat.
 - Each colour of fruit and vegetable is helpful for the brain.
 - Eating only one colour of vegetable or fruit every day is good.
57. In line 9, **confusing** means _____.
- | | | | |
|--------------|--------------|----------------|-----------|
| a) not clear | b) organized | c) not natural | d) strong |
|--------------|--------------|----------------|-----------|
58. In line 25, **avoid** means _____.
- | | | | |
|-------------|------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| a) look for | b) turn on | c) take care of | d) stay away from |
|-------------|------------|-----------------|-------------------|
59. In line 3, them refers to _____.
- | | | | |
|-------------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|
| a) health experts | b) diabetes | c) most people | d) diseases |
|-------------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|
60. In line 30, it refers to _____.
- | | | | |
|---------------|---------------|--------------------|--------------|
| a) car engine | b) human body | c) Dr. Korn's book | d) the brain |
|---------------|---------------|--------------------|--------------|

THIS IS THE END OF THE TEST. PLEASE CHECK YOUR ANSWERS ON YOUR OPTIC SHEET.



ANSWER KEY

- | | |
|-------|-------|
| 1. D | 30. C |
| 2. A | 31. D |
| 3. C | 32. B |
| 4. D | 33. A |
| 5. B | 34. D |
| 6. A | 35. C |
| 7. A | 36. A |
| 8. C | 37. D |
| 9. C | 38. A |
| 10. D | 39. B |
| 11. B | 40. C |
| 12. A | 41. A |
| 13. C | 42. D |
| 14. D | 43. D |
| 15. C | 44. B |
| 16. A | 45. C |
| 17. B | 46. A |
| 18. B | 47. A |
| 19. D | 48. B |
| 20. A | 49. C |
| 21. C | 50. D |
| 22. B | 51. D |
| 23. D | 52. B |
| 24. B | 53. C |
| 25. C | 54. C |
| 26. A | 55. B |
| 27. C | 56. C |
| 28. C | 57. A |
| 29. B | 58. D |
| | 59. D |
| | 60. B |