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# SIFATLAR



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### LIST OF BASIC ADJECTIVES / TEMEL SIFAT LİSTESİ TABLO 1

<b>1. ÖNEMLİ / ÖNCELİKLİ</b>	<b>2. TEMEL / GEREKLİ</b>
1. Important	1. Necessary
2. Crucial	2. Essential
3. Critical	3. Fundamental
4. Vital	4. Required
5. Significant	5. Basic
	6. Needed
<b>3. ZORUNLU / ŞART</b>	<b>4. TUHAF / GARİP</b>
1. Mandatory	1. Strange
2. Obligatory	2. Weird
3. Compulsory	3. Odd
4. Enforced	4. Bizarre
	5. Peculiar
<b>5. SAÇMA / ABSÜRT</b>	<b>6. ŞAHANE / SIRADIŞI</b>
1. Ridiculous	1. Fantastic
2. Absurd	2. Wonderful
3. Irrational	3. Excellent
4. Silly	4. Outstanding
	5. Extraordinary
<b>7. ÇOK MİKTARDA / BOL</b>	<b>8. AZ SAYIDA / AZ MİKTARDA</b>
1. Abundant	1. Few
2. Numerous	2. Little
3. Plenty	3. Meagre
4. Ample	4. Low
5. Considerable	<b><u>Ender / nadir</u></b>
6. Substantial	5. Scarce
	6. Rare
<b>9. YETERSİZ / SINIRLI</b>	<b>10. UFAK / ÖNEMSİZ</b>
1. Inadequate	1. Tiny
2. Insufficient	2. Paltry
<b><u>Sınırlı</u></b>	3. Insignificant
3. Limited	4. Negligible
4. Restricted	<b><u>Kısa</u></b>
<b><u>Eksik</u></b>	4. Brief
5. Short of	5. Short
6. Lack of	6. Concise

### EXERCISE 1 - Collocation Test: Aşağıdaki ifadeleri doğru şekilde tamamlayan sözcüğü bulunuz.

- importance / significance  
A) crucial B) concise
- achievement / success  
A) short B) significant
- time / man  
A) low B) short
- performance / effort  
A) extraordinary B) plenty
- evidence  
A) enforced B) ample
- power  
A) silly B) considerable
- species  
A) rare B) enforced
- sense of humour  
A) weird B) brief
- registration  
A) mandatory B) scarce
- basic ----  
A) scientist B) training
- ridiculous ----  
A) argument B) health
- news  
A) low B) fantastic
- amount  
A) substantial B) wonderful
- sleep / time / money  
A) absurd B) lack of
- sum / amount  
A) negligible B) silly
- income / temperature  
A) low B) compulsory

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### EXERCISE 2 – Adjective Synonyms Test 1:

Verilen sözcüklere anlamca yakın sözcükleri seçiniz.

- 1) “crucial” means ----.  
A) important B) vital C) plenty  
D) critical E) absurd
- 2) “necessary” means ----.  
A) essential B) ample C) limited  
D) tiny E) required
- 3) “abundant” means ----.  
A) required B) numerous C) tiny  
D) critical E) plenty
- 4) “few” means ----.  
A) plenty B) little C) meager  
D) low E) numerous
- 5) “strange” means ----.  
A) little B) weird C) odd  
D) low E) basic
- 6) “mandatory” means ----.  
A) odd B) enforced C) obligatory  
D) compulsory E) weird
- 7) “tiny” means ----.  
A) paltry B) obligatory C) insignificant  
D) enforced E) excellent
- 8) “wonderful” means ----.  
A) little B) excellent C) outstanding  
D) fantastic E) paltry
- 9) “basic” means ----.  
A) essential B) outstanding C) required  
D) fantastic E) fundamental
- 10) “inadequate” means ----.  
A) fundamental B) insufficient C) plenty  
D) required E) ridiculous
- 11) “absurd” means ----.  
A) ridiculous B) irrational C) insufficient  
D) silly E) little
- 12) “brief” means ----.  
A) short B) irrational C) concise  
D) ample E) bizarre
- 13) “vital” means ----.  
A) crucial B) significant C) tiny  
D) short E) concise
- 14) “peculiar” means ----.  
A) significant B) strange C) weird  
D) crucial E) bizarre
- 15) “numerous” means ----.  
A) abundant B) weird C) plenty  
D) bizarre E) ample
- 16) “limited” means ----.  
A) restricted B) ample C) significant  
D) plenty E) lack of
- 17) “substantial” means ----.  
A) short of B) numerous C) plenty  
D) considerable E) odd
- 18) “concise” means ----.  
A) brief B) plenty C) odd  
D) numerous E) short
- 19) “needed” means ----.  
A) required B) brief C) essential  
D) short E) necessary
- 20) “meager” means ----.  
A) few B) essential C) low  
D) required E) little
- 21) “outstanding” means ----.  
A) low B) excellent C) fantastic  
D) wonderful E) few
- 22) “obligatory” means ----.  
A) enforced B) wonderful C) compulsory  
D) mandatory E) fantastic



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### EXERCISE 3 – Test 1: Verilen cümleyi tamamlamak için uygun ifadeyi seçiniz.

- 1) The most **significant / abundant** achievement in human history is the invention of history.
- 2) Wearing a helmet when riding a motorcycle is **mandatory / tiny**.
- 3) Sandra is enthusiastic and hardworking and has the potential to be an **odd / excellent** teacher.
- 4) There has been **numerous / insufficient** rainfall over the past two years, and farmers are having trouble.
- 5) Luke put out his hand and touched the **enforced / tiny** fingers of his baby daughter.
- 6) Some questions seem critical, but others are **scarce / silly**.
- 7) I could suggest many different methods, but anyway, here are just **a few / compulsory**.
- 8) The president read a **low / brief** statement to reporters before boarding his plane.
- 9) She struggled to overcome her **necessary / irrational** fear of the dark.
- 10) The city of Mycenae played a **crucial / few** role in the history of Greece.
- 11) This useful leaflet gives some **basic / irrational** information.
- 12) She felt there was something **short / strange** about Dexter's voice.
- 13) There is no **fundamental / restricted** difference between people of different races.
- 14) I loved listening to his **mandatory / outstanding** descriptions of life in Italy.
- 15) Military service is **obligatory / lack of** for all men who are over 20 in New Zealand.
- 16) During the war, things like clothes and shoes were **scarce / excellent**.
- 17) There were **fantastic / numerous** arrests and injuries, as well as unconfirmed stories of killings.
- 18) I think yoga is good and enjoyable, but some people think it is **ridiculous / plenty**.
- 19) The book is a series of interviews with **brief / outstanding** artists and famous writers.
- 20) Certain health problems are linked to poor diet and **lack of / fundamental** exercise

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### LIST OF BASIC ADJECTIVES / TEMEL SIFAT LİSTESİ TABLO 2

<b>1. BÜYÜK / DEVASA</b>	<b>2. AYRI / FARKLI</b>
1. Huge 2. Immense 3. Giant 4. Gigantic 5. Vast 6. Enormous <b>Derin</b> 7. Profound / deep	1. Separate 2. Distinct 3. Different 4. Noticeable 5. Divergent 6. Diverse
<b>3. AÇIK / NET</b>	<b>4. CANLI / İŞİLTİLİ</b>
1. Evident 2. Clear 2. Apparent 3. Obvious	1. Shining 2. Luminous 3. Gleaming 4. Lively 5. Vibrant
<b>5. GÖRÜNÜR / GÖRÜLEBİLEN</b>	<b>6. DEĞERLİ / KIYMETLİ</b>
1. Visible 2. Bright 3. Vivid	1. Invaluable 2. Valuable 3. Priceless 4. Precious
<b>7. PARASIZ KALMIŞ / İFLAS ETMİŞ</b>	<b>8. YAPILABİLİR / KARLI / UYGULANABİLİR</b>
1. Bankrupt 2. Broke	1. Commercial 2. Feasible 3. Viable 4. Practical 5. Applicable 6. Profitable 7. Lucrative 8. Gainful
<b>9. YENİLİKÇİ</b>	<b>10. DÜZGÜN / UYGUN</b>
1. Innovative <b>Yetkin</b> 2. Competent 3. Qualified	1. Appropriate 2. Fit 3. Proper

### EXERCISE 1 - Collocation Test: Aşağıdaki ifadeleri doğru şekilde tamamlayan sözcüğü bulunuz.

- difference / gap  
A) huge B) lucrative
- areas of rainforest  
A) innovative B) vast
- effect / impact  
A) profound B) qualified
- category / country  
A) separate B) broke
- It is ---- that they agree with us.  
A) giant B) apparent
- solution to a problem  
A) viable B) bankrupt
- colour / character  
A) vivid B) lucrative
- sky  
A) commercial B) clear
- a ---- lawyer / engineer  
A) competent B) lucrative
- investment  
A) vivid B) profitable
- go ----  
A) priceless B) bankrupt
- job / attitude  
A) proper B) broke
- information  
A) broke B) invaluable
- jewel  
A) fit B) precious
- activity  
A) broke B) commercial
- social life / atmosphere  
A) lively B) bankrupt

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### EXERCISE 2 – Adjective Synonyms Test 2:

Verilen sözcüklere anlamca yakın sözcükleri seçiniz.

- 1) “evident” means ----.  
A) vast B) apparent C) proper  
D) clear E) broke
- 2) “separate” means ----.  
A) apparent B) distinct C) different  
D) vivid E) clear
- 3) “shining” means ----.  
A) luminous B) different C) broke  
D) gleaming E) distinct
- 4) “huge” means ----.  
A) lively B) giant C) enormous  
D) gigantic E) luminous
- 5) “visible” means ----.  
A) vivid B) enormous C) broke  
D) giant E) proper
- 6) “priceless” means ----.  
A) precious B) vivid C) different  
D) invaluable E) bankrupt
- 7) “viable” means ----.  
A) priceless B) feasible C) invaluable  
D) applicable E) practical
- 8) “broke” means ----.  
A) qualified B) practical C) clear  
D) priceless E) bankrupt
- 9) “appropriate” means ----.  
A) fit B) broke C) vibrant  
D) proper E) noticeable
- 10) “gainful” means ----.  
A) profitable B) proper C) vast  
D) lucrative E) gleaming
- 11) “noticeable” means ----.  
A) distinct B) lucrative C) separate  
D) different E) precious
- 12) “competent” means ----.  
A) different B) vivid C) enormous  
D) qualified E) shining
- 13) “immense” means ----.  
A) huge B) vast C) evident  
D) competent E) priceless
- 14) “clear” means ----.  
A) apparent B) evident C) obvious  
D) innovative E) broke
- 15) “applicable” means ----.  
A) viable B) apparent C) broke  
D) feasible E) lively
- 16) “valuable” means ----.  
A) priceless B) evident C) huge  
D) invaluable E) broke
- 17) “luminous” means ----.  
A) valuable B) shining C) giant  
D) vibrant E) invaluable
- 18) “lucrative” means ----.  
A) shining B) vibrant C) different  
D) profitable E) gainful
- 19) “proper” means ----.  
A) separate B) fit C) clear  
D) bankrupt E) appropriate
- 20) “apparent” means ----.  
A) commercial B) appropriate C) evident  
D) fit E) clear
- 21) “vast” means ----.  
A) evident B) clear C) enormous  
D) giant E) huge
- 22) “distinct” means ----.  
A) different B) huge C) noticeable  
D) enormous E) divergent

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### EXERCISE 3 – Test 2: Verilen cümleyi tamamlamak için uygun ifadeyi seçiniz.

- 1) He has an **enormous / innovative** amount of work to finish before Friday.
- 2) At last, the city was able to introduce a / an **broke / innovative** system of traffic control.
- 3) New students are expected to be **commercial / competent** in mathematics.
- 4) China is a/an **huge / evident** country in terms of population.
- 5) He tries to keep his professional life completely **separate / enormous** from his private life.
- 6) It was clearly **feasible / evident** that the company was in financial difficulty.
- 7) He couldn't tell what time it was since his watch didn't have a **luminous / bankrupt** screen.
- 8) Catering is a very **lucrative / visible** business if you succeed in it.
- 9) She just came back from holiday and she's completely **broke / innovative**.
- 10) Their most **deep / valuable** belongings were locked in a safe in the bedroom.
- 11) He did well in his exams, despite his **apparent / proper** lack of interest in his work.
- 12) The mother's behaviour has a **profound / profitable** impact on the developing child.
- 13) The use of sound was effective and **appropriate / broke**, and caught the audience's attention.
- 14) Our top priorities must be profit and **bankrupt / commercial** growth.
- 15) Istanbul is one of the most culturally **diverse / broke** cities in the world.
- 16) Tarkan's almost all songs are **broke / lively**.
- 17) Stars are **visible / competent** at nights when there is clear sky.
- 18) It is not **gigantic / proper** for teachers to give exam questions beforehand.
- 19) The baby doll is old and worn, but it's **precious / lucrative** to me because it was my mother's.
- 20) My uncle spends too much and thus he is **proper / broke** now.

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### LIST OF BASIC ADJECTIVES / TEMEL SIFAT LİSTESİ TABLO 3

<b>1. OLASI / İMKANSIZ</b>	<b>2. -İN EŞİĞİNDE</b>
<b><u>Olası</u></b> 1. Possible 2. Probable 3. Likely	1. on the brink of <i>N / ing</i> 2. on the verge of 3. on the edge of 4. be about to
<b><u>İmkansız</u></b> 1. Improbable 2. Impossible 3. Unlikely	
<b>3. TARAFSIZ / NESNEL</b>	<b>4. KIZGIN / HAYAL KIRIKLIĞINA UĞRAMIŞ</b>
1. Objective 2. Neutral 3. Impartial 4. Fair	1. Angry 2. Annoyed <b><u>Hayal kırıklığına uğramış</u></b> 3. Disappointed 4. Frustrated
<b>5. YENİLMEZ / GÜÇLÜ</b>	<b>6. KÖTÜ HUYLU / KAVGACI</b>
1. Invincible 2. Unbeatable 3. Strong 4. Powerful 5. Mighty	1. Belligerent 2. Offensive
<b>7. DİKKATLİ / TİTİZ</b>	<b>8. ÜNLÜ / İYİ BİLİNER</b>
1. Careful 2. Cautious 3. Meticulous	1. Eminent 2. Distinctive 3. Famous 4. Illustrious 5. Celebrated
<b>9. ŞÜPHECİ / KUŞKUCU</b>	<b>10. KARARLI</b>
1. Doubtful 2. Sceptical 3. Dubious	1. Determined 2. Decisive

### EXERCISE 1 - Collocation Test: Aşağıdaki ifadeleri doğru şekilde tamamlayan sözcüğü bulunuz.

- as soon as ----**  
A) possible B) careful
- cause**  
A) unbeatable B) probable
- customer**  
A) angry B) neutral
- effort / researcher**  
A) belligerent B) determined
- play / decision**  
A) annoyed B) fair
- artist / singer**  
A) celebrated B) impossible
- character**  
A) strong B) likely
- planning**  
A) eminent B) meticulous
- on the ---- of bankruptcy**  
A) edge B) objective
- director / artist**  
A) on the edge of B) illustrious
- look / tone**  
A) eminent B) doubtful
- analysis / attitude**  
A) objective B) annoyed
- customers / audience**  
A) disappointed B) invincible
- building / actor**  
A) offensive B) famous
- scientist / painter**  
A) improbable B) eminent
- driver / parents**  
A) careful B) neutral

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### EXERCISE 2 – Adjective Synonyms Test 3: Verilen sözcüklere anlamca yakın sözcükleri seçiniz.

- 1) “objective” means ----.  
A) impartial B) celebrated C) neutral  
D) fair E) strong
- 2) “on the brink of” means ----.  
A) be about to B) impartial C) impossible  
D) fair E) on the edge of
- 3) “likely” means ----.  
A) neutral B) possible C) impossible  
D) probable E) eminent
- 4) “eminent” means ----.  
A) probable B) famous C) celebrated  
D) illustrious E) distinctive
- 5) “unlikely” means ----.  
A) improbable B) famous C) celebrated  
D) impartial E) impossible
- 6) “powerful” means ----.  
A) mighty B) strong C) impossible  
D) eminent E) unbeatable
- 7) “careful” means ----.  
A) impossible B) meticulous C) illustrious  
D) mighty E) cautious
- 8) “be about to” means ----.  
A) impartial B) belligerent  
C) famous D) on the edge of  
E) on the brink of
- 9) “angry” means ----.  
A) mighty B) strong C) annoyed  
D) improbable E) on the brink of
- 10) “strong” means ----.  
A) mighty B) annoyed C) invincible  
D) famous E) powerful
- 11) “unlikely” means ----.  
A) invincible B) powerful C) impossible  
D) improbable E) careful
- 12) “careful” means ----.  
A) improbable B) cautious C) frustrated  
D) meticulous E) impossible
- 13) “objective” means ----.  
A) cautious B) meticulous C) neutral  
D) fair E) impartial
- 14) “likely” means ----.  
A) possible B) probable C) powerful  
D) fair E) aggressive
- 15) “eminent” means ----.  
A) celebrated B) probable C) famous  
D) distinctive E) cautious
- 16) “dubious” means ----.  
A) celebrated B) famous C) doubtful  
D) sceptical E) likely
- 17) “on the edge of” means ----.  
A) be about to B) sceptical  
C) decisive D) celebrated  
E) on the brink of
- 18) “sceptical” means ----.  
A) doubtful B) be about to  
C) dubious D) impossible  
E) on the brink of
- 19) “determined” means ----.  
A) objective B) impartial C) dubious  
D) decisive E) doubtful
- 20) “probable” means ----.  
A) possible B) aggressive C) decisive  
D) celebrated E) likely
- 21) “neutral” means ----.  
A) unlikely B) fair C) impartial  
D) objective E) possible
- 22) “powerful” means ----.  
A) mighty B) impartial C) objective  
D) strong E) offensive

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### EXERCISE 3 – Test 3: Verilen cümleyi tamamlamak için uygun ifadeyi seçiniz.

- 1) Children in African rural areas are very **likely / doubtful** to be poor.
- 2) Immigrants have a **careful / powerful** influence on the local culture.
- 3) It's hard to give a / an **famous / objective** opinion about one's own children.
- 4) Our representative attended the peace negotiations as an **impartial / offensive** observer.
- 5) The BBC received a number of complaints about the **celebrated / offensive** remarks made in the interview.
- 6) The excellent portrait drew the attention of at least two **eminent / impossible** artists.
- 7) Paul was very **impartial / careful** with the coffee so as not to spill it.
- 8) We will take **decisive / disappointed** steps towards political union with Europe.
- 9) It is **doubtful / famous** whether the patient will survive the operation.
- 10) Van Gogh perhaps Holland's most **likely / celebrated** artist, died in poverty.
- 11) Her back injury may make it **impossible / powerful** for her to play tennis anymore.
- 12) Work **is about to / annoyed** start on a new factory building.
- 13) There are **improbable / angry** protesters outside the closed factory.
- 14) Jack is extremely **sceptical / famous** about what he has read in the press.
- 15) Nuclear power plant project meet **strong / eminent** opposition from local people.
- 16) David is **determined / impossible** to minimize the mistakes.
- 17) The injured passenger was **celebrated / on the edge of** death when the ambulance arrived.
- 18) Richard gets **frustrated / objective** when his team loses the match.
- 19) This beautiful piece of jewellery is the work of a **belligerent / meticulous** craftsman.
- 20) Switzerland remained **eminent / neutral** during World War II.

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### LIST OF BASIC ADJECTIVES / TEMEL SIFAT LİSTESİ TABLO 4

<b>1. İSTEKLİ / İLİMLİ</b>	<b>2. ÇILGIN / DELİ</b>
1. Willing to 2. Eager to 3. Keen on / to <b>İlimli / dengeli</b>	1. Insane 2. Crazy 3. Mad
4. Moderate 5. Temperate	
<b>3. İYİMSER / KÖTÜMSER</b>	<b>4. İSYANKAR / SAVURGAN</b>
1. Optimistic 2. Hopeful <b>Kötümser</b>	1. Rebellious 2. Disobedient <b>Savurgan</b>
3. Pessimistic	3. Extravagant
<b>5. DÜŞÜNCESİZ / UMURSAMAZ</b>	<b>6. EMİN / KENDİNE GÜVENEN / KESİN</b>
1. Thoughtless 2. Reckless 3. Careless 4. Irresponsible	1. Confident 2. Sure 3. Certain 4. Assured
<b>7. ZENGİN / VARLIKLİ</b>	<b>8. TUTARLI / KALICI</b>
1. Rich 2. Wealthy 3. Prosperous 4. Affluent <b>Gelişen / büyüyen</b>	1. Consistent 2. Stable 3. Steady 4. Fixed 5. Persistent
5. Flourishing 6. Thriving	
<b>9. DEĞİŞEN / DALGALANAN</b>	<b>10. GEÇİCİ / ANLIK</b>
1. Changing 2. Fluctuating 3. Unsteady	1. Temporary 2. Momentary

### EXERCISE 1 - Collocation Test: Aşağıdaki ifadeleri doğru şekilde tamamlayan sözcüğü bulunuz.

- drive sb / me ----**  
A) crazy B) fixed
- families**  
A) momentary B) wealthy
- teenagers**  
A) rebellious B) sure
- growth**  
A) consistent B) eager
- supporter**  
A) careless B) keen
- driving**  
A) reckless B) prosperous
- job**  
A) disobedient B) temporary
- lifestyle**  
A) extravagant B) willing
- doses of caffeine**  
A) affluent B) moderate
- economic forecast**  
A) optimistic B) rich
- exchange rate**  
A) eager B) fluctuating
- problem**  
A) persistent B) optimistic
- feel ----**  
A) confident B) fixed
- parents**  
A) momentary B) irresponsible
- societies / individuals**  
A) affluent B) sure
- at a ---- price**  
A) thriving B) fixed

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### EXERCISE 2 – Adjective Synonyms Test 4: Verilen sözcüklere anlamca yakın sözcükleri seçiniz.

- 1) “keen” means ----.  
A) eager B) rich C) fixed  
D) steady E) willing
- 2) “reckless” means ----.  
A) careless B) eager C) thoughtless  
D) willing E) irresponsible
- 3) “prosperous” means ----.  
A) careless B) wealthy C) thoughtless  
D) rich E) affluent
- 4) “insane” means ----.  
A) crazy B) rich C) affluent  
D) fixed E) mad
- 5) “hopeful” means ----.  
A) wealthy B) mad C) optimistic  
D) crazy E) consistent
- 6) “willing” means ----.  
A) persistent B) eager C) thoughtless  
D) keen E) steady
- 7) “persistent” means ----.  
A) steady B) eager C) consistent  
D) keen E) fixed
- 8) “unsteady” means ----.  
A) consistent B) changing C) wealthy  
D) fluctuating E) fixed
- 9) “irresponsible” means ----.  
A) thoughtless B) fluctuating C) changing  
D) careless E) reckless
- 10) “rich” means ----.  
A) wealthy B) thoughtless C) affluent  
D) reckless E) prosperous
- 11) “certain” means ----.  
A) sure B) wealthy C) fluctuating  
D) temperate E) assured
- 12) “temporary” means ----.  
A) sure B) extravagant C) momentary  
D) consistent E) assured
- 13) “fluctuating” means ----.  
A) momentary B) changing C) unsteady  
D) moderate E) reckless
- 14) “consistent” means ----.  
A) fixed B) steady C) wealthy  
D) assured E) fluctuating
- 15) “moderate” means ----.  
A) willing B) temperate C) affluent  
D) confident E) temporary
- 16) “affluent” means ----.  
A) wealthy B) rich C) sure  
D) prosperous E) temperate
- 17) “sure” means ----.  
A) certain B) wealthy C) prosperous  
D) assured E) confident
- 18) “unsteady” means ----.  
A) changing B) certain C) confident  
D) willing E) fluctuating
- 19) “consistent” means ----.  
A) stable B) fluctuating C) fixed  
D) keen E) steady
- 20) “optimistic” means ----.  
A) steady B) hopeful C) crazy  
D) fixed E) eager
- 21) “reckless” means ----.  
A) careless B) hopeful C) thoughtless  
D) certain E) irresponsible
- 22) “insane” means ----.  
A) thoughtless B) irresponsible C) mad  
D) crazy E) hopeful

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### EXERCISE 3 – Test 4: Verilen cümleyi tamamlamak için uygun ifadeyi seçiniz.

- 1) Judges must be firm, fair and **consistent / crazy** in their application of the law.
- 2) Jack's final report is far more **careless / temperate**. It is full of all sorts of errors.
- 3) The study shows a **rich / steady** decline in the number of private college students.
- 4) I told them I was perfectly **willing / pessimistic** to help.
- 5) The Prime Minister appeared relaxed and **confident / irresponsible** of winning an overall majority.
- 6) It is **wealthy / insane** to go camping in this kind of stormy and too cold weather.
- 7) When you are **pessimistic / temporary**, your attitude is often negative towards everything.
- 8) After the war, Germany became one of Europe's most **thoughtless / prosperous** countries.
- 9) In spite of all their problems, Turkish people manage to remain **fluctuating / optimistic**.
- 10) A **momentary / affluent** cloud sometimes passes in front of the sun.
- 11) It is highly **irresponsible / thriving** of him to leave the children on their own in the pool.
- 12) The **changing / hopeful** size of an infant's head is considered an index of brain growth.
- 13) It is **certain / thoughtless** of the teenagers not to offer their seats to the old people on the bus.
- 14) After a recovery period for 3 months, Simon is **rich / eager** to get back to work as soon as possible.
- 15) **Moderate / Pessimistic** exercise, such as walking and swimming, can protect us from heart diseases.
- 16) Pam's ambition is always to marry a **rich / momentary** man.
- 17) The local police are **wealthy / hopeful** of catching those responsible for the illegal graffiti on the wall.
- 18) Fuel prices have become more **willing / stable** after several increases last year.
- 19) Exports to non-EU countries will be affected negatively by **fluctuating / willing** exchange rates.
- 20) Thailand's **flourishing / irresponsible** tourist industry is very successful and is making a profit.

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### LIST OF BASIC ADJECTIVES / TEMEL SIFAT LİSTESİ TABLO 5

1. KALICI / UZUN SÜRELİ	2. YAVAŞ / KADEMELİ
1. Permanent	1. Gradual
2. Lasting	2. Slow
3. Eternal	3. Step-by-step
4. Constant	
3. ARTAN / YÜKSELEN	4. AZALAN / DÜŞEN
1. Increasing	1. Decreasing
2. Growing	2. Descending
3. Ascending	3. Lessening
4. Soaring	4. Declining
5. Mounting	
5. ANİ / BEKLENMEDİK	6. DAKİK / HIZLI / TEZ CANLI
1. Instant	1. Swift
2. Sudden	2. Prompt
3. Immediate	3. Quick
4. Abrupt	4. Rapid
	5. Fast
7. BENZER / ALAKALI	8. AYNI
1. Similar to	1. Identical to
2. Resembling	2. The same as
3. Alike	3. Uniform
4. Akin to	
5. Related to / with	
6. Relevant	
9. EŞİT / DENK	10. ÇEŞİTLİ
1. Equal	1. Varied
2. Even	2. Various

### EXERCISE 1 - Collocation Test: Aşağıdaki ifadeleri doğru şekilde tamamlayan sözcüğü bulunuz.

- growth / reaction  
A) rapid B) alike
- gradual ----  
A) societies B) rise
- in size  
A) slow B) equal
- to economy  
A) related B) various
- coffee  
A) eternal B) instant
- twins  
A) identical B) immediate
- damage / residence  
A) permanent B) versatile
- as the original  
A) abrupt B) the same
- change  
A) mounting B) sudden
- to the original  
A) akin B) various
- distribution of wealth  
A) even B) lessening
- fear  
A) quick B) constant
- a / an ---- animal / car  
A) fast B) immediate
- peace  
A) identical B) lasting
- to the previous version  
A) similar B) the same
- unemployment / worries  
A) various B) soaring

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### EXERCISE 2 – Adjective Synonyms Test 5:

Verilen sözcüklere anlamca yakın sözcükleri seçiniz.

- 1) "increasing" means ----.  
A) growing B) declining C) ascending  
D) similar E) soaring
- 2) "decreasing" means ----.  
A) soaring B) lessening C) declining  
D) descending E) akin to
- 3) "permanent" means ----.  
A) declining B) lasting C) constant  
D) eternal E) similar
- 4) "gradual" means ----.  
A) eternal B) slow C) fast  
D) step-by-step E) sudden
- 5) "instant" means ----.  
A) slow B) sudden C) ascending  
D) abrupt E) gradual
- 6) "swift" means ----.  
A) fast B) quick C) prompt  
D) rapid E) declining
- 7) "similar to" means ----.  
A) rapid B) resembling C) akin to  
D) alike E) quick
- 8) "identical to" means ----.  
A) uniform B) the same as C) eternal  
D) slow E) step-by-step
- 9) "equal" means ----.  
A) sudden B) decreasing C) various  
D) eternal E) even
- 10) "various" means ----.  
A) uniform B) varied C) gradual  
D) increasing E) decreasing
- 11) "sudden" means ----.  
A) abrupt B) varied C) immediate  
D) instant E) eternal
- 12) "various" means ----.  
A) declining B) abrupt C) instant  
D) varied E) identical to
- 13) "quick" means ----.  
A) fast B) the same C) rapid  
D) swift E) prompt
- 14) "the same as" means ----.  
A) uniform B) fast C) rapid  
D) instant E) identical to
- 15) "constant" means ----.  
A) permanent B) uniform C) lasting  
D) rapid E) eternal
- 16) "soaring" means ----.  
A) permanent B) growing C) ascending  
D) increasing E) mounting
- 17) "sudden" means ----.  
A) increasing B) instant C) abrupt  
D) immediate E) mounting
- 18) "akin to" means ----.  
A) similar to B) gradual C) alike  
D) abrupt E) resembling
- 19) "uniform" means ----.  
A) the same as B) various C) instant  
D) gradual E) identical to
- 20) "step-by-step" means ----.  
A) slow B) gradual C) related  
D) similar E) the same as
- 21) "lessening" means ----.  
A) decreasing B) slow C) declining  
D) descending E) gradual
- 22) "eternal" means ----.  
A) lasting B) decreasing C) constant  
D) ascending E) quick



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### EXERCISE 3 – Test 5: Verilen cümleyi tamamlamak için uygun ifadeyi seçiniz.

- 1) Tourists have to sign **various / slow** documents before they visit another country.
- 2) Significant number of car accidents cause **fast / permanent** damage to those involved.
- 3) A good education system should provide **equal / abrupt** opportunities for all children.
- 4) Ali kept in **constant / unlike** contact with his family in Ankara while he was abroad in Australia.
- 5) These two coins may look the **same / ascending** but one of them is a forgery.
- 6) Rebuilding a country's economy is a long and **sudden / slow** process.
- 7) This picture is **identical / lessening** to the one in the museum of Modern Art in New York.
- 8) One's stress level increases rapidly with **slow / increasing** temperature.
- 9) Applicants must hold a degree in accounting or a **related / permanent** field.
- 10) The patient was admitted to hospital with a **varied / soaring** temperature.
- 11) The speech of Russian President is strikingly **decreasing / similar** to the American president's speech.
- 12) Rural communities are struggling because of **declining / soaring** resources due to the severe drought.
- 13) There has been a / an **alike / rapid** increase in the population of the country recently.
- 14) People's negative impact on the environment can only be improved by the **decreasing / swift** population.
- 15) Let's grab a / an **quick / increasing** lunch at that small coffee shop near the park.
- 16) Underwater cables permit **instant / descending** communication between the continents.
- 17) **Sudden / Identical** changes in your life may lead to depression.
- 18) Until we all give up violence, there cannot possibly be **lasting / identical** peace in the world.
- 19) The committee had to make a / an **abrupt / lessening** change in the project to spend less money.



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### LIST OF BASIC ADJECTIVES / TEMEL SIFAT LİSTESİ TABLO 6

<b>1. ZIT / KARŞIT / MUHALİF</b>	<b>2. UYUMSUZ / UYUŞMAZ</b>
1. Opposing 2. Contrary 3. Resisting	1. Incompatible 2. At odds with <b>Yabancı</b> 3. Alien 4. Foreign(er)
<b>3. KÖTÜ / İSTEMEYEN</b>	<b>4. VERİMSİZ</b>
1. Adverse 2. Unfavourable 3. Bad 4. Terrible 5. Awful	1. Barren 2. Infertile 3. Arid 4. Fruitless
<b>5. ACI / SERT</b>	<b>6. KARMAŞIK / KAFA KARIŞTIRICI</b>
1. Bitter 2. Alarming 3. Harsh 4. Severe	1. Confusing 2. Puzzling 3. Perplexing
<b>7. TARTIŞMALI</b>	<b>8. ZALİM ACIMASIZ</b>
1. Controversial 2. Contradictory	1. Cruel 2. Brutal 3. Evil
<b>9. YOZLAŞMIŞ / AHLAK DIŞI</b>	<b>10. SAHTE / KORSAN</b>
1. Corrupt 2. Immoral <b>Dürüst olmayan</b> 1. Dishonest	1. Counterfeit 2. Forged 3. Fake 4. False <b>Yaniltıcı</b> 5. Deceptive 6. Misleading

### EXERCISE 1 - Collocation Test: Aşağıdaki ifadeleri doğru şekilde tamamlayan sözcüğü bulunuz.

- plan  
A) controversial B) alien
- weather  
A) dishonest B) terrible
- money  
A) counterfeit B) resisting
- ideas  
A) barren B) opposing
- a ---- society  
A) false B) corrupt
- at an ---- rate  
A) alarming B) opposing
- impression / accusation  
A) false B) arid
- murder / attack  
A) barren B) brutal
- questions / explanation  
A) confusing B) forged
- land  
A) infertile B) contrary
- with the new computer  
A) incompatible B) arid
- depression  
A) severe B) corrupt
- a / an ---- language  
A) alarming B) foreign
- statements / claims  
A) forged B) contradictory
- a ---- ID card  
A) fake B) harsh
- regions / land  
A) arid B) contradictory