





Reading Passage 16

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1. It is clearly stated in the passage that the findings of Dirk Hänig ----.

- A) were refuted by other scholars later on
- B) drew largely on pre-existing scientific data
- C) led to a true understanding of the tongue map
- D) lacked a precise and concrete presentation
- E) set a remarkable example for future studies



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2. We can understand from the passage that ----.

A) the frontal part of our tongue detects sweet the most accurately

B) Dirk Hänig is still considered the forefather of human organ studies

C) the tongue diagram we are familiar with is still referred to by specialists

D) the findings of Dirk Hänig dispelled the former misconceptions

E) scientific facts and public perception may contradict every now and then





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3. What does the author imply with the statement "The true test doesn't require a laboratory"?

A) Certain facts may be recognized through experience

B) A lab test can provide scientific outcomes alone

C) The tip of the tongue senses only one taste if not all

D) Common knowledge matters the most when it comes to taste

E) Even lab tests may prove wrong unless backed up by field studies





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- 4. What could be the best title of the passage?
- A) The Latest Tongue Twister
- B) A Widely Held Myth Punctured
- C) Hänig Reveals Facts about Taste
- D) Test it or Taste it: Action Speaks Louder
- E) A Startling Discovery of New Tastes

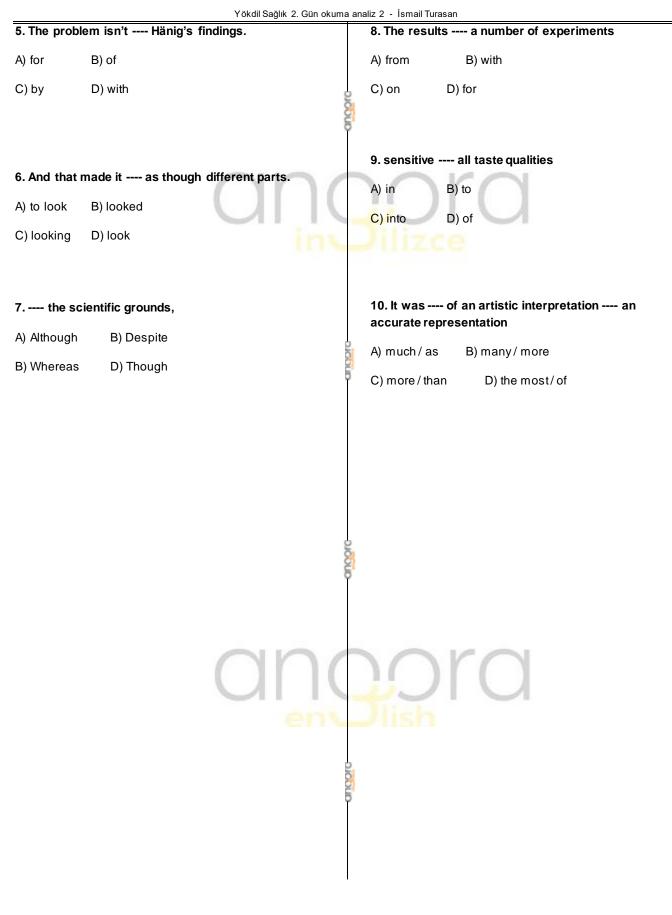




Choose the best option.		2 heur much impetus it tekes fer e teste
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C) leaves	D) starts	
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Herkes şu dil haritasını görmüştür – hani şu farklı tat alıcıları için düzgün bir şekilde çevrelenmiş farklı bölümleri olan dilin o küçük diyagramını.

Önü tatlı, yanları tuzlu ve ekşi, arkası acı olan.

Bu tanıdık ama pek de doğru olmayan haritanın temeli, bir tadın kaydedilmesi için ne kadar itici güç gerektirdiği konusunda dilin etrafında bazı farklılıklar olduğunu bulan Alman bilim adamı Dirk Hänig'in 1901 tarihli bir makalesinde bulunuyor.

Sorun Hänig'in bulgularında değil aslında.

Sorun bu bilgiyi nasıl sunmaya karar vermesiyle ilgili.

Sunumu ölçümlerinin net bir şekilde aktarılmasından çok, bu ölçümlerin sanatsal bir yorumu gibiydi.

Ve bu, dilin bazı bölümlerinin belirli tatlara diğerlerinden biraz daha duyarlı olduğunu göstermek yerine, dilin farklı bölümlerinin farklı tatlardan sorumlu gibi görünmesini sağladı.

Gerçekten de, bir dizi deneyden elde edilen sonuçlar, ağzın tat tomurcuklarını içeren tüm alanlarının, tüm tat niteliklerine duyarlı olduğunu göstermektedir.

Bilimsel temellere rağmen, dil haritası, ortak belleğimizin içine çoktan girmiştir.

Gerçek test, yine de bir laboratuvara ihtiyaç duymaz. Bir fincan kahve demleyin.

Bir soda açın.

Dilin ucuna tuzlu bir çubuk kraker dokundurun.

Herhangi bir testte, dilin bu tatları her yerinde algılayabildiği ortaya çıkıyor.







