#### **READING PASSAGE 1** Electric Vehicles

Electric Vehicles (EVs) are gaining momentum as a sustainable alternative to traditional gasoline-powered cars. Driven by growing environmental concerns and advancements in battery technology, EVs are rapidly becoming a viable choice for consumers and industries alike. Their adoption not only reduces carbon emissions but also promotes energy efficiency and innovation in the transportation sector. A major advantage of EVs lies in their lower operational costs. Unlike internal combustion engine vehicles, EVs require less maintenance and benefit from the relatively lower cost of electricity compared to fuel. Moreover, governments worldwide are incentivizing EV adoption through tax credits, subsidies, and infrastructure investments, which accelerate their integration into mainstream markets. Despite these benefits, challenges remain. Limited charging infrastructure, battery disposal concerns, and high upfront costs continue to hinder widespread adoption. However, ongoing research and development aim to address these issues, with the goal of making EVs accessible and practical for the masses in the near future.

#### **TRUE / FALSE**

- EVs are becoming popular due to both environmental and technological reasons.
- One significant drawback of EVs is their frequent need for mechanical servicing.

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# **CLOSE MEANING**

# The word viable in the first paragraph is

closest in meaning to:

- a. perilous TEHL KEL
- 6. <u>feasible</u> makul uygulanabilir fizibilitesi ola
- c. superficial yüzeysel
- d. temporary geçici
- e. ineffective verimsiz etkisiz

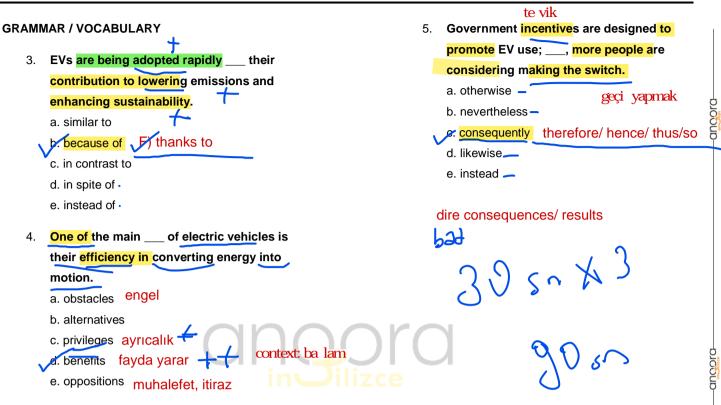


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	TRANSLATION		
1.	Electric Vehicles (EVs) are gaining momentum as a	<mark>1.</mark>	Elektrikli Araçlar (EV'ler), geleneksel benzinli araçlara
3	sustainable alternative to traditional gasoline-powered	3	sürdürülebilir bir alternatif olarak ivme kazanıyor.
	cars.	2.	Artan çevresel kaygılar ve batarya teknolojisindeki
2.	Driven by growing environmental concerns and		gelişmelerin de <b>etkisiyle</b> elektrikli araçla <b>t hem</b> tüketiciler
J	advancements in battery technology, EVs are rapidly	(	hem de sektörler için hızla <mark>uygun</mark> bir seçenek haline
	becoming a viable choice for consumers and		gelmektedir.
	(bothanđ = x and y alike)	3.	Bunların benimsenmesi <mark>sadece</mark> karbon emisyonlarını
3.	Their adoption not only reduces carbon emissions but		azaltmakla kalmıyor, aynı zamanda ulaşım sektöründe
	also promotes energy efficiency and innovation in the		enerji verimliliğini ve yeniliği de teşvik ediyor.
	transportation sector.	4.	Elektrikli araçların en önemli avantajların <mark>dan biri</mark> de
1.	A major advantage of EVs lies in their lower		düşük işletme maliyetleridir. maliyetlerinde yatmaktadır
	operational costs.	5.	İçten yanmalı motorlu araçların <mark>aksine</mark> , elektrikli araçlar
C	Unlike internal combustion engine vehicles, EVs		daha az bakım gerektirir ve yakıta kıyasla nispeten daha
an*	require less maintenance and benefit from the		düşük elektrik maliyetinden <b>yararlanır</b> .
	relatively lower cost of electricity compared to fuel.	6.	Ayrıca, dünya çapında hükümetler vergi kredileri,
	Moreover, governments worldwide are incentivizing		sübvansiyonlar ve altyapı yatırımları yoluyla elektrikli
	EV adoption through tax credits, subsidies, and		araçların benimsenmesini <b>teşvik etmekte <u>ye bu da</u> (</b> , ki bu
	infrastructure investments, which accelerate their		elektrikli araçların ana akım pazarlara entegrasyonunu 🕂 🕇
	integration into mainstream markets.		hızlandırmaktadır. doğu balandırmaktadır. Bu faydalara rağmen, <mark>zorluklar devam etmektedir. balandırmaktadır. ktadır. balandırmaktadırmaktadır. balandırmaktad</mark>
)	Despite these benefits, challenges remain. there are still challenges remain.	7. endes	Bu faydalara rağmen, zorluklar devam etmektedir.
3.	Limited charging infrastructure, battery disposal	8.	Sınırlı şarj altyapısı, <mark>batarya</mark> i <b>mha</b> endişeleri ve yüksek
	concerns, and high upfront costs continue to hinder		ön/ilk maliyetler yaygın olarak benimsenmesini
	initial: ilk widespread adoption.	$\rightarrow$	engellemeye devam etmektedir.
	However, ongoing research and development aim to	9.	Bununla birlikte, devam eden araştırma ve geliştirme
	address these issues, with the goal of making EVs		çalışmaları, elektrikli araçları yakın gelecekte kitleler için
	accessible and practical for the masses in the near	sh	erişilebilir ve pratik hale getirme hedefiyle bu sorunları
	future.		ele almayı amaçlamaktadır.
	with the aim of		
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	with a view to		-
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#### soyut isim + to verb Efforts 4.a.to combat / b.combating climate change **CLOZE TEST** is have focused on reducing carbon footprints 5.a.through Climate change represents one of the most 1.a.slight / / b.teward renewable energy sources, reforestation, and b.urgent threats facing the planet today. Rising global international cooperation. 6.a. Because / b. Although temperatures, largely driven by greenhouse gas n K emissions, are **resulting 2.in** / from severe weather global agreements such as the Paris Agreement, or events, melting polar ice, and rising sea levels. These Paris Accord, have laid the groundwork for action, environmental changes not only disrupt ecosystems but implementation remains inconsistent, and progress has been slow. Scientists warn that 7. a.thanks to / also have profound implications for human societies, 3.a.properly / b.particularly in vulnerable regions. =notably **b.without** drastic measures, the consequences may especially become irreversible. result >>>in ...ile sonuçlanmak, lead to/ cause/ trigger / induce/ if drastic measures are not taken, result from <<<<come from >>>be caused by>>> -den kaynaklanmak unless drastic measures are taken



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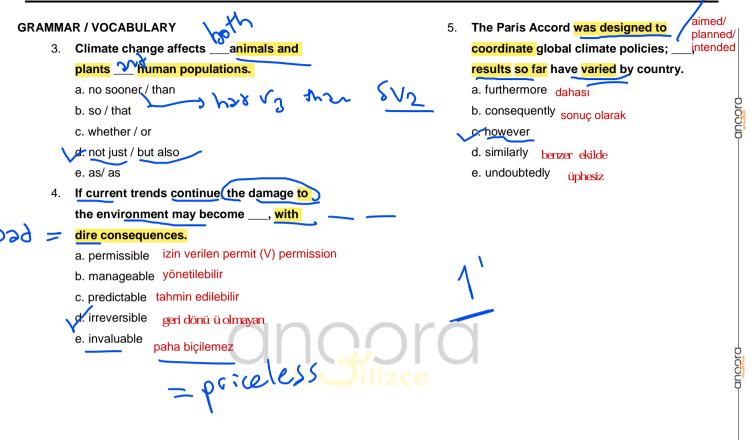
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READING PASSAGE 2. CLIMATE CHANGE	TRUE / FALSE		
Climate change represents one of the most urgent	1. The effects of climate change are limited to		
threats facing the planet today. Rising global	natural environments.		
temperatures, largely driven by greenhouse gas			
emissions, are resulting in severe weather events,	2. There is global consensus on addressing		
melting polar ice, and rising sea levels. These	climate change, but actions vary.		
environmental changes not only disrupt ecosystems but			
also have pr <mark>ofound implicatio</mark> ns for human societies,	CLOSE MEANING		
particularly in vulnerable regions.	susceptible/ prone/ fragile*		
Efforts to combat climate change have focused on	The word <u>vulnerable</u> in paragraph one is		
reducing carbon footprints through renewable energy	closest in meaning to:		
sources, reforestation, and international cooperation.	a. superficial yüzeysel		
Although global agreements such as the Paris	b. trivial önemsiz		
Agreement, or Paris Accord, have laid the groundwork 🤈 🥂			
for action, implementation remains inconsistent, and	d. hesitant tereddüt eden doubtful		
progress has been slow. Scientists warn that without	e. regular <sub>düzenli</sub>		
drastic measures, the consequences may become	ЛО		
irreversible.	ce		
	"Frailty thy (your)name is woman."		



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#### TRANSLATION

# **READING PASSAGE 2. CLIMATE CHANGE**

Climate change <u>represents one of the most urgent</u> <u>threats</u> facing the planet today.

Rising global temperatures, largely driven by greenhouse gas emissions, are resulting in severe weather events, melting polar ice, and rising sea levels.

These environmental changes not only disrupt ecosystems but also have **profound implications** for human societies, **particularly** in **vulnerable** regions.

Efforts to combat climate change have focused on reducing carbon footprints **through** renewable energy sources, reforestation, and international cooperation.

**Although** global agreements such as the Paris Agreement, or Paris Accord, have laid the groundwork for action, implementation remains inconsistent, and progress has been slow.

Scientists warn that without drastic measures, the consequences may become irreversible.

OKUMA PARÇASI 2. İKLİM DEĞİŞİKLİĞİ

İklim değişikliği bugün gezegenin karşı karşıya olduğu en acil tehditlerden birini oluşturmaktadır.

**Büyük ölçüde** sera gazı emisyonları nedeniyle artan küresel sıcaklıklar, şiddetli hava olaylarına, kutup buzlarının erimesine ve deniz seviyelerinin yükselmesine neden olmaktadır.

Bu çevresel değişiklikler sadece ekosistemleri bozmakla kalmıyor, aynı zamanda özellikle hassas bölgelerdeki insan toplumları üzerinde de derin etkilere sahip.

İklim değişikliğiyle mücadele çabaları, yenilenebilir enerji kaynakları, yeniden ağaçlandırma ve <mark>uluslararası işbirliğ</mark>i <mark>yoluyla</mark> karbon ay<mark>ak i</mark>zlerini azaltmaya <mark>odaklan</mark>mıştır.

Paris Anlaşması ya da Paris Mutabakatı gibi küresel anlaşmalar eylem için zemin hazırlamış olsa da, uygulama tutarsız kalmakta ve ilerleme yavaş olmaktadır.

Bilim insanları, sert önlemler olmadan (alınmadığı takdirde) sonuçların geri döndürülemez hale gelebileceği konusunda uyarıyor.

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3	reason
CLOZE TEST	One of the key motivations 7.a.beyond / b.behind
Space exploration has advanced <b>1.a.dramatically</b> /	space exploration is the pursuit of knowledge about our T
b.interprittently	universe and the potential for future colonization.
in/ for/ during/within/over + the last/the past 2.a.upon / b.over the past few decades,	
	8.a.However b. Therefore, the enormous costs associated with space programs often lead to debate
3.a.by / b. <mark>with mission</mark> s	
4.a.to / b.on Mars, the Moon,	about their value, especially when compared to urgent
and <b>5.a.beamd / b.beyond</b> becoming increasingly	needs on Earth 9 a.between / b.such as poverty and
common. not only/just/solely	climate action. Still, supporters argue that the long-term
These explorations are not 6.a.merely / b.usually	benefits — including technological innovation and
scientific endeavour <mark>s but also s</mark> trategic efforts that	international cooperation - 10a.ouveigh / b.justify
symbolize technological superiority and global	the investment. haklı çıkarmak
leadership.	gerekçelendirme desteklemek
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#### **READING PASSAGE 3. SPACE EXPLORATION**

Space exploration has advanced dramatically over the past few decades, with missions to Mars, the Moon, and beyond becoming increasingly common. These explorations are not merely scientific **endeavours** but also strategic efforts that symbolize technological 2 superiority and global leadership. One of the key motivations behind space exploration is the pursuit of knowledge about our universe and the potential for future colonization. However, the enormous costs associated with space programs often lead to debate about their value, especially when compared to urgent needs on Earth such as poverty and climate action. Still, supporters argue that the long-term benefits — including technological innovation and international cooperation — justify the investment.

# **TRUE / FALSE** The financial burden of space exploration is a 1. topic of ongoing debate. Exploring space provides only scientific information, not political advantages but not.. ama ... de il if not.....de ilse de **CLOSE MEANING** çaba The word endeavours in paragraph one is closest in meaning to: a. mistakes b. explorations ( c. experiments d. efforts attempt e. interests



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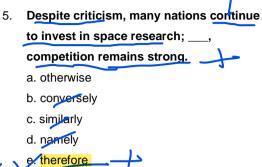
# GRAMMAR / VOCABULARY

3. Space missions are pursued \_\_\_\_ they can

- be extremely expensive.
- a. so that
- b. unless
- c. even though
  - d. only if
  - e. as if
- Some argue that space programs are a \_\_\_\_\_\_
  of resources that could be used for solving Earth's problems.
  - a. distribution
  - b. preservation
  - c. waste
  - d. resistance
  - e. solution













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The concept of a free market is central **1.to / by** capitalist economic systems, where supply and demand determine prices **2.at / with** minimal government interference.

Advocates argue that this system encourages innovation, efficiency, and consumer choice. However, critics point **3.out / at** that without regulation, markets can become exploitative, leading to inequality and economic instability. One of the most contentious issues **4.on / in** economics is income disparity, which has widened in many developed nations. Governments often respond **5.by / with** introducing policies such as minimum wage laws and progressive taxation in an attempt to create a more **equitable** society. The balance **6.among / between** free market dynamics and government intervention continues to be a major policy challenge.





#### **READING PASSAGE 4. ECONOMICS**

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## TRUE / FALSE

- 1. Supporters of free markets believe regulation enhances competition.
- Income inequality is a growing concern in many wealthy countries.

# **CLOSE MEANING**

The word <u>equitable</u> in paragraph two is closest in meaning to:

- a. fair
- b. risky
- c. profitable
- d. minimal
- e. neutral



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### **GRAMMAR / VOCABULARY**

- 3. Free market economies tend to perform better \_\_\_\_ there is little interference from the state.
  - a. unless
  - b. because
  - c. so that
  - d. even if
  - e. whether

# 4. Governments attempt to reduce inequality

# by \_\_\_\_ wealth through taxes.

- a. distributing
- b. accumulating
- c. exchanging
- d. reducing
- e. redistributing



- 5. The debate over economic systems is ongoing \_\_\_\_ each approach has strengths and weaknesses.
  - a. so that
  - b. providing that
  - c. given that
  - d. in order that
  - e. unless



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Serbest piyasa kavramı, arz ve talebin minimum devlet müdahalesi ile fiyatları belirlediği kapitalist ekonomik sistemlerin merkezinde yer alır. Savunucuları bu sistemin yenilikçiliği, verimliliği ve tüketici tercihlerini teşvik ettiğini ileri sürmektedir. Ancak eleştirmenler, düzenleme olmadan piyasaların sömürücü hale gelebileceğine, eşitsizliğe ve ekonomik istikrarsızlığa yol açabileceğine işaret etmektedir.

Ekonomideki en tartışmalı konulardan biri, birçok gelişmiş ülkede genişleyen gelir eşitsizliğidir. Hükümetler genellikle daha adil bir toplum yaratmak amacıyla asgari ücret yasaları ve artan oranlı vergilendirme gibi politikalar uygulamaktadır. Serbest piyasa dinamikleri ile devlet müdahalesi arasındaki denge, önemli bir politika sorunu olmaya devam etmektedir.

