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Question 1

This multiple-choice question was attempted by nearly all of the candidates. The common mistakes were for question (ii) teknolojidir // gereçlerdir and (iv) genişletilecek instead of the correct options. The candidates are advised to improve their skills to listen for specific information. However, most candidates answered the question correctly.

Question 2

This second question which worth 5 marks were answered by nearly all of the candidates. The common mistakes were (ii) D tekrar etkin olacaktır and (iii) B yazılı edebiyat ürünleridir instead of the correct options. The last recall question 2(iv) was answered correctly by nearly all candidates.

Question 3

These open -ended questions were answered by most of the candidates correctly. The common mistake was in (v) İnsanlara zararlıdır. The candidates need to read the questions very carefully and be sure about what information is required. If the question were asked as ` Kentsel Isı Adasının insanlar üzerinde etkisi nedir? The answer above would be correct.

Question 3-B

In this section the candidates were supposed to write very short summaries. Some of the managed to do that, some wrote longer answers. Most questions were answered successfully. The common mistake was (ii) zaman – Some candidates instead of giving information about cities, they thought what was said was about villages and lost marks.

Question 4

The candidates managed to listen for specific information and answered the questions correctly.

The common mistakes;

- Some candidates gave answers by using their general knowledge rather than what is mentioned in the text and lost marks.
- Answered correctly by nearly all candidates.
- Those who understand the word `yasa- law' answered this question correctly

- Many candidates managed to deduce the answer from the passage.
- This recall question was answered correctly by many candidates.
- This question was answered correctly by candidates who know what 'tespit' is.

Question 5-A

The candidates managed to listen for specific information and identified the opinions of an economist about young generation and their education and job opportunities. Most of them were successful. Those who did not prepare for the exam well or did not pay attention to the words such as 'in my opinion or I think' found it hard to differentiate the facts from opinions and lost marks.

Question 5-B

The reading passage consists of different ideas about occupational schools of the nursery school teacher. Most of the candidates managed to identify her opinions, and facts about the occupational schools.

Question 5-C

The candidates wrote very good essays this year. Those who prepared the exam well knew exactly what was required to get good grades in the exam. They managed to write about two people's opinions equally by adding their own opinions and score high marks. Those who only conveyed the message of the people without mentioning their comments on them lost marks.

Summary: Whole Paper Analysis

The paper was quite successful this year. It is because perhaps the candidates were well prepared and worked on the past papers or they spend more time on social media and watching television. The questions were well differentiated, complying with the specification rules. The topics were relevant, and the materials were at the right level and interesting.

