

DESAFIO WEEKEND

TEMA DA AULA: GRAMMAR AND TEXT COMPREHENSION

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QUESTÃO 01

Complete with the appropriate adverb in this sentence:

You speak English very ____.

- (A) well.
- (B) good.
- (C) fluent.
- (D) slow.
- (E) difficult.

QUESTÃO 02



Available on: [://www.comicsenglish.com/comics/you-dont-have-to-behappy](http://www.comicsenglish.com/comics/you-dont-have-to-behappy).
Accessed on May 19th, 2020

The expression "Really?" is

- (A) a condition.
- (B) a cause.
- (C) a consequence.
- (D) a concession.
- (E) a confirmation.

QUESTÃO 03



"If you stop smoking now, you will add three years to your life. Since you are a lawyer, that's about six thousand billable hours."

(www.cartoonstock.com)

Na charge, o médico

- (A) considera que os advogados, como o paciente, devem trabalhar mais.
- (B) afirma que os advogados têm expectativa de vida maior que os médicos.
- (C) tenta convencer o paciente a parar de fumar.
- (D) compara as horas de trabalho dos médicos com as dos advogados.
- (E) adverte o paciente de que ele só tem mais três anos de vida.

QUESTÃO 04

The Red Planet

Mars is a small rocky body once thought to be very Earthlike. Like the other terrestrial planets - Mercury, Venus, and Earth - its surface has been changed by volcanism, impacts from other bodies, movements of its crust, and atmospheric effects such as dust storms. It has polar ice caps that grow and recede with the change of seasons; areas of layered soils near the Martian poles suggest that the planet's climate has changed more than once, perhaps caused by a regular change in the planet's orbit.

Martian tectonism, the formation and change of a planet's crust, differs from Earth's. Where Earth tectonics involve sliding plates that grind against each other or spread apart in the seafloors, Martian tectonics seem to be vertical, with hot lava pushing upwards through the crust to the surface.

Periodically, great dust storms engulf the entire planet. The effects of these storms are dramatic, including giant dunes, wind streaks, and wind-carved features.

Available on: http://science.nationalgeographic.com/science/space/solar-system/mars/article/Text_courtesy_NASA/JPL-2015. Accessed on May 19th, 2020.

In the 1st paragraph *its* refers to

- (A) the planets.
- (B) Mars.
- (C) Earth.
- (D) none of them.
- (E) the Solar System.

QUESTÃO 05



Available on: <http://blogpeda.ac-poitiers.fr/coll-abbe-pierre> [english]. Accessed on May 19th, 2020.

A imagem permite inferir que:

- (A) A tecnologia pode fazer aflorar o choque entre as gerações no ambiente escolar.
- (B) Além de não ter feito a tarefa, o aluno não demonstra qualquer preocupação com o fato.
- (C) O tema da redação é tão recorrente, que não consegue estimular o aluno a escrever.
- (D) A tecnologia está prejudicando a elaboração de textos escritos.
- (E) O garoto quer mais seguidores.

QUESTÃO 06

Microsoft is buying Skype

One is the giant business, whose software powers more than 90% of the world's computers. The other is the firm, which has revolutionized the way many communicate. Now Skype is being swallowed up by Microsoft.

It's just eight years since Skype started helping people to make calls over the internet for nothing, and this is the third time it's been bought and sold.

Microsoft has been struggling to prove it can compete with the likes of Google and Apple. Now as it tries to make an impact on the mobile-phone world, it wants Skype to help it become a bigger force.

Skype is now used by 170 million people around the world (each month), not just on their computers, but on the move - on their mobile phones and even on their tablet devices.,

Microsoft wants to tap in to this connected community, but it's paying a huge price for a business that isn't even profitable.

Rory Cellan-Jones, BBC News.

Available on: http://www.bbc.co.uk/worldservice/learningenglish/language/wordsintheneeds/2011/05/110511_witn_skype_page.shtml Accessed on May 19th, 2020.

De acordo com o texto,

- (A) o Skype faz chamadas gratuitas há três anos.
- (B) faz oito anos que o Skype ajuda as pessoas a fazerem chamadas gratuitas.
- (C) é a oitava vez que o Skype é vendido.
- (D) o Skype foi vendido quatro vezes em oito anos.
- (E) o Skype foi comprado e vendido quatro vezes.

QUESTÃO 07



Available on: www.ptnauticmodel.net. Accessed on May 19th, 2020.

No cartum, o vocábulo em destaque enfatiza que

- (A) o produto foi muito barato.
- (B) o produto foi abusivamente caro.
- (C) o produto foi trocado.
- (D) o produto foi caro, mas não tanto assim.
- (E) o produto foi danificado.

QUESTÃO 08 //

“I Love You, But...”

“Honey, I Love You BUT...”
is NOT a declaration of love.
Joy Stevens

Declaration of love, manipulation, power play,
or verbal abuse? What is it?

It is so sweet and tender to begin a sentence with
this declaration of love. After all, it can be said with
a smile on the face and innocent patience in the
voice.

But is it tender and loving?

No!

It is actually a strategy for power and control by
guilt. The “I love-you-but... person” uses negativity
for leverage.

[...]

It can also be quite psychologically damaging, then,
to be in a relationship with this person. Your
partner is constantly belittling you while hiding
behind a guise of love.

You are being manipulated in a power play. You
are probably confused and often feeling guilty. You
are being verbally abused!

Available on: <http://www.cyberparent.com/abuse/but.htm>.
Accessed on May 19th, 2020.

Vocabulário

leverage: poder

belittling: depreciando, deprimindo

guise: aparência

Body language is a form of non-verbal
communication, which consists of body posture,
gestures, facial expressions, and eye movements.
Which picture shows a typical expression of a
dreamer who is waiting for a soul mate that will
certainly appear at some point?

(A)



(B)



(C)



(D)



(E)



Available on: <http://www.trendhunter.com/trends/pet-peeves-I-love-you-but-picture-book>. Accessed on May 19th, 2020.



QUESTÃO 09

Smallest Planet Yet Found Outside Solar System

By AP / Alicia Chang

LOS ANGELES (AP) – Astronomers searching for planets outside our solar system have discovered the tiniest one yet – one that’s about the size of our moon.

But hunters for life in the universe will need to poke elsewhere. The new world orbits too close to its sun-like star and is too sizzling to support life. Its surface temperature is an estimated 700 degrees Fahrenheit. It also lacks an atmosphere and water on its rocky surface.

University of California, Berkeley astronomer Geoff Marcy, one of the founding fathers of the planet-hunting field, called the latest find “absolutely mind-boggling.”

“This new discovery raises the specter that the universe is jampacked, like jelly beans in a jar, with planets even smaller than Earth,” said Marcy, who had no role in the new research.

It’s been nearly two decades since the first planet was found outside our solar system. Since then, there’s been an explosion of discoveries, accelerated by NASA’s Kepler telescope launched in 2009 to search for a twin Earth. So far, 861 planets have been spotted and only recently have scientists been able to detect planets that are similar in size to Earth or smaller.

Time (adaptado)

Available on: <http://science.time.com/2013/02/20/smallest-planet-yet-found-outsid solar-system>. Accessed on May 19th, 2020.

O pronome *it*, sublinhado no segundo parágrafo, refere-se

- (A) ao sistema solar.
- (B) ao espaço.
- (C) à temperatura.
- (D) ao novo planeta.
- (E) ao universo.

QUESTÃO 10



Available on: <http://www.semantics.com>. Accessed on May 19th, 2020.

O quadrinho mostra que o motorista

- (A) perdeu-se usando o GPS no celular.
- (B) está pedindo ao policial informações sobre como chegar ao destino.
- (C) desrespeita o limite de velocidade da via.
- (D) desrespeita a proibição do uso de celular ao dirigir.
- (E) quer tirar um *selfie* com o policial.

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