

## YEDİTEPE PROFICIENCY Restatement

1. **The very term “postcolonial” underlines the fact that colonialism’s legacies have endured in former colonies even after independence.**
  - a. As can be understood from the term “postcolonial,” the independence of former colonies has been undermined by the continuation of colonial practices.
  - b. Although former colonies have gained their independence, it is true that, as the term “postcolonial” itself indicates, they still feel the impact of colonialism.
  - c. What is meant by the term “postcolonial” is that former colonies, which are now independent, have failed to preserve their colonial institutions.
  - d. The fact that former colonies, which have all gained their independence, have got rid of their colonial past is indicated by the term “postcolonial.”
  
2. **Though he knows I’m determined to make Mars den the new manager, he’s constantly seeking to bring them down in my estimation.**
  - a. Since I’m fully determined to make Mars den manager, I absolutely refuse to listen to all this criticism of him.
  - b. Even if Mars den weren’t likely to prove a good manager that man has no right to criticize him to me in such a manner.
  - c. Though he is fully aware of the fact that I’m set on making Mars den the new manager, he still persists in trying to influence me against him.
  - d. His opinion of Mars den will surely change once he sees what a capable manager he really is.
  
3. **A drug may affect several functions, even though it’s targeted at only one.**
  - a. Despite various other uses, a drug usually has a function for a special effect.
  - b. The functions expected of a drug are various even if it is used for a specific disease.
  - c. However effective a drug may be, its functions have to be several.
  - d. A drug is taken for a specific purpose, but it may have a range of other effects.
  
4. **For an allergic person, a bee-sting can be very serious, often resulting in a severe reaction or even death.**
  - a. Allergies to bee-stings usually result in death of the person stung, but sometimes they survive.
  - b. Bees can cause extreme allergies in people, some of whom may even die as a result.
  - c. It is hardly possible for one who is allergic to bees to survive a sting.
  - d. A person who is allergic to bees might get very ill and can possibly die if stung.
  
5. **According to the last information, we are to take precautions where and when necessary.**
  - a. The recent information expects from us to take precautions in the urgent time and place.
  - b. When and where it is essential, we were wanted to take precautions depending on the information.
  - c. Wherever and whenever it is necessary, we have to take precautions for the last information.
  - d. This recent information urges us that we should take precautions in the essential time.

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6. **No sooner had the plane departed for London than its engines all stopped working.**
- Immediately after the plane had left for London, all its engines failed.
  - One of the plane's engines failed soon after it had taken off from London.
  - The moment the plane left London, one of its engines ceased to work.
  - The plane's engines suddenly stopped just before it set out to London.
7. **Many believe that people could live longer only if they consumed more milk.**
- The only way, according to most people, to lead a longer life is to drink more milk.
  - A great many people wish they had consumed far more milk in the past to live longer.
  - Milk consumption is likely to increase as many people want to live longer.
  - The reason why a great majority of people are drinking more milk is that they want to have a long life.
8. **The less junk food one consumes, the less unlikely he is to spend a healthy life.**
- If a person does not consume any junk food, he is sure to have a problem-free life.
  - No health problem can surely be experienced in life if junk food is ignored.
  - Living a healthy life that is free of health problems is directly proportioned to junk food consumption.
  - Unless one wants to lead a healthy life, he should consume junk food regularly.
9. **There has never been a better time to be a virus researcher, thanks in part to inexpensive genetic sequencing that allows scientists to rapidly isolate disease-causing microorganisms.**
- It is the best time for virus researchers as they now have cheap techniques such as genetic sequencing that helps them quickly recognize disease-causing microorganisms.
  - Partly because of cheap genetic sequencing techniques which enable scientists to separate disease-causing microorganisms quickly, it is now a perfect time to be a virus researcher.
  - Thanks to cheap genetic sequencing, virus researchers have never had a better opportunity to distinguish between disease-causing microorganisms.
  - Due to innovative genetic sequencing, virus researchers are now having a great time partly because they can easily distinguish disease-causing microorganisms.
10. **The Amazon Rainforest is famous for its breathtaking diversity of plants along with its considerable number of animal species.**
- The Amazon Rainforest is widely known for the existence of wonderful plants rather than the incredible animal species found there.
  - It is well known that the Amazon Rainforest contains a high quantity of plants together with an increasing number of animal species.
  - The Amazon Rainforest is notable to many with its large collection of plants and animal species that cannot be found anywhere else.
  - In addition to an abundant number of animal species, the Amazon Rainforest is known for its stunning variety of plants.

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