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Nasreddin and the Pot

One day Nasreddin borrowed a pot from his neighbour Ali. The next day he brought it back with another little pot inside. "That's not mine," said Ali. "Yes, it is," said Nasreddin. "While your pot was staying with me, it had a baby."



Some time later Nasreddin asked Ali to lend him a pot again. Ali agreed, hoping that he would once again receive two pots in return. However, days passed and Nasreddin had still not returned the pot. Finally Ali lost patience and went to demand his property. "I am sorry," said Nasreddin. "I can't give you back your pot, since it has died." "Died!" screamed Ali, "how can a pot die?" "Well," said Nasreddin, "you believed me when I told you that your pot had had a baby."

(Story courtesy of John and Muriel Higgins)

A- Read the story and answer the following questions.

1-Who was the owner of the pot?

- a. Nasreddin b. Ali c. The baby

2-How many times did Nasreddin borrow the pot?

- a. once b. twice c. three times

3-How many pots did he give back the first time?

- a. none b. one c. two

4-Why was the neighbour happy to lend his pot a second time?

- a. He was greedy.
b. He was a good neighbour.
c. He had lots of spare pots.

5-How many pots did Nasreddin return the second time?

- a. none b. one c. two

B- Fill in the blanks with the appropriate passive forms of the verbs in paranthesis.

- 1- Sony radios _____ (make) in Japan.
2- This house _____ (build) in 1935.
3- Cheese _____ (make) from milk.
4- The school _____ (clean) every week.
5- A lot of money _____ (steal) in the robbery yesterday.

C- Change the following sentences into passive sentences.

1- People used seashells as money in ancient Egypt.

2- You should drink 2 litres of water everyday.

3- Careless driving causes many accidents.

4- Smoking damages your health seriously.

5- You can learn languages in intensive courses.

D- Fill in the blanks with "too" or "either" using the word in parenthesis.

1- Jane is very lazy. She doesn't study _____ (hard) to pass English.

2- Jack's books are _____ (heavy). He can't carry them.

3- Mary is 14 years old. She is _____ (young) to marry.

4- The shoes are 200 YTL. They are _____ (expensive) for me to buy.

5- I can't understand Maths. It isn't _____ (easy) for me to learn.

E- Fill in the blanks using "too" or "either" and "so" or "neither"

1- I studied English for 3 hours last night. _____ Cem.

Cem _____.

2- Ahmet shouldn't eat too much chocolate. _____ you.

You _____.

3- Joe has enough experience to do the job. _____ Lisa

Lisa _____.

4- We have finished our homework. _____ we.

We _____.

5- I can't run very fast. _____ Defne.

Defne _____.

F- What should you do to be successful at OKS?

1- _____

2- _____



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