

ΘΕΜΑ 1. ΚΑΤΑΝΟΗΣΗ ΓΡΑΠΤΟΥ ΛΟΓΟΥ

Read the text and choose the correct option (A, B or C) for items 1-10.

Located in a quiet corner of the Aegean Sea, Tilos offers a good example to the rest of Greece by welcoming refugees from Syria. Although camps on other islands are miserable places, the islanders of Tilos have created a camp in the middle of Livadia to host the refugees. Refugee families there share a cooking area and a shower block, but enjoy plenty of shade from the trees and room for the children to run around.

Like many other islands, Tilos has suffered from constant depopulation in the past. Now with a population of barely 500 inhabitants, Tilos has accepted around 70 people in total. "If a little island like ours can support 12 families, then others can do the same, according to their population. Bigger communities can take larger numbers." Maria Kamma, the mayor of Tilos, said. Almost all adult refugees have found work in hotels and restaurants, shops, the island's bakery or as daily workers. The children take Greek and English lessons three times a week. The presence of the refugees has brought money, too. They receive a small amount of money from the UNHCR, which they spend in local shops.

Now there are plans to build a cheese factory on Tilos, to use the milk produced by the 15,000 goats that move around its mountains and valleys. People hope that the cheese factory will provide jobs for both Syrians and locals. "The locals will provide their knowledge and the refugees their work," said Stathis Kontos, special adviser to the mayor.



(Words: 252)

1. The text talks about how
A. many Greek islands have welcomed Syrians.
B. the people of Tilos live in harmony with the refugees.
C. the people of Tilos share houses with the refugees.
2. A suitable title for the text is:
A. "A welcome place"
B. "No place for refugees"
C. "Population growth"
3. The refugee camp on Tilos is
A. a miserable place to live in.
B. better than other camps.
C. located next to a beach.
4. Tilos has a population of about
A. 12 people.
B. 500 people.
C. 15,000 people.
5. The Mayor of Tilos suggests that
A. refugee families are better supported in other places.
B. the bigger the community the more refugees it can support.
C. other places in Greece should welcome adult refugees.
6. Refugees on Tilos bring money to the island because they
A. pay for their living.
B. build their own houses.
C. shop in the local market.
7. In the text, the underlined word "which" refers to
A. money.
B. the UNHCR.
C. the shops.
8. The cheese factory will
A. create new job positions.
B. produce goat butter.
C. sell its products to visitors.
9. In the text, the underlined word "provide" is closest in meaning to
A. promote.
B. search.
C. offer.
10. According to the text, the locals will
A. work together with the refugees in the new factory.
B. make refugees work in the new factory.
C. build a new factory on a mountain.

ΘΕΜΑ 2^α. ΛΕΞΙΚΟΓΡΑΜΜΑΤΙΚΗ

Match each underlined word in the sentences below (11-20) with a word from the box that has a similar meaning (A-J). Use each option only once.

A. accept	B. shared	C. located	D. host	E. amounts
F. suffered	G. create	H. population	I. welcomed	J. miserable

11.	Our proposal for a Christmas bazaar was happily <u>received</u> by all members of the school council.
12.	The new building will <u>house</u> over 100 families that are currently living in a refugee camp.
13.	Bill and I <u>used</u> the same office for years; that's how we've ended up starting our own business.
14.	The capital of the city is <u>situated</u> by the banks of the river.
15.	We should all try to follow a healthy diet and avoid drinks that contain large <u>quantities</u> of sugar.
16.	Families in this part of the town live under really <u>difficult</u> conditions but they are doing their best to get along.
17.	He is too proud to <u>admit</u> that he has made such a huge mistake.
18.	It's important to <u>make</u> a good first impression when you meet a new client.
19.	When we visit other countries, we always try to get in touch with the local <u>people</u> .
20.	The city <u>experienced</u> another earthquake last month but fortunately nobody got injured.