

## Επίπεδο γλωσσομάθειας B1-B2

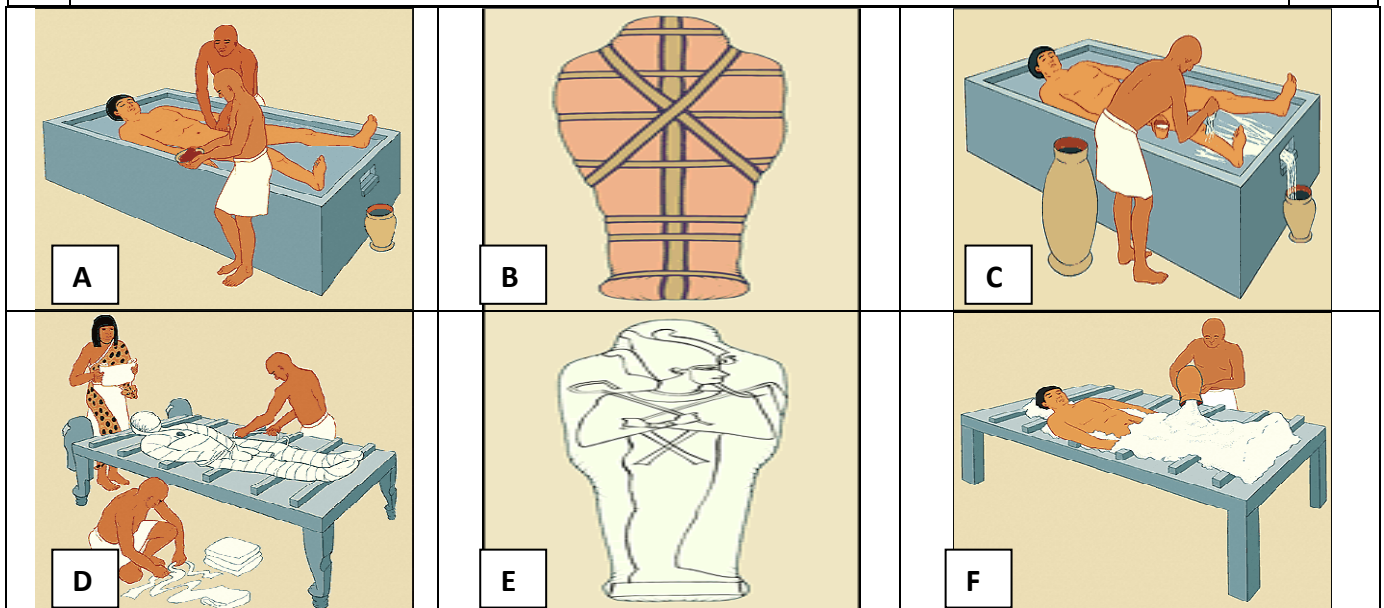
### Κατανόηση Γραπτού Λόγου και γλωσσική επίγνωση

#### Reading Comprehension and Language Awareness

#### 1<sup>η</sup> Δοκιμασία / Activity 1 (Αντιστοίχιση)

The photos below show how the ancient Egyptians made the mummies. Read the texts 1-5 and match them with photos A-F. There is one photo you do not need.

<b>1.</b>	The servants took the body of the Pharaoh to the tent known as 'ibu', where they washed it with good-smelling wine and water from the Nile.	
<b>2.</b>	Then, they took out all the internal organs, except the heart, and dried them. When they were dry, they put them back in the body.	
<b>3.</b>	They covered the body with salt to make it dry. After forty days, they washed the body again with water from the Nile and covered it with oils to help the skin stay elastic.	
<b>4.</b>	Then, they wrapped the body with strips of fine linen, first the head and the neck, and then the arms and the legs separately. During the wrapping, a priest read prayers to keep the evil spirits away and help the Pharaoh make the journey to the afterlife.	
<b>5.</b>	When the mummy was ready, they put a board of painted wood on top of it.	



#### 2<sup>η</sup> Δοκιμασία / Activity 2 (Σωστό-Λάθος)

Read the text again and decide if the following statements (6-10) are True (A), False (B), or Not stated (C) in the text.

STATEMENTS		A	B	C
<b>6.</b>	The ancient Egyptians prepared the dead Pharaoh's body in his palace room.	<b>TRUE</b>	<b>FALSE</b>	<b>NOT STATED</b>
<b>7.</b>	The servants didn't take out all the organs from the body.			
<b>8.</b>	The body had to be clean, dry and elastic to become a mummy.			
<b>9.</b>	The servants wrapped the body little by little from top to bottom.			
<b>10.</b>	The priests read their prayers silently.			

### 3<sup>η</sup> Δοκιμασία / Activity 3 (Συμπλήρωση μέσω επιλογής-Λεξιλόγιο)

Choose the best answers (A, B, or C) for items 11-15.



In the 17<sup>th</sup> century, a group of English Protestants, who wanted to break away from the Church of England, embarked on a ship called Mayflower in order to (11) \_\_\_\_\_ across the Atlantic Ocean and settle in a 'New World.' The ship (12) \_\_\_\_\_ 101 men, women, and children spent 66 days traveling the Atlantic Ocean, until they arrived in America. There, a leader of the Abenaki, and Tisquantum Indian (13) \_\_\_\_\_ who lived there visited the settlers and helped them to (14) \_\_\_\_\_ corn and use fish to fertilize their fields. The Indians also taught them to (15) \_\_\_\_\_ deer. After collecting their first fruit and vegetables, the English settlers had a meal with the native Indians to thank God for their good luck. This is how Thanksgiving started.

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| 11. | A. row      | B. swim     | C. sail   |
| 12. | A. carrying | B. bringing | C. taking |
| 13. | A. groups   | B. tribes   | C. races  |
| 14. | A. grow     | B. water    | C. dig    |
| 15. | A. fight    | B. hit      | C. hunt   |

### 4<sup>η</sup> Δοκιμασία/ Activity 4 (Συμπλήρωση με κλειστού τύπου απάντηση-Γραμματική)

Fill in gaps 16-20 with a verb in the right form.



On the afternoon of January 15 2009, a flock of geese (16) \_\_\_\_\_ about 3,000 feet high up in the sky. At that time, US Airways Flight 1549 was heading to North Carolina, (17) \_\_\_\_\_ 150 passengers and five crew members. It was under the command of Sully Sullenberger, a 57-year-old pilot, who (18) \_\_\_\_\_ 19,663 flight hours by then. Suddenly, a mass of geese hit the engines and set all four of them on fire. With no engines working, the pilot took a critical decision. He would land on Hudson River. The passengers and flight attendants (19) \_\_\_\_\_ to God feeling too scared. But the pilot amazingly managed to land the plane gently on the water. As the water (20) \_\_\_\_\_ quickly at the back, the pilot himself helped the passengers and crew come out and get on board the rescue boats.

His bravery will be always remembered.