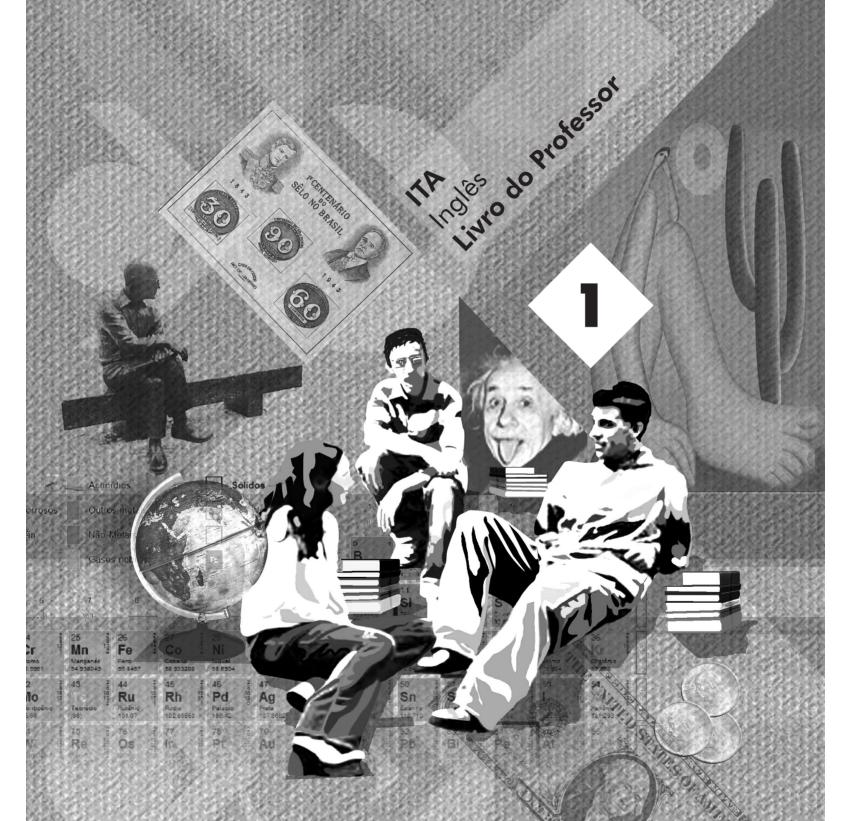
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INGLÊS

As melhores cabeças

MÓDULO 1

Text Features

1. Reference words

a) this, that, it – words refer to ideas already mentioned

In the end, the government decided that relief supplies and medical aid could be sent by road. This turned out to be more difficult than was expected, however.

b) such = like this

Such action turned out to be more difficult than was expected, however.

2. Organisers

a) Adding a point

There was also the weather to be considered.

As well as the obvious dangers, there was the weather to be considered.

In addition to the obvious dangers, there was the weather to be considered.

Not only were there the obvious dangers, but there was also the weather to be considered.

b) Contrast

The identity of attackers is known to the police. However, no name has been released.

Although the name of the attackers is known to the police, no name has been released.

While the name of the attackers is known to the police, no name has been released.

Despite the fact that the name of the attackers is known to the police, no name has been released.

The name of the attackers is known to the police. It has nevertheless/nonetheless/still not been released.

The name of the attackers is known to the police, but / yet no name has been released.

c) Logical relations

The government does not intend to cause any further provocation. As a result / accordingly / thus / hence, all troops have been withdrawn.

The employers have promised to investigate these complaints, and we in turn have agreed to end the strike.

Vocabulary – TOP TEN LIST

1.	till/until – up to – as far as (2X) – so far
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- a) I've only read a little of the book <u>so far</u>
- b) We'll go by train <u>as far as</u> London, and then take a bus.
- c) <u>Until</u> she spoke I hadn't realized she wasn't English.
- d) As far as I am concerned, you can do what you like.
- e) We could fit in <u>up to</u> 5 people in the elevator.

2.
$$ever - yet(3X) - already - still$$

- a) Have you <u>ever</u> been to Australia?
- b) I have <u>already</u> been to Australia.
- c) I haven't been to Australia ______yet
- d) I still haven't been to Australia.

- e) Has the postman been <u>yet</u>?
- f) His voice was soft, <u>yet</u> laden with threat.

3. although – though – even though – however (3X)

- a) We thought the figures were correct. However, we have now discovered some errors.
- b) <u>However</u> carefully I explained, she still didn't understand.
- c) However you look at it, it's going to cost a lot.
- d) Although the sun was shining it wasn't very warm.
- e) Have you ever been to Australia?

No. I'd like to, ____though

f) I like her, <u>even though</u> she can be annoying at times.

4.	nevertheless/Nonetheless in spite of/ despite – notwithstanding	0.	approximately – nearly – roughly – about – around – some – almost		
a)	There is little chance that we will succeed in changing	a)	Sales are up by <u>roughly</u> 10%.		
the l	aw. Nevertheless , it is important that we try.	b)	I'll be with you in a minute – I've <u>almost</u> finished.		
b) Notwithstanding some major financial problems, the school has had a successful year.			Some thirty people attended the funeral.		
	She was good at physics <u>despite</u> the fact that found it boring.	d) e)	They waited (for)about an hour. She's been very ill – you know shenearly died.		
5.		f)	The cost would be somewhere <u>around</u> £1 500.		
	besides – moreover – furthermore – in addition to	g)	The journey took <u>approximately</u> seven hours.		
	He said he had not discussed the matter with her. hermore, he had not even contacted her.	9.	eventually – finally – at last – at least – lastly – in the end – at the end		
	Besides working as a doctor, he also writes els in his spare time.	a)	The performance <u>finally</u> started half an hour late.		
c)	<u>In addition to</u> these arrangements, extra	b)	I may have the job done <u>at the end</u> of the week.		
	oulances will be on duty until midnight.		He tried various jobs and <u>in the end</u> became an		
-	A talented artist, he was, <u>moreover</u> , a writer of e note.		Our flight <u>eventually</u> left five hours late.		
6.	bothand – not only	e)	Lastly , I'd like to ask you about your plans.		
	but also – as if/as though – unless	f) at t	At last, after twenty hours on the boat, they arrived heir destination.		
a)	Rio and Tokyo are <u>both</u> trendy <u>and</u> famous.	g)	Cut the grass <u>at least</u> once a week in summer.		
b)	He behavedas if nothing had happened.	10.	_		
c) The two cities are <u>not only</u> trendy <u>but also</u> famous.		10.	by the way/incidentally – on purpose after all – otherwise – or else – while – whereas		
	You won't get paid for time off <u>unless</u> you have ctor's note.	a) bro	By the way, did you remember to write to your ther?		
7.	hence – thus – therefore – accordingly		The kids were watching television while their ents were doing the washing-up.		
a)	He is the eldest son andthus heir to the title.		Some of the studies show positive results, <u>whereas</u> ers do not.		
b) We suspect they are trying to hide something, <u>hence</u> the need for an independent inquiry.			My parents lent me the money. Otherwise , puldn't have afforded the trip.		
c)	We have to discover his plans and act <u>accordingly</u> .	e)	He did it <u>on purpose</u> , knowing it would annoy her.		
d) retu	There is still much to discuss. We shall, therefore, rn to this item at our next meeting.	f)	So you made it! Turn the heat down or else/otherwise it'll burn.		

8.

4.

MÓDULO 2

INCIDENT AT RIFLE RIVER

On August 15th, Timothy Boomer fell out of his canoe. Naturally, he cursed, using "loudly and repeatedly ... a most offensive vulgarity" together with "various derivatives". He was in the middle of nowhere at the time, in a wilderness area of the Rifle River near the Jack Pine Trail in Michigan. Imagine his surprise, therefore, when a deputy sheriff from Arenac County promptly issued him with a ticket for swearing.

Mr Boomer had failed to note that besides the sheriff, Kenneth Socia, and his buddies sitting on the bank, there were also a woman and two children enjoying the rustic scene within earshot of his oaths. He had therefore infringed a Michigan obscene-speech law, more than a century old, which reads:

Sec. 337: Indecent, etc., language in presence of women-Any person who shall use any indecent, immoral, obscene, vulgar or insulting language in the presence or hearing of any woman or child shall be guilty of a misdemeanour.

And being guilty of a misdemeanour, he faces a 90-day jail term or a \$100 fine if convicted. Mr Boomer argued for dismissal of the charges, but failed, and now he is about to stand trial.

The American Civil Liberties Union has leapt in to support him. It argues that cursing is a form of free speech, and that what was unacceptable to delicate 19th-century ears is now commonplace; so commonplace that, Mr Boomer argues, the four women canoeing with him didn't turn a hair. The prosecutors are less forgiving. Cursing, they say, does not express an idea or a thought. What? Not even the thought that Hell! This water's cold!? Or Damn!The girls are watching!?

The Economist

I) Known vocabulary

9. to enjoy =aproveitar, desfrutar				
10. speech → free speech = expressão, liberdade de expressão				
11. guilty = culpado				
12. to face =enfrentar				
13. jail = prisão				
14. to argue = argumentar				
15. commonplace = lugar comum				
16. forgiving = clemente				
17. thought =pensamento				
18. not even = <u>nem mesmo</u>				
19. less = <u>menos</u>				
20. to watch = observar				
21. rustic = rústica				
II) Unknown vocabulary (in context)				
1. to curse = to swear = xingar Whenever he is in the middle of this chaotic traffic, he curses every driver.				
2. wilderness = <u>área deserta</u>				
Alaska is said to be the last great <u>wilderness</u> : a difficult place to live because of its extremely cold weather.				

3. therefore = **portanto**

You do want to enter GV, don't you? Therefore, study a lot!

4. county = município

Could we consider Osasco as being a county of São Paulo?

5. $promptly = \underline{prontamente}$

He <u>promptly</u> answered that he would go with us to the restaurant.

- 6. to issue somebody with a ticket = to fine = <u>multar</u>
 He was <u>fined</u> for having parked the car in a no-parking area.
- 7. besides = <u>além de</u> <u>Besides</u> studying Math, I'll have to study Physics, too.

8. buddies =amigos, companheiros	Which is the most important <u>bank</u> in Brazil?
Tom and his <u>buddies</u> went fishing last Sunday.	Every river has two <u>banks</u> .
9. within earshot = ao alcance da voz	III)VOCABULARY PLUS FREE
I don't think you should say anything while he's still	1. of my own free will = <u>de livre e espontânea vontade</u>
within earshot.	2. free of care = _despreocupado
10. misdemeanour = má conduta He was drunk last night but paid for his misdemeanour	3. free of charge = <u>grátis</u>
this morning with a terrible hangover.	4. free enterprise = <u>iniciativa privada</u>
11. to convict = condenar	5. free fall = queda livre
He was <u>convicted</u> to stay in prison for the rest of his life.	6. freehand drawing = <u>desenho a mão livre</u>
12. dismissal =demissão, liberação, anulação	7. freedom = <u>liberdade</u>
His <u>dismissal</u> from the factory made his wife leave him shortly after.	IV) Tests
The lawyer asked for the <u>dismissal</u> of the charges against	
his client.	1. According to the text,
13. charges = acusações	a) Timothy Boomer, if considered guilty, has got two
Do the police have any other <u>charges</u> against him?	choices: either he pays a hundred dollars or he is sent to prison.
14. to be about to = estar prestes a	b) cursing is allowed at Rifle River provided there are
It's noon now! The bell <u>is about to</u> ring.	neither women nor children listening to.
it s noon now. The ben <u>is about to</u> ring.	c) Timothy Boomer has been considered guilty for
15. to stand trial = <u>ir a julgamento</u>	swearing loudly while he was still in his canoe.
The murderer will <u>stand trial</u> next week.	d) a sheriff at Rifle River decided to arrest Timothy Boomer once and for all.
16. to leap in = <u>saltar</u> , intrometer-se	e) two children and their mother told the sheriff that
I'll <u>leap in</u> to defend my friend, if necessary.	Timothy Boomer had infringed a local law.
	RESOLUÇÃO: Resposta: A
17. to support =sustentar, apoiar, torcer para	
	2. According to the text,a) no one intends to support Timothy Boomer.
I <u>support</u> my family.	a) no one intends to support Timothy Boomer.b) everything that was acceptable last century continues
I support your idea!	to be so in the 21st.
	c) Timothy Boomer didn't succeed in trying to dismiss
support Corinthians!	the charges.
root for	d) nobody is actually prosecuting Timothy Boomer.
10 to turn a bair nestaneiar	e) Timothy Boomer has already been convicted. RESOLUÇÃO:
18. to turn a hair =pestanejar Even when you're in trouble, you should never turn a hair!	RESOLUÇAO: Resposta: C
Even when you it in trouble, you should hever turn a hair.	2 H 11 1T 4 D 2 (1)
19. prosecutor = <u>promotor</u>	3. How many people heard Timothy Boomer's "bad words"?
Is he going to be the <u>prosecutor</u> in this murder case?	a) Exactly two.
11%	b) About three.
20 damn =maldito	c) Fewer than four.
<u>Damn</u> car! It always breaks when I need it most.	d) At least six.
21. bank = banco, margem	e) More than eight.
21. Odik —	RESOLUÇÃO: Resposta: D

exercícios-tarefa

THE MAYA SCRIPT

The decipherment of the Maya script was, Coe states, "one of the most exciting intellectual adventures of our age, on a par with the exploration of space and the discovery of the genetic code." He presents the story eloquently and in detail, with many illustrations of the mysterious Maya inscriptions and the people who tried to decipher them. Most of the credit, he says, goes to the late Yuri V. Knorosov of the Russian Institute of Ethnography, but many others participated. They did not always agree, and some of them went up blind alleys. Coe-emeritus professor of anthropology at Yale University-vividly describes the battles, missteps and successes. What is now established, he writes, is that "the Maya writing system is a mix of logograms and syllabic signs; with the latter, they could and often did write words purely phonetically."

The New Yorker

■ Módulo 1

- 1. The passage tells us that Michael D. Coe
- a) is the anthropologist responsible for the decipherment of Maya writing.
- b) attributes great importance to the decipherment of the Maya script.
- c) is also the author of books about the exploration of space.
- d) has worked with Yuri V. Knorosov recently.
- e) has been interested in pursuing exciting intellectual adventures.

- 2. In the passage, "some of them went up blind alleys" means that some scientists engaged in the decipherment of the Maya script
- a) gave up participating in the project.
- b) failed to be on a par with the other scientists.
- c) were the last to be convinced of their success.
- d) failed to come up with useful results.
- e) followed in Knorosov's footsteps blindly.

■ Módulo 2

- 3. Which of these statements is true according to the passage?
- a) There is still uncertainty as to whether the Mayas used syllabic signs.
- b) The Mayas invented a purely phonetic writing system.
- c) Syllabic signs are evidence that the Mayas could match words and sounds.
- d) Scientists disagree about the major characteristics of the Maya writing system.
- e) Logograms were used by the Mayas to write phonetically.
- 4. The expression "on a par" stands for
- a) regardless of
- b) suffered from
- c) engaged in
- d) different from
- e) equivalent to
- 5. You can infer from the information in the text that Yuri Knorosov is
- a) dead
- b) a politician
- c) misguided
- d) a professor of anthropology
- e) unselfish

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■ Módulo 1

1) B 2) D

■ Módulo 2

3) C

4) E

5) A