

Multiple Choice Questions with Answers

For various Competitive Examinations

Subject : Education

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1. Education should enable the learners to develop _____ spirit.
(a) submissive
(b) religious
(c) partisan
(d) **critical**
2. Education is the harmonious development of _____ faculty.
(a) physical
(b) mental
(c) moral
(d) **all of these**
3. The root word of 'education' is _____.
(a) edusat
(b) **educare**
(c) edu
(d) educate
4. The term 'education' is derived from a _____ word.
(a) English
(b) French
(c) **Latin**
(d) German
5. The aim of education should primarily be:-
(a) **To prepare the students to face the challenges of practical life**
(b) To develop vocational skills of the students
(c) To prepare the students for examinations
(d) To inculcate in them a spirit of cut-throat competition
6. Education is primarily a/an ____ institution
(a) economic
(b) **formative**
(c) religious
(d) all these
7. Family is the main agency of :-
(a) Formal education
(b) Technical education
(c) Secular education
(d) **Informal education**

8. In order to modify the undesirable behaviour of a student, the most effective method is:-
(a) To punish the student
(b) To bring it to the notice of parents
(c) To make her/him conscious of the consequences of her/his actions
(d) To find out the reasons for her/his undesirable behavior and provide remedies.
9. Effectiveness of teaching depends on
(a) Qualification of teacher.
(b) Personality of teacher.
(c) Handwriting of teacher.
(d) Subject understanding of teacher
10. Which one of the following statements is/are true?
(i) Education is a life-long process
(ii) Education is a systematic process
(iii) Education is a modification of behaviour
(iv) Education is instruction and direction
(a) i and ii
(b) i,ii and iii
(c) i and iv
(d) All the four
11. If students are not able to follow the topic which is being taught in the classroom, the teacher in the classroom should:-
(a) Illustrate the topic with suitable examples
(b) Give them prompt reply
(c) Change the contents of the topic
(d) Punish them
12. The quality of school level education primarily depends on :-
(a) International collaboration
(b) The quality of teachers' education
(c) Financial provisions
(d) Infrastructural facilities.
13. With specific reference to classroom environment, all except one of the major components of listening is:-
(a) Hearing
(b) Being attentive
(c) Answering
(d) Understanding and remembering
14. If you are teaching a topic, you need to do a few things. Which one of the following is right?
(a) Ensure that you explain slowly and clearly
(b) Check that the listener has understood what you are saying
(c) Offer to repeat
(d) All these
15. The most important indicator of quality of education in an educational institute is :-
(a) Infrastructural facilities of a school
(b) Student achievement level

- (c) Textbook and teaching-learning material
 - (d) Classroom system
16. ___ is the primary purpose of education according to Gandhi.
- (a) Patriotism
 - (b) Employment
 - (c) Literacy
 - (d) Character building
17. The term 'kindergarten' means:
- (a) Children's playground
 - (b) Children's school
 - (c) Children's home
 - (d) Children's theatre
18. _____ introduced the concept of kindergarten.
- (a) Gandhi
 - (b) Frobel
 - (c) Helen Keller
 - (d) Anne Sullivan
19. _____ is a function of education.
- (a) Acquisition of information about the past and present
 - (b) Developing decision making capacity
 - (c) Developing problem solving capacity
 - (d) All these
20. 'Spare the rod and spoil the child'- this assumption is related to the type of discipline which has been advocated :-
- (a) By naturalist philosophy
 - (b) In Victorian Era
 - (c) By pragmatist philosophy
 - (d) In Democratic Era
21. The statement "Honesty is the best policy" is
- (a) A fact
 - (b) An value
 - (c) An opinion
 - (d) A value judgment
22. Which one of the following is the main objective of teaching?
- (a) To give information related to the syllabus.
 - (b) To develop thinking power of students.
 - (c) To dictate notes to students.
 - (d) To prepare students to pass the examination.
23. The heuristic approach is based on :-
- (a) Rote memorization
 - (b) Home work
 - (c) Spirit of Inquiry
 - (d) Pleasure-seeking

24. Educational philosophy is defined as the philosophical study of the ___ of education.
- (a) purpose
 - (b) nature
 - (c) ideals
 - (d) all these
25. Educational philosophy is _____.
- (a) speculative
 - (b) normative
 - (c) both (a) and (b)
 - (d) neither (a) nor (b)
26. Schooling that promotes care, respect and cooperation is specifically the aim of ____.
- (a) teaching
 - (b) learning
 - (c) value education
 - (d) technical education
27. Value education aims at removing the vice of ____.
- (a) cooperation
 - (b) intolerance
 - (c) honesty
 - (d) humility
28. Education confined to mere imparting of knowledge is not ____ education.
- (a) true
 - (b) negative
 - (c) both (a) and (b)
 - (d) neither (a) nor (b)
29. Education should proceed from simple to complex and from concrete to abstract. This is the method of teaching in ____.
- (a) idealism
 - (b) realism
 - (c) essentialism
 - (d) none of these
30. According to Rousseau, Education must conform to the ____ processes of growth and mental development.
- (a) natural
 - (b) divine
 - (c) spiritual
 - (d) social
31. ____ is the aim of education for naturalists.
- (a) Self-expression
 - (b) Autonomous development of individuality
 - (c) both (a) and (b)
 - (d) neither (a) nor (b)

32. “_____ education can take place at home, as well as in schools, colleges, universities, offender institutions and voluntary youth organizations.”
- (a) Formal
 - (b) Technical
 - (c) Science
 - (d) Value
33. The ultimate aim of education is evolution of total humanity, which includes the evolution of the nation, which in its turn depends upon the evolution of the individual. This concept of education is known as _____.
- (a) Integral education
 - (b) Perfect education
 - (c) Spiritual education
 - (d) none of these
34. Idealists argue that ____ are the ultimate reality.
- (a) values
 - (b) ideas
 - (c) feelings
 - (d) sensations
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36. Value -oriented education aims at cultural _____.
- (a) oppression
 - (b) conflict
 - (c) harmony
 - (d) intolerance
37. Value- oriented education should be ____.
- (a) Text book-oriented
 - (b) Exam-oriented
 - (c) both (a) and (b)
 - (d) neither (a) nor (b)
38. _____ form the core theme of value education.
- (a) Caring for others
 - (b) Cooperation
 - (c) Humility
 - (d) All these
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40. Symposium is a type of :-
(a) Discovery method
(b) Lecture method
(c) Demonstration method
(d) Discussion method
41. Which one of the following is a good method of teaching?
(a) Lecture and Dictation
(b) Seminar and Project
(c) Seminar and Dictation
(d) Dictation and Assignment.
42. Education is a continuous process through which a person acquires ____.
(a) a view of life
(b) knowledge
(c) both (a) and (b)
(d) neither (a) nor (b)
43. According to idealists, the curriculum should be _____.
(a) pupil-centered
(b) teacher-centered
(c) both (a) and (b)
(d) neither (a) nor (b)
44. _____ is not a proper method of teaching according to idealism.
(a) Dialectical method
(b) Intuitive method
(c) Experimental method
(d) Conceptual method
45. ____ believe that learners should apply their knowledge to real situations through experimental inquiry.
(a) Realists
(b) Idealists
(c) Naturalists
(d) Pragmatists
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48. Who said, “To educate a man in mind and not in morals is to educate a menace to society.” ?
(a) Aristotle

- (b) Benjamin Franklin
 - (c) Nelson Mandela
 - (d) Theodore Roosevelt
49. 'Education of the masses' is the concept of ____.
- (a) Vivekananda
 - (b) Edward James Olmos
 - (c) Helen Keller
 - (d) Emma Hart Willard
50. ____ criticized the concept of formal education.
- (a) Rousseau
 - (b) William Shakespeare
 - (c) George Washington
 - (d) Joseph Stalin
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52. When did the UNESCO Convention against Discrimination in Education entered into force?
- (a) 1963
 - (b) 1962
 - (c) 1961
 - (d) 1965
53. Which article of Indian Constitution provides special safeguards for the educational upliftment of the backward communities?
- (a) Article 21
 - (b) Article 46
 - (c) Article 56
 - (d) Article 30
54. Which branch of medicine is relating to the care of children?
- (a) Padiology
 - (b) Pediatrics
 - (c) Pediscience
 - (d) Peditry
55. . Clinical psychology deals with the practical aspects of -
- (a) Abnormal Psychology
 - (b) Educational Psychology
 - (c) Child Psychology
 - (d) Experimental Psychology
56. At which stage of Jean Piaget's four stages of learning does a child begin the process of thinking?
- (a) Sensory motor stage
 - (b) Formal operational stage

- (c) Concrete operational stage
 - (d) Pre-operational stage
57. The Binet – Stanford Revision (1937) Scale of Intelligence is also known as -
- (a) Terman – Binet Test
 - (b) Weachler – Binet Test
 - (c) Terman – Merrill Test
 - (d) Binet – Simon Test
58. The concept of programme learning was introduced by
- (a) B.F. Skinner
 - (b) J.B. Watson
 - (c) Clark L. Hull
 - (d) Thorndike
59. Which of the following is not measured by T.A.T. test ?
- (a) Personality needs
 - (b) Emotions
 - (c) Personality adjustment
 - (d) Reasoning ability
60. In the neuron, which one of the following carries information towards the cell body in the neuron?
- (a) Glial Cells
 - (b) Dendrite
 - (c) Axon
 - (d) Astrocyte
61. The smallest unit of knowledge is _____.
- (a) concept
 - (b) habit
 - (c) sensation
 - (d) perception
62. According to Erikson's theory of stages of development in which stage, the "Identity Vs Role confusion" is found as characteristics of development ?
- (a) Infancy
 - (b) Early childhood
 - (c) Later childhood
 - (d) Adolescence
63. In Psychoanalysis theory of Freud, "Id" refers to _____.
- (a) Unconscious in nature and has no direct contact with reality.
 - (b) It is logical in nature.
 - (c) It is conscious state of mind and has direct contact with reality.
 - (d) It is based on reality principle.