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## **Instructions to Candidates**

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

This paper consists of **THREE** Section(s). Attempt All questions in section A and B and any two questions in section C.

Circle the correct answer in section A.

#### **SECTION A**

## **ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS**

- 1. Methods of performance appraisal in HRM include all the following EXCEPT
  - a. Rating scales
  - b. Checklists
  - c. Procedures
  - d. Critical incidents method
- 2. Statements of traits of a job and are recorded in columns along with 'YES' and 'NO' columns are referred to as
  - a. Rating scale
  - b. Checklists
  - c. Procedures
  - d. Critical incidents method
- 3. The compensation an employee receives in return for his contribution to the organisation is
  - a. Incentive
  - b. Remuneration
  - c. Cheque
  - d. Stipend
- 4. Variable rewards granted according to variation in the achievement of specific results is referred to as
  - a. Remuneration
  - b. Cheque
  - c. Stipend
  - d. Incentive
- 5. IN job enlargement
  - a. Tasks and responsibilities are increased
  - b. Higher skills and innovation
  - c. Jobs become more lively and challenging
  - d. No need of higher skills
- 6. In management skills, the style where the management presents a problem and asks for suggestions and makes the decision is
  - a. Autocratic
  - b. Persuasive
  - c. Consultative
  - d. Participative
- 7. In a situation where management makes the decisions and informs the staff is
  - a. Autocratic
  - b. Un-Persuasive
  - c. Consultative
  - d. Un-Participative
- 8. Where management makes decisions and invites questions from employees is
  - a. Autocratic
  - b. Persuasive
  - c. Un-Consultative

- d. Un-Participative
- 9. All the following are disadvantages of autocratic style of management EXCEPT
  - a. Need for constant supervision
  - b. Staff fear management
  - c. Poor working relations
  - d. Slow decision making
- 10. In Public Relations, all the following are goals of communication EXCEPT
  - a. Inform
  - b. Persuade
  - c. Objectify
  - d. Mutual understanding
- 11. The following apply to a formal organisational structure EXCEPT
  - a. Should be flexible
  - b. Well defined jobs
  - c. Definite responsibility
  - d. Channelled individual and group efforts
- 12. Characteristics of an informal organisation include
  - a. Firmly organised
  - b. Inflexible
  - c. Well defined
  - d. Non-spontaneous
- 13. The means that individuals agree to be morally responsible for the consequences of their actions is
  - a. Delegation
  - b. Accountability
  - c. Responsibility
  - d. Authority
- 14. Implementation of a job is
  - a. Delegation
  - b. Accountability
  - c. Responsibility
  - d. Authority
- 15. Process of assigning duties or responsibilities along with corresponding authority to another person is
  - a. Delegation
  - b. Accountability
  - c. Responsibility
  - d. Authority
- 16. All the following are characteristics of an organisational chart EXCEPT
  - a. Division of labour
  - b. Span of control
  - c. Chain of command
  - d. Disunity of command
- 17. Formal lines of authority and communication within the organisation and structure is
  - a. Division of work
  - b. Unity of command

- c. Chain of command
- d. Span of control
- 18. The number of individuals a person is responsible for in an organisation is
  - a. Authority
  - b. Unity of command
  - c. Chain of command
  - d. Span of control
- 19. An organisational chart that shows high level management at the left with lower positions to the right is
  - a. Vertical charts
  - b. Horizontal charts
  - c. Circular charts
  - d. Linear charts
- 20. An organisation chart that shows high level management at the top with formal lines of authority down the hierarchy is
  - a. Vertical charts
  - b. Horizontal charts
  - c. Circular charts
  - d. Linear charts
- 21. An organisational chart that shows the outward flow of formal authority from high level management is
  - a. Vertical charts
  - b. Horizontal charts
  - c. Circular charts
  - d. Linear charts
- 22. Plans that are chronological sequences of required actions are
  - a. Programs
  - b. Rules
  - c. Policies
  - d. Procedures
- 23. An expression of results in numerical terms is
  - a. Budget
  - b. Programs
  - c. Rules
  - d. Policies
- 24. Action plans that include tasks, assignments, steps to be taken and resources to be deployed is
  - a. Programs
  - b. Budget
  - c. Policies
  - d. Rules
- 25. All the following are the difficulties encountered in the barter trade system EXCEPT
  - a. Lack of double coincidence of wants
  - b. Divisibility
  - c. Problem of storing wealth
  - d. Absence of common measure of value

- 26. Face value of money is equal to intrinsic value in
  - a. Token coins
  - b. Standard money
  - c. Subsidiary money
  - d. Convertible money
- 27. Fiduciary money is also called
  - a. Convertible money
  - b. Inconvertible money
  - c. Subsidiary money
  - d. Standard money
- 28. Cheques or drafts fall under
  - a. Standard money
  - b. Subsidiary money
  - c. Convertible money
  - d. Credit money
- 29. All the following are functions of financial intermediaries EXCEPT
  - a. Mobilising savings
  - b. Allocating capital
  - c. Utilization of funds
  - d. Monitoring firms
- 30. All the following are functions of public relations EXCEPT
  - a. Authority dissemination
  - b. Community relations
  - c. Crisis management
  - d. Publicity
- 31. Channels that allow obtainment of certified information are
  - a. Formal
  - b. Informal
  - c. Networking
  - d. Face to face
- 32. Channels that allow maintenance of stable relationships with referents of different offices is
  - a. Formal
  - b. Informal
  - c. Networking
  - d. Face to face
- 33. In management styles, the one that forges an atmosphere of discipline in an organisation is
  - a. Chaotic style
  - b. Democratic style
  - c. Authoritarian style
  - d. Paternalistic style
- 34. In management styles, the one that encourages team building skills, social and harmony and cooperation to achieve a target is
  - a. Chaotic style
  - b. Democratic style

- c. Authoritarian style
- d. Paternalistic style
- 35. Where targets are communicated to employees and they go about meeting the targets whichever way they want is
  - a. Chaotic style
  - b. Authoritarian style
  - c. Paternalistic style
  - d. Laissez-faire style
- 36. Characteristics of personnel management include all the following EXCEPT
  - a. Written contracts
  - b. As per procedures
  - c. As per business needs
  - d. Monitoring
- 37. A combination of statements containing the work to be performed and essential working conditions is
  - a. Job specification
  - b. Job description
  - c. Job analysis
  - d. Job design
- 38. A statement of human qualities and other describable characteristics required for discharging an assigned job is
  - a. Job specification
  - b. Job description
  - c. Job analysis
  - d. Job design
- 39. All the following entail a job description EXCEPT
  - a. Job title, place, summary
  - b. Education, experience, training
  - c. Duties
  - d. Machines, tools and equipment
- 40. The process of analysing and assessing various jobs systematically to ascertain their relative worth is
  - a. Job specification
  - b. Job description
  - c. Job evaluation
  - d. Job design

## SECTION B ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

- 41. Outline the importance of personnel selection in HRM (4marks)
- 42. List the steps involved in personnel selection in HRM (4marks)
- 43. Outline the importance of job orientation in HRM (4marks)
- 44. Describe the need for a performance appraisal in HRM (4marks)
- 45. Outline the popular types of management (4marks)
- 46. What are the difficulties encountered in the barter system of trade? (4marks)
- 47. List the importance of having an organisational structure (4marks)
- 48. What are the disadvantages of the tall organisational structure? (4marks)
- 49. Outline the organisational concepts (4marks)
- 50. List the principles of human resource management (4marks)

## **SECTION C**

## **ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS**

- 51. a) Briefly describe human resource planning (5marks)
  - b) In a tabular form, show the comparison between job description and job specifications (7marks)
  - c) Define personnel management and human resource management (4marks)
  - d) In a tabular form, show the comparison between personnel management and human resource management (4marks)
- 52. a) Discuss the different management styles in an organisation (12marks)
  - b) Outline the purposes for / of organising (8marks)
- 53. Explain the processes involved in planning (20marks)