

Unit 3 - Week 1

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Assignment 1

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed.
As per our records you have not submitted this assignment.

Due on 2020-09-30, 23:59 IST.

1) Vani Ram Srivastava joined in a Pvt Ltd company as Manager (HR). Sambit Sharma, the CEO of that company briefed him about his managerial functions. **1 point**
Choose the correct option about his function related to management from the following-

- ☐ (a) Planning
☐ (b) Organising
☐ (c) Staffing
☐ (d) All these

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(d) All these

2) Both Srivastava and Sharma do apply certain skills in their field of management. Find out important skills that all managers required are- **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Planning Organising and controlling
☐ (b) Informational, decisional and interpersonal
☐ (c) Conceptual, technical and human
☐ (d) Planning, efficiency and advocacy

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(c) Conceptual, technical and human

3) There is debate between two students of management. Help them finding to which one is related to a function, a task, a discipline **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Management
☐ (b) Leadership
☐ (c) Motivation
☐ (d) None of the above

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(a) Management

4) Nowadays, managers are found in different roles in their management functions that you have learnt from the lecture. Which one is related to the role of a manager? **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Figurehead,
☐ (b) Negotiator
☐ (c) Spokes person
☐ (d) All the above

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(d) All the above

5) In the lecture of functions of managers, directing function has been described as it helps the manager to carry out activities include- **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Issuing order
☐ (b) Counselling subordinates
☐ (c) Both (a) and (b)
☐ (d) None of the above

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(c) Both (a) and (b)

6) 'Management is aligned with organisational objectives'- relates to **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Characteristics of management
☐ (b) Principle of the management
☐ (c) Components of management
☐ (d) All of the above

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(a) Characteristics of management

7) In almost every company management does not want to delegate authority. In your perception advantage of delegation of authority results in prompt- **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Understanding
☐ (b) Decision making
☐ (c) Both (a) and (b)
☐ (d) None of the above

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(b) Decision making

8) In the study of management we find that there are different types of management. Which one is not a type of management you have studied? **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Strategic management
☐ (b) Pollution management
☐ (c) Financial management
☐ (d) All the above

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(b) Pollution management

9) You will find different level of managers in an organisation. Who is not included in middle level management? **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Marketing Manager
☐ (b) Finance Manager
☐ (c) Production Manager
☐ (d) Functional Supervisor

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(d) Functional Supervisor

10) In modern management, we have seen many successful contributors. Find out the contributor who developed the scientific management school- **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Henri Fayol
☐ (b) Peter Drucker
☐ (c) F. W. Taylor
☐ (d) Elton Mayo

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(c) F. W. Taylor

11) Ram Kumar Singh has established a business organisation. Which is treated as a valuable asset of the business organization? **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Human
☐ (b) Money
☐ (c) Technology
☐ (d) Information

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(a) Human

12) There is external and internal factor of influencing management. Which internal environment factor that influences management? **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Machines
☐ (b) Labour
☐ (c) Place
☐ (d) All these three

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(d) All these three

13) Management is an important discipline of professional education. Young graduates are nowadays showing interest to undergo postgraduation degree or diploma in this discipline with specialization of HR, finance, retail management for a better career opportunity. It is said to be the combination of which one of the followings? **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Arts, science and profession
☐ (b) Arts, science and engineering
☐ (c) Arts, science and commerce
☐ (d) Arts, commerce and engineering

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(a) Arts, science and profession

14) An organisation has different wings such as office administration, staff management, fund management, operation management, etc. At which level does the management of an organization exist? **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Top level
☐ (b) Middle level
☐ (c) Lower level
☐ (d) All the three levels

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(d) All the three levels

15) The importance of studying in management is gradually increasing. It is a creative and ----- process. Fill up the blank with suitable word from the following. **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Democratic
☐ (b) Technical
☐ (c) Controlling
☐ (d) Continuous

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(d) Continuous

16) There are different types of managers. Remember your lecture. Hill and McShane have pointed out three types of manager. Find out which one is not a type of manager according to them? **1 point**

- ☐ (a) General manager
☐ (b) Operational manager
☐ (c) Functional manager
☐ (d) All the above

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(b) Operational manager

17) Purpose of management is, 'to make individual weaknesses irrelevant and team is a core part'. Whether the statement is true or false? **1 point**

- ☐ (a) True
☐ (b) False

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(a) True

18) The functions of the management do not relate to planning, organising and staffing. **1 point**

- ☐ (a) True
☐ (b) False

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(b) False

19) Frederick W Taylor is a contributor of Classical Theory of Management. **1 point**

- ☐ (a) True
☐ (b) False

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(a) True

20) A manager has to perform different tasks. His/her job responsibility has been well specified since his/her joining in the post. Which one is a reality of a manager's job? **1 point**

- ☐ (a) Manager's job is less a science than an art
☐ (b) Manager is self starting, self-directing and autocratic
☐ (c) Manager has no regular duty to perform
☐ (d) Manager is systematic planner

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
(a) Manager's job is less a science than an art