

## OS quiz 1

1. A program that manages a computer's hardware and acts as an intermediary between the computer user and the hardware is **Operating Systems**.
2. A computer can be divided into **four Components**.
3. State the Various components of a computer system.
  - the *hardware*
  - the *operating system*
  - the *application programs*,
  - and the *users*.
4. A computer system that can be able to utilize system resources can be said to be **efficient**.
5. In terms of speed, the **register** is the only memory in the storage device hierarchy that out – power the cache.
6. A storage medium that loses its content when the power to the device is removed is said to be **volatile**.
7. A computer system is said to be **convenient** if it provides ease of use to users.
8. EEPROM stands for **Electrically Erasable Programmable Read Only Memory**
9. **Middleware** is a set of software frameworks that provide additional services to application developers on mobile computing operating system.
10. The initial program that is run when a computer is powered on is the **bootstrap program**.
11. Apple devices uses operating systems that are based on
  - a. **Unix**
  - b. Linux
  - c. iOS
  - d. MacOS
12. Android is an operating system based on the ..... operating systems.
  - a. UNIX
  - b. Linux**
  - c. Samsung OS
  - d. Google OS

13. An example of a system utility program on a Windows OS is .....
- a. **Wordpad**
  - b. Microsoft Word
  - c. Photoshop
  - d. Tuenup Utility
14. Operating system is termed a/an \_\_\_\_\_ because it manages the execution of user programs and prevent errors.
- a. Resource locator
  - b. Processor
  - c. Execution program
  - d. **Control program**
15. The occurrence of an event is usually signaled by a/an \_\_\_\_\_ from either the software or the hardware.
- a. Bug
  - b. Error
  - c. **Interrupt**
  - d. virus
16. Operating system is designed mostly for its
- a. Performance
  - b. Speed
  - c. Resource utilization
  - d. **Ease of use**
17. Bootstrap is the core of all operating systems.
- a. True
  - b. **False**
18. In terms of capacity, magnetic disks store more data than magnetic tapes.
- a. **True**
  - b. False
19. The main memory of a computer is volatile.
- a. **True**
  - b. False

20. An OS is a program that manages a computer's hardware.

- a. **True**
- b. False

## Quiz 2

1. The major operating system functionalities does not include providing a/an \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. User interface
  - b. **Deadlocking**
  - c. Program execution
  - d. Communications
2. How many interfaces are there under user interfaces.
  - a. **3**
  - b. 4
  - c. 2
  - d. 1
3. Which of these interfaces have commands and directives entered into files for execution.
  - a. CLI
  - b. **Batch interface**
  - c. GUI
  - d. GLI
4. All are Unix based system calls except \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. fork()
  - b. **Sleep()**
  - c. sleep()
  - d. exit()
5. Setting file security on UNIX based systems uses the \_\_\_\_\_ system call.
  - a. SetFileSecurity()
  - b. **chmod()**
  - c. secure()
  - d. chown()

6. when a running program needs to halt its execution abnormally, it uses a/an \_\_\_\_\_ system call.
- a. **abort()**
  - b. end()
  - c. clear()
  - d. suspend()
7. \_\_\_\_\_ is a type of computing that delivers computing, storage, and even applications as a service across a network.
- a. Social Computing
  - b. Web Computing
  - c. Internet Computing
  - d. **Cloud Computing**
8. A software generated interrupt caused by an error is referred to as a/an \_\_\_\_\_
- a. **Trap**
  - b. Event
  - c. Bug
  - d. Overflow
9. A technique used by the operating systems to move processes in and out of the main memory to ensure reasonable response time is \_\_\_\_\_
- a. Scheduling
  - b. **Swapping**
  - c. Garbage collection
  - d. Dynamic allocation

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### Quiz 3

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2. How many states of a process do we have?
- a. 3
  - b. 4
  - c. **5**
  - d. 2

3. Each process is represented in the OS by a PCB, where PCB means \_\_\_\_\_
- a. Process counter block
  - b. Process control block**
  - c. Process code block
  - d. Process content block
4. The memory partition of a process that is dynamically allocated during a process run time is \_\_\_\_\_
- a. Stack
  - b. Queue
  - c. Data
  - d. Heap**
5. A process is said to be in the \_\_\_\_ state if it awaits a processor to be assigned to it.
- a. Running
  - b. New
  - c. Waiting
  - d. Ready**
6. The objective of multiprogramming is to have some process running at all times to maximize CPU \_\_\_\_\_
- a. Utilization**
  - b. Efficiency
  - c. Speed
  - d. Convenience
7. The list of processes waiting for a particular I/O device is called a/an \_\_\_\_\_ queue.
- a. Device**
  - b. Ready
  - c. Waiting
  - d. Event .
8. A process that has been dispatched \_\_\_\_\_
- a. Selected for execution**
  - b. Terminated
  - c. Paused

d. Restarted

9. I/O interrupt causes a process in \_\_\_\_\_ to be in the \_\_\_\_\_ state.

a. ready | running

**b. running | ready**

c. waiting | running

d. running | waiting

10. What serves as the root parent process for all user processes?

a. boot process

**b. init process**

c. load process

d. run time process