Quiz on UNIT – 1A (Hardware)

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1) What are the 2 main classifications of software?
   a. Application software and systems software
   b. Utility software and graphics software
   c. Gaming software and business software
   d. Traditional software and Internet based software

2) What computer hardware is essential for connecting two computers in a Local Area Network?

   a. Modem
   b. Ethernet card
   c. VGA Card
   d. Internet connection

3) Microphone and touch pad are examples of —
   a. Output devices
   b. Input devices
   c. Processing devices
   d. Memory devices

4) Which technology allows two groups of people situated in different countries to hold a meeting and to be able to see and hear each other?
   a. Video Fax
   b. Cable Internet
   c. ISDN
   d. Video Conferencing
   e. Net Conferencing

5) What is the function of a modem?
   a. It allows the computer to connect to other computers
   b. It allows the computer to connect to the Internet
   c. It allows color display to function with a VGA display card
   d. It helps attach a printing device to the computer

6) What is the function of the Num Lock key on the keyboard?
   a. It disables the display of decimal numbers
   b. It completely jams the number keys in all ways
   c. It disables the display of numbers on the number keypad, and instead enables the other function mentioned on the same key
   d. It disables the display of numbers on the number keypad, and instead enables the F1 to F9 keys that act as number keys

7) What does the term LAN stand for?
   a. Long area network
   b. Large area network
   c. Local area network

   d. Lean area network
   e. Low area network

8) Through which of the following activities can a computer get infected by a virus?
   a. Installing a new software
   b. Browsing the Internet
   c. Receiving and opening an email
   d. Restarting the computer

9) The temporary memory of the computer is stored in _____.
   a. ROM
   b. REM
   c. RAM
   d. BIOS

10) What does the term CPU stand for?
   a. Cache processor underutilized
   b. Cost processor utilization
   c. Central processing unit
   d. Central printing unit

11) Which of the following printer prints with pins and ribbon?
   a. Plotters
   b. Laser printer
   c. Inkjet printer
   d. Dot Matrix printer

12) Which of the following is the most important component of PC?
   a. Main Board
   b. RAM
   c. CPU
   d. The System Unit

13) One gigabyte equivalent to
   a. 1024 bytes
   b. 1024*1024 megabytes
   c. 1024 terabyte
   d. 1024*1024 kilobyte

14) Which of the following is not used as storage device?
   a. Zip drive
   b. External Hard disk
   c. Compact Disk
   d. CPU

15) Which one of the following statements describes the process of backup?
   a. Restoring work from an older file
   b. Copying a file from your C: drive to your desktop
   c. Keeping copies of data in two locations
   d. Moving a file to a different folder on a hard drive

16) Software that you can use without the need for any payment is referred to as:
   a. E-ware
   b. Freeware
   c. Shareware
   d. Multi-user software

17) The World Wide Web is –
   a. All the linked documents that are held on a global network of computer systems
   b. The world-wide e-mail system
   c. The cables and communications satellites that connect systems all over the world
   d. Is a system of interlinked hypertext documents accessed via the Internet

18) Where does the computer keep all its working files while working?
   a. In the processor
   b. In RAM
   c. In CD ROM
   d. In Graphics Card

19) Which of the following performs a self-diagnostic check to see whether the computer is working or not during start up?
   a. ROM-BIOS
   b. RAM
   c. Video Memory
   d. CPU

20) Which of the following is a special type of program which loads automatically when you start your computer?
   a. Internet Browser
   b. Database
   c. Operating System
   d. Calculator

21) What are the properties of text documents?
   a. Contain only text
   b. Indicates picture format
   c. There is no formatting information
   d. Both A and C

22) Which of the following best describes a GUI?
   a. A graphics package for technical illustration
   b. Typing in commands to operate a computer

   c. A system using windows, a pointer and icons to operate a computer.
   d. Providing graphical online help to assist a computer user

23) Which one of these devices can be used both to input and output data?
   a. Touch screen
   b. Light pen
   c. Speaker
   d. Printer

24) Which one of these statements about the speed of connecting to the Internet is true?
   a. The processor speed of the computer affects the speed of data transfer on the Internet
   b. Data transfer is slower with a digital line than with an analog line
   c. The speed of data transfer does not vary significantly with the time of day
   d. A 14.4 Kbps modem transfers data more slowly than a 56.6Kbps modem

25) Which statement about computers and the environment is true?
   a. Running an animated screensaver saves power
   b. Printer toner cartridges are dangerous for users and the environment
   c. You can recycle paper from a laser printer
   d. Laptops on standby use more electricity than when running normally

26) Which of the following is an operating system?
   a. Microsoft Windows
   b. Netscape Navigator
   c. Yahoo
   d. Microsoft Outlook

27) The operating frequency of CPU is measured in —
   a. Megahertz (MHz)
   b. Gigahertz (GHz)
   c. Kilobytes
   d. Megahertz (MHz) or Gigahertz (GHz)

28) Which one of the following statements about passwords is true?
   a. You should use the same password for everything
   b. You should write down your password and keep it in a convenient & private place
   c. Once you create a password, you can't change it
   d. A password should be known at least by three persons