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1. Which of the following is an example of the CIA triad's confidentiality principle in action?

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- ☒ Protecting online accounts with a password
- ☐ Preventing data loss
- ☐ Making sure data hasn't been tampered with
- ☐ Preventing an unwanted download

✔ Correct

2. Which of the following is an example of a zero-day vulnerability?

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- ☐ A user voluntarily downloads a piece of software hoping it will be useful, but instead it lets hackers access the user's computer.
- ☐ A user accidentally loads malware onto a computer that logs the user's keypresses and uses them to get confidential information.
- ☒ A group of hackers finds a flaw in a new software product and takes advantage of it before the vendor or developer finds it.
- ☐ After a user downloads and starts a piece of software, it starts showing ads and collecting data.

✔ Correct

3. What's the difference between a virus and a worm?

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- ☐ Viruses do not replicate, but worms do.
- ☒ Viruses replicate through files, but worms live on their own.
- ☐ Worms replicate, but viruses do not.
- ☐ Worms replicate through files, but viruses live on their own.

✔ Correct

4. What type of malware allows an attacker to modify an operating system using admin level tools?

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- ☐ A keylogger
- ☐ A DoS attack
- ☒ A rootkit
- ☐ A zero day vulnerability

✔ Correct

5. What kind of attack tricks a server by sending the server to a compromised fake site when it tries to access a legitimate site?

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- ☐ An injection attack
- ☐ A SYN flood attack
- ☒ A DNS cache poisoning attack
- ☐ A DDoS attack

✔ Correct

6. Which one of the following is a type of DoS attack?

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- ☒ A SYN flood attack
- ☐ A rogue AP attack
- ☐ A brute force attack
- ☐ A DNS cache poisoning attack

✔ Correct

7. Which of the following attacks send many packets to a system to crash it or to prevent services from being available? Select all that apply.

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- ☐ A ping of death (POD) attack
- ☒ SYN flood

✔ Correct

- ☐ An evil twin attack
- ☒ Ping flood

✔ Correct

8. If a hacker targets a vulnerable website by running commands that delete the website's data in its database, what type of attack did the hacker perform? **1 / 1 point**

- ☒ SQL injection
- ☐ A dictionary attack
- ☐ A Denial-of-Service (DoS) attack
- ☐ Cross-site Scripting (XSS)

 Correct

9. Which of the following best helps you strengthen your password? **1 / 1 point**

- ☒ Incorporate symbols, numbers, and capital letters
- ☐ Use passwords from a precompiled list
- ☐ Choose the name of a favorite movie as a password
- ☐ Use the name of a beloved pet as a password

 Correct

10. An attacker leaves a flash drive loaded with malware on a table. Someone plugs the drive into their computer to see what's on it and accidentally installs malware. What kind of attack is this? **1 / 1 point**

- ☒ Baiting
- ☐ Phishing
- ☐ Tailgating
- ☐ DDoS

 Correct