Sample SY0-701 Exam Questions

1. Which of the following best defines the concept of 'least privilege'?
A. Giving users full access to all systems.
B. Granting users the minimum level of access required to perform their duties.
C. Denying access to all resources unless explicitly approved.
D. Assigning admin rights to avoid permission issues.
Correct Answer: B
2. What is the primary purpose of multifactor authentication (MFA)?
A. To speed up the login process.
B. To eliminate the use of passwords.
C. To provide layered security using multiple methods of verification.
D. To allow guest access without passwords.
Correct Answer: C
3. A cybersecurity analyst is conducting a vulnerability scan. Which tool is most appropriate for this
task?
A. Wireshark
B. Nessus
C. Nmap
D. Metasploit
Correct Answer: B
4. Which of the following is an example of a social engineering attack?
A. Man-in-the-middle
B. Phishing
C. SQL injection
D. Denial-of-service (DoS)
Correct Answer: B
5. What does the CIA triad in cybersecurity stand for?

- A. Confidentiality, Integrity, Availability
- B. Control, Inspection, Authentication
- C. Compliance, Identification, Authorization
- D. Confidentiality, Investigation, Authentication

Correct Answer: A