CHAPTER SIX TEXTBOOK QUESTIONS

BEGIN A NEW JOB

P 3/16 - What Would You Do

I would meet up my supervisor and explain to them about my dilemma. If I am required to be at work, then I would ask my teacher to delay the makeup test.

P 4/16 - 6-1 Assessment

1. One way to relive pre-employment anxiety is to keep reminding yourself of why you got hired. You were thought of to be the best employee, chosen by your employer. You could also just try to relax and calm down to the best of your ability to process everything. You must understand that your employer wants the best for you.

2. Two reasons companies conduct formal employee orientation programs is to teach new employees about the policies of their company. Furthermore, these meetings can also teach the employees about procedures and such.

P 6/16 - What Would You Do

I would continue to work at the job for a little while more. But if I don’t like the policies of the company then and if it makes me feel worried, I will quit.

P 10/16 - 6-2 Assessment

5. The employees are required to sign the handbook so if they break any of the rules, they could be fired for breaking the policies of the company.

6. An area usually covered by an unwritten rule is how a person addressed their co-workers and friends at a company.

P 11/16 - What Would You Do

I would run to human resources to report it anonymously that somebody has been making me feel comfortable and then continue to work.

P 13/16 - 6-3 Assessment

1. The job of a student is much like the job of a paid employee since both roles have supervisors and someone to them to report to.

3. The three things are if you’re married or not, the number of tax exemptions and amount of money you earn.

P 14/16 - Focus on the Workplace

1. The mass production system had helped make this country a great economic power by having more products to be made quicker than before, which would increase the income of the factory. This made factories grow and stimulate the U.S. economy.

2. Some instances of ways a high-performance work organization might help to improve quality and productivity would be how a company provides a good environment for people to work in which would help boost the mindset and morale of an employee. The quality of products might be increased due to increased morale as well.

P 16/16 - Think Critically

21. This might suggest that during one’s first job, the employer might be more lenient and carefree, which makes this anxiety unjustified.

22. I believe this is neither a bad nor good idea. Becoming too friendly with an employee has a possibility of backfiring if the employee exploits the relationship. But a friendly employer might provide a stable job environment for a new employee to get them start off. There are no great downsides to being neutral to employees and there are no great upsides either.