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CLASS X

Ethics Paper I

Time: 30 minutes Marks: 20

Note: The MCQs in this model paper can also be used as examples and for practice for Annual and Re-sit Examinations 2021.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Read each question carefully.
2. The MCQs in this model paper can be used as examples and for practice for Annual and Re-sit examinations 2021.
3. Answer the questions on the separate answer sheet provided. DO NOT write your answers on the question paper.
4. There are 100 answer numbers on the answer sheet. Use answer numbers 1 to 20 only.
5. In each question, there are four choices A, B, C, D. Choose ONE. On the answer grid, black out the circle for your choice with a pencil as shown below.

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6. If you want to change your answer, ERASE the first answer completely with a rubber, before blacking out a new circle.
7. DO NOT write anything in the answer grid. The computer only records what is in the circles.

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1. Rohail was displeased with Basit as he left Rohail's place without saying goodbye. The MOST likely cause of Rohail's displeasure was that he
 - A. was expecting Basit to help him in cleaning up.
 - B. wanted to see him off as it is a universal norm.
 - C. felt it is unethical if he himself said goodbye to Basit.
 - D. wanted to talk to him more and he did not get a chance.
2. Aslam works in a firm. One day a person offered him a bribe to complete an unauthorised task. Ethically, he should
 - A. take it and break the law.
 - B. refuse it and follow the law.
 - C. take it and inform the higher authorities.
 - D. accept the bribe and not complete the task.
3. Aliya spends a lot of time with her friends. As a result, she is unable to cope with her studies and performs poorly in her examinations.
To overcome this problem, Aliya should
 - A. ask her friends to complete her work.
 - B. blame her friends for her low performance.
 - C. set a limited amount of time to meet friends.
 - D. convince her teacher to give her good marks.
4. In a shopping mall, a shopkeeper did not have change to give to the customer.
Which of the following courses of action is MOST appropriate for the shopkeeper?
 - A. Keeping the change
 - B. Charging amount to the nearest whole
 - C. Beginning an argument with the customer
 - D. Planning an alternative way to get change
5. Every human being is a trustee of God on Earth; therefore, his/ her prime responsibility is to be
 - A. kind to other creatures.
 - B. afraid of other creatures.
 - C. unkind to other creatures.
 - D. thankful to other creatures.
6. Which of the following phrases MOST closely indicates the meaning of the term 'tolerance'?
 - A. Obeying the rulers
 - B. Following religious traditions
 - C. Respecting and accepting the diversity of cultures
 - D. Exerting pressure on others to change their beliefs

7. Which of the following is a core element of tolerance?
- A. Agreement
 - B. Indifference
 - C. Self-control
 - D. Self-reliance
8. The Government of Pakistan restricts mobile phone services during certain events because of
- A. security risks.
 - B. higher call rates.
 - C. foreign interventions.
 - D. conflicts with cellular companies.
9. While driving, a person accidentally breaks the signal in the presence of a traffic constable.
- A law-abiding behaviour MOST appropriate for the driver in the given situation would be to
- A. speed up his/ her car and try to escape.
 - B. stop driving and bribe the traffic constable.
 - C. ignore the traffic constable and keep on driving.
 - D. stop driving and follow the instructions of the traffic constable.
10. Which of the following reflects the violation of law in a society?
- A. Disobedience to divine laws
 - B. Failure to abide by a contract
 - C. Disobedience towards family norms
 - D. Failure to respect inherent responsibilities
11. Sajid and Steve are studying in grade X. Both belong to different communities. One day, while discussing their communities' practices, they got furious.
- In this situation, an action that would promote pluralism would be that they do NOT
- A. promote tolerance.
 - B. respect each other's opinion.
 - C. listen to the other's views patiently.
 - D. impose their own stance on each other.
12. Jacob is working at a multinational company based in Lahore. He has not gone home for quite a long time and wishes to celebrate Christmas with his family in Hyderabad.
- Based on the given situation, the management of his company should facilitate him by
- A. rejecting his leave request.
 - B. granting him leaves without pay.
 - C. asking him to celebrate in Lahore.
 - D. allowing him to take leaves to enjoy his festival.

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13. In a small locality, some people belonging to a minority faith are celebrating a religious festival that involves music and dancing. As a member of the majority population, what should a person do?
- A. Call the police
 - B. Let them enjoy
 - C. Put on louder music
 - D. Denounce their actions
14. The TWO personality features of Florence Nightingale that are considered to be the primary requirement of the nursing profession are
- A. patience and creativity.
 - B. creativity and politeness.
 - C. compassion and courage.
 - D. exhaustion and swiftness.
15. In addition to her nursing services, Florence Nightingale is a pioneer of
- A. financial accounting.
 - B. hospital management.
 - C. pharmaceutical industry.
 - D. statistical representation of data.
16. The book that was written by Imam Ghazali in which he summarised the fundamentals of philosophical thoughts is
- A. *Al-Mustazhiri.*
 - B. *Tahafut al-Falasifa.*
 - C. *Maqasid al-Falasifa.*
 - D. *Al-Ma'arif al-'Aqliya.*
17. Imam Ghazali's most famous book on the ethical system of Islam is
- A. *Tafseer.*
 - B. *Mustasfa.*
 - C. *Ehyaul Uloom.*
 - D. *Falsafa-e-Islam.*
18. The ideal man does not work for himself or for society but for God only.
- This given statement was said by
- A. Kant.
 - B. Aristotle.
 - C. Sri Arbindu.
 - D. Florence Nightingale.

19. According to Sri Arbindu, the mind alone cannot help human beings evolve to the highest level of consciousness because the mind
- A. demands logic.
 - B. has limited capacity.
 - C. needs supernatural powers.
 - D. is not connected to the spirit.
20. Florence Nightingale improved the unsanitary conditions of hospitals in Britain which considerably decreased the death count.

The given achievement of Florence Nightingale gives us the message of

- A. piety.
- B. perseverance.
- C. perfectionism.
- D. professionalism.

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