

Practice Questions

Topic - “Paid Advertising on social media: Overview of paid advertising options (Facebook Ads, Instagram Ads), Creating effective ad campaigns.”

Multiple-Choice Questions (MCQs) –

1. What is the primary purpose of paid social media advertising?

- A) To increase organic reach
- B) To target specific audiences with paid content
- C) To improve website loading speed
- D) To manage customer service inquiries

Answer: B

2. Which platform is commonly used to manage both Facebook and Instagram ad campaigns?

- A) Google Ads Manager
- B) Meta Business Suite
- C) Hootsuite
- D) Sprout Social

Answer: B

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3. What is a key benefit of using paid social media ads over organic posts?

- A) They are free to create
- B) They guarantee specific audience targeting
- C) They require no creative input
- D) They do not need performance monitoring

Answer: B

4. Which ad format allows businesses to showcase multiple products in a single ad on Facebook?

- A) Stories Ads
- B) Carousel Ads
- C) Image Ads
- D) Video Ads

Answer: B

5. What is the primary metric used to measure the effectiveness of a social media ad in terms of user interaction?

- A) Impressions
- B) Click-Through Rate (CTR)
- C) Cost Per Mille (CPM)
- D) Reach

Answer: B

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6. Which of the following is a common objective for Instagram ad campaigns?

- A) Website security enhancement
- B) Brand awareness
- C) Database management
- D) Hardware optimization

Answer: B

7. What is the purpose of installing a Meta Pixel on a website?

- A) To improve website design
- B) To track ad conversions and user behavior
- C) To increase organic traffic
- D) To manage email campaigns

Answer: B

8. Which targeting option allows advertisers to reach users similar to their existing customers on Facebook?

- A) Lookalike Audiences
- B) Custom Audiences
- C) Behavioral Targeting
- D) Demographic Targeting

Answer: A

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9. What is the average cost per click (CPC) range for Instagram ads, as per industry standards?

- A) \$0.20–\$2.00
- B) \$5.00–\$10.00
- C) \$10.00–\$15.00
- D) \$0.01–\$0.10

Answer: A

10. Which of the following is NOT a placement option for Instagram ads?

- A) Stories
- B) Explore Page
- C) Reels
- D) Email Inbox

Answer: D

11. What is the first step in creating an effective ad campaign on social media?

- A) Designing ad creatives
- B) Setting a clear campaign objective
- C) Choosing ad placements
- D) Monitoring performance metrics

Answer: B

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12. Which ad format is most effective for capturing attention quickly on Instagram Stories?

- A) Carousel Ads
- B) Video Ads
- C) Image Ads
- D) Text Ads

Answer: B

13. What does CPM stand for in the context of social media advertising?

- A) Cost Per Mille (thousand impressions)
- B) Clicks Per Minute
- C) Cost Per Message
- D) Conversions Per Mille

Answer: A

14. Which of the following tools can help analyze competitors' Facebook ad strategies?

- A) Google Analytics
- B) Facebook Ad Library
- C) Hootsuite
- D) SEMrush

Answer: B

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15. What is the purpose of A/B testing in social media ad campaigns?

- A) To increase website traffic
- B) To compare different ad creatives or targeting options
- C) To manage customer reviews
- D) To improve website security

Answer: B

16. Which of the following is a key element of an effective ad creative?

- A) Long, detailed text
- B) High-resolution visuals
- C) Unrelated imagery
- D) No call-to-action (CTA)

Answer: B

17. What is the recommended approach to avoid ad fatigue in social media campaigns?

- A) Run the same ad indefinitely
- B) Rotate ad creatives regularly
- C) Increase ad budget without changes
- D) Use low-quality visuals

Answer: B

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18. Which of the following is a common mistake in social media advertising?

- A) Setting clear campaign goals
- B) Targeting a broad, undefined audience
- C) Using high-quality visuals
- D) Monitoring performance metrics

Answer: B

19. What is the benefit of using retargeting campaigns on Facebook?

- A) To reach entirely new audiences
- B) To target users who have already interacted with your brand
- C) To reduce ad costs automatically
- D) To eliminate the need for creatives

Answer: B

20. Which of the following is a SMART goal for a social media ad campaign?

- A) Increase brand visibility
- B) Achieve 10,000 website clicks in 30 days with a \$500 budget
- C) Run more ads
- D) Improve customer service

Answer: B

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Short Descriptive Questions –

1. Explain the key differences between organic social media marketing and paid social media advertising.
2. Describe the role of Meta Business Suite in managing Facebook and Instagram ad campaigns.
3. Discuss the importance of setting clear campaign objectives before launching a social media ad campaign.
4. Outline the steps involved in creating a Facebook ad campaign, from setting up an account to launching the ad.
5. Explain how the use of high-quality visuals contributes to the success of Instagram ad campaigns.
6. Describe the concept of Lookalike Audiences and how it can be used to improve ad targeting on Facebook.
7. Discuss the significance of A/B testing in optimizing social media ad campaigns.
8. Explain the role of the Meta Pixel in tracking and improving the performance of social media ad campaigns.
9. Describe the different ad formats available on Instagram and their potential uses in marketing.

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10. Discuss the importance of monitoring key performance metrics like CTR and CPM in evaluating the success of a social media ad campaign.

Long Descriptive Questions –

1. Compare and contrast the targeting options available on Facebook Ads and Instagram Ads, highlighting their strengths and weaknesses in reaching specific audiences.
2. Discuss the steps involved in creating an effective social media ad campaign, emphasizing the importance of audience research, creative design, and performance analysis.
3. Analyze the role of ad formats like Carousel Ads, Stories Ads, and Video Ads in achieving different marketing objectives on Facebook and Instagram. Provide examples of when each format might be most effective.

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4. Evaluate the challenges businesses face in managing paid social media advertising campaigns, such as ad fatigue, budget constraints, and audience targeting, and suggest strategies to overcome these challenges.
5. Explain the concept of retargeting in social media advertising and discuss how it can be used to improve conversion rates. Provide a step-by-step plan for setting up a retargeting campaign on Facebook.

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