

Answer the following questions (choose the correct answer)

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- 1) Research is – a) a random process b) a powerful systematic activity c) conducted for purely academic purposes
- 2) All good research aims at – a) solving routine problem b) betterment of the society c) developing generalizations, theories and principles .
- 3) A theory is define as – a) law like generalizations b) set of systematically related statement c) both (a) and (b)
- 4) Which is the following is a function of theory – a) making predictions b) explaining phenomena c) both (a) and (b)
- 5) Which of the following term explains the idea that knowledge comes from the experience -
a) logic b) rationalism c) empiricism
- 6) Metaphysics' means – a) a branch of physics b) physics of weather c) exploring the nature of ultimate reality
- 7) The depth of any research can be judged by - a)title of research b) objective of the research c) duration of the research
- 8) One of the essential characteristics of research is – a) replicability b) generalizability c) usability
- 9) Research can be conducted by a person who -- a) is a hard worker b) has studied research methodology c) possesses thinking and reasoning ability
- 10) Which of the following statements is not correct ? – a) a researcher is expected to be a well-read person. b) one research gives birth to another research.c) a good researcher is a nice person .
- 11) A grand theory – a) is highly abstract b) explains interrelationships among concepts . c) broad explanationof phenomenon in a discipline .12) The result of setting out a reasoned argument in steps is known as-- a) a debate b) an evaluation c) an analysis
- 13) Which of the following periodical is specifically meant for publishing research work ? -- a) magazine b) journals c) books d) monographs .

- 14) The best quality of researcher is --- a) curiosity b) ability c) active imagination d) all the above.
- 15) The research is always – a) verifying the old knowledge. b) exploring new knowledge. c) filling the gaps between the knowledge. d) all the above .
- 16) Which of the following statements is true about the theory ? -- a) it explains phenomenon in simple manner b) it explains the how and why questions .c) it can be a well-developed explanatory system. d) all the above.
- 17) Which of the following is a function of theory ? a) summarizing the current knowledge. b) making predictions .c) explaining phenomena. d) all the above .
- 18) The feasibility of a research study generally depends upon -- a) cost factor b) time required to conduct research . c) skills set of the researcher d) all the above.
- 19) The experimental study is based on – a) law of single variable. b) manipulation c) both (a) and (b) d) none of the above .
- 20) Which of the following is not a characteristic of a researcher ? --- a) industrious and persistent .b) specialist rather than generalist. C) objective d) not versatile in his interest and even in his native abilities .
- 21) An important practical issue to consider while designing a research project is --- a) an interesting theoretical perspective . b) add to knowledge of researcher only . c) availability of time and other resources. d) none of the above
- 22) In psychology and education , experimental research is also termed as – a) S-R (stimulus – response) research b) analytical research c) historical research d) post facto research .
- 23) Fundamental research is usually carried out in – a) classroom b) field setting c) laboratory conditions d) social setting .
- 24) The research which is exploring new facts through the study of the past is called – a) philosophical research b) historical research c) mythological research d) content analysis .
- 25) The scientific method can be used – a) only in physical sciences b) only in social sciences . c) both physical and social sciences . d) none of the above .
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