

VIDYA EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION

UGC-NET POLITICAL SCIENCE

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION TEST

1. Who among the following has criticized classical theory as ‘homely proverbs, myths, slogans and pompous identities’?

1. W.F. Willoughby
2. Luther Gulick
3. Henri Fayol
4. Herbert Simon

2. Arrange the following events in the evolution of public administration in the correct chronological order:

- A. Chester Barnard challenged the politics–administration dichotomy.
- B. L.D. White published his book ‘Introduction to the Study of Public Administration’.
- C. Luther Gulick and Urwick given the concept of POSDCORB.
- D. The emergence of New Public Administration.

Code:

- A. C, B, A, D
- B. B, C, A, D
- C. B, A, C, D
- D. C, A, B, D

3. Arrange the following in sequence as per Nicholas Henry:

- A. The Principles of Administration
- B. The politics/Administration Dichotomy
- C. Public Administration as management
- D. Public Administration as Public Administration

Choose the answer from the options given below:

- A. D, B, C, A
- B. B, A, C, D
- C. D, C, A, B
- D. C, A, B, D

4. Arrange the following in sequence as per Gulick and Urwick:

- A. Staffing
- B. Coordination

- C. Organization
- D. Reporting

Choose the answer from the options given below:

- A. D, B, C, A
- B. B, A, C, D
- C. D, C, A, B
- D. C, A, B, D

5. Arrange the following works of F.W. Taylor in chronological order:

1. The Principles of Management
2. A piece rate system
3. The Art of Cutting Metal
4. Shop Management

Code:

- A. 2, 1, 4, 3
- B. 2, 4, 1, 3
- C. 2, 4, 3, 1
- D. 2, 3, 4, 1

6. Who among the following described bureaucracy as “The continental nuisance”?

1. Max Weber
2. Thomas Carlyle
3. M. Crozier
4. Karl Marx

7. Which one of the following reasons is not attributed to the emergence of Development Administration?

- A. Abundance of research funding with the CAG
- B. Financial and technical assistance under the USAID programme
- C. Abundance of knowledge and managerial skills in developing countries
- D. Desire for administrative development in developing countries

8. The Hawthorne experiments belong to the era of:

1. Mid 1930's
2. Late 1930's
3. Early 1920's
4. Late 1920's

9. Who among the following was the first to advance the idea of worker's participation in management?

0. Henry Fayol
1. Herbert Simon
2. F.W. Taylor
3. Mary Parker Follett

10. What is concept of 'Gangplank' in an organization?

1. A training tool
2. Budgeting software
3. Level jumping of hierarchy
4. An accounting agency

11. Which one of the following is not correct according to Weber's Charismatic Authority?

- A. It is based on the exceptional qualities of the leader.
- B. Administration under this authority is stable.
- C. There is no hierarchical assignment of tasks under this authority.
- D. On the death of a leader under this authority, the question of succession arises.

12. Minnowbrook Conference-I occurred in

1. 1961
2. 1965
3. 1968
4. 1971

13. Match the LIST-I with LIST-II

LIST-I Scholar

- A. Fred Riggs
- B. Yehezkel Dror
- C. Peter Drucker
- D. Karl Marx

LIST-II Work

- I. The Practice of Management
- II. The Ecology of Public Administration
- III. The Eighteenth Brumaire of Louis Bonaparte
- IV. Public Policy Making Re-examined

1. A - II, B - IV, C - I, D - III
2. A - III, B - I, C - IV, D - II
3. A - I, B - II, C - III, D - IV
4. A - IV, B - III, C - II, D - I

14. Management by objectives was the key idea put forward by Peter Drucker in :

1. Managing for Results / मैनेजिंग फॉर रिजल्ट
2. The New Society / द न्यू सोसाइटी
3. The Frontier of Management / द फ्रंटियर ऑफ मैनेजमेंट
4. The Practice of Management / द प्रैक्टिस ऑफ मैनेजमेंट

15. Who wrote the book "The Sociology of Religion"?

1. Max Weber / मैक्स वेबर
2. Ana Ballesteros Peiro / रना बैलेस्टेरोस पेइरो
3. John Locke / जॉन लॉक
4. Herbert Marcuse / हर्बर्ट मार्क्यूज

16. Match the List I with List II

Author List I

- A. Woodrow Wilson
- B. Frederick Taylor
- C. Luther Gulick
- D. Abraham Maslow

Concepts List II

- I. Principles of Scientific Management
- II. Importance of Study of Administration as Science
- III. Hierarchy of Needs
- IV. Structure based Principles of Organisation

1. A-I, B-II, C-III, D-IV
2. A-II, B-I, C-IV, D-III
3. A-III, B-IV, C-II, D-I
4. A-IV, B-III, C-I, D-II

17. Who wrote the book 'Development Administration: Concepts, Goals, Methods'?

1. George F. Gant / जॉर्ज एफ. गैंट
2. Sabu Thomas / सबु थॉमस
3. Fred Riggs / फ्रेड रिग्ग्स
4. Michel Crozier / मिशेल क्रोजियर

18. Fred Riggs developed the ideas of fused, prismatic and diffracted societies. The features of Prismatic Societies are:-

- A. Universalism
- B. Ascriptive values
- C. Selectivism
- D. Attainment
- E. Poly-functionalism

Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

1. A, B Only / केवल A, B
2. A, B, C Only / केवल A, B, C
3. C, D, E Only / केवल C, D, E
4. A, B, C, D Only / केवल A, B, C, D

19. Match the LIST-I with LIST-II

LIST-I Scholar

- A. Dr. S Jaishankar
- B. Herbert Simon
- C. Abraham Maslow
- D. Chris Argyris

LIST-II Works

- I. A Theory of Human Motivation
- II. On Organizational Learning
- III. The India Way
- IV. Administrative Behaviour

1. A - I, B - II, C - III, D - IV
2. A - IV, B - III, C - II, D - I
3. A - III, B - IV, C - I, D - II
4. A - II, B - I, C - IV, D - III

20. Abraham Maslow's theory of needs in the hierarchy consists:-

- A. Physiological needs
- B. Esteem needs
- C. Security needs
- D. Self-actualisation needs
- E. Spiritual needs

Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

1. C, D, E ____ Only
2. B, C, D, E ____ Only
3. A, C, E ____ Only /
4. A, B, C, D ____ Only

21. Consider the following ideas associated with Douglas McGregor and choose the correct answer:-

- A. Theory X: The alternate assumptions of integration and self-control.
- B. Theory Y: The coercive compulsions
- C. Scanlon Plan
- D. The Human side of the enterprise
- E. Linking Pin Model

Choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below:

1. C, D, E ____ Only
2. C, D ____ Only
3. A, B, C, D ____ Only
4. A, B, D ____ Only

22. Consider the following statements about New Public Administration:

- A. It emerged after the Minnowbrook Conference I.
- B. It emphasized value-neutrality.
- C. It focused on social equity.
- D. It rejected behaviouralism completely.

Choose the correct answer:

1. A, C Only
2. A, B, C Only
3. B, D Only
4. A, C, D Only

23. Who among the following is associated with the concept of Bounded Rationality?

1. Chester Barnard
2. Herbert Simon
3. Luther Gulick
4. Dwight Waldo

24. Minnowbrook Conference-II was held in:

1. 1968
2. 1988
3. 1998
4. 2008

25. Consider the following statements regarding POSDCORB:

- A. It was given by Gulick and Urwick.
- B. It represents managerial functions.
- C. It includes Planning and Coordination.
- D. It was criticized by Herbert Simon.

1. A, B, C Only
2. A, B, D Only
3. A, B, C, D
4. B, C Only

26. The book 'Administrative Behaviour' was published in:

1. 1927
2. 1937
3. 1947
4. 1957

27. Who is associated with the concept of “Ecology of Public Administration”?

1. Fred Riggs
2. Yehezkel Dror
3. Dwight Waldo
4. Paul Appleby

28. Who among the following is associated with ‘Linking Pin Model’?

1. Douglas McGregor
2. Rensis Likert
3. Chris Argyris
4. Herbert Simon

29. Who introduced the concept of “Social Equity” in Public Administration?

1. Herbert Simon
2. Dwight Waldo
3. H. George Frederickson
4. Paul Appleby

30. The book ‘Public Policy Making Re-examined’ was written by:

1. Fred Riggs
2. Yehezkel Dror
3. Michel Crozier
4. Dwight Waldo

