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1. Which one of the following pairs is correctly matched?
 - a. Company man 褻Production and quality
 - b. Sportsman 褻Self-actualisation
 - c. Jungle Fighter 褻Security and social drives
 - d. Craftsman 褻Power and esteem drives
2. According to Paul Appleby the quality of a good administrator is
 - a. Self-confidence
 - b. Intelligence
 - c. Integrity
 - d. Loyalty
3. According to Miss Follett, Formal authority refers to
 - a. Leadership of personality
 - b. Leadership of position
 - c. Leadership of expert knowledge
 - d. Leadership by function
4. Which one of the following is Not what a leader in administration is expected to do?
 - a. Setting organizational goals in the light of internal and external demands
 - b. Defining the task of each individual so that no man should serve more than one master
 - c. Helping the meaning of policy to percolate down to the lower levels of the organization

- d. Maintaining the core values of. The organization and its distinctive identity
5. Yehezkel Dror's ideas are NOT in favour of
- a. policy analysis
 - b. policy science
 - c. science of mudding through
 - d. pluralistic approach
6. What are the elements of premises in a decision making situation?
- a. Opinions of subordinates
 - b. Previous decisions and action rules
 - c. Preferences of peers and politicians
 - d. Preferences and values of superiors

Select the correct answer from the codes given below

- a. 1 and 4
 - b. 2 and 3
 - c. 2 and 4
 - d. 1,2 and 4
7. Herbert Simon's concept of administration is based on
- a. Structural-functional approach
 - b. Logical positivism
 - c. Systems approach
 - d. Elite approach
8. Who among following made the suggestion that while exercising administrative discretion administrative agency must of necessity be responsive to community values?
- a. Henri Fayol
 - b. Chester Barnard
 - c. Elton Mayo
 - d. Herbert A Simon
9. On which of the following the classification of positions in civil services is based?
- a. Duties and responsibilities

- b. Rank
- c. Salary level
- d. Personal characteristics of the incumbent

Choose the correct answer from the codes given below:

- a. 1,2 and 4
 - b. 2,3 and 4
 - c. 1,2 and 3
 - d. 1,3 and 4
10. Which of the following are true of a gazetted officer?
- a. He can draw his own salary.
 - b. His placement particulars are published in a gazette.
 - c. He begins to write the confidential reports of his subordinates.
 - d. He can process applications for passports.

Choose the correct answer from the codes given below:

- a. 1,2 and 3
 - b. 1 and 2
 - c. 2 and 3
 - d. 3 and 4
11. Which of the following purposes is not served by the Budget in India?
- a. Outlining the functions and activities of the government departments
 - b. Exercising financial control over the activities of the government departments
 - c. Providing information on the state of economy and national income
 - d. Providing information on the physical targets reached by the government departments
12. Which one of the following is not the disadvantage of the Line-Item (Traditional) Budget?
- a. It does not help long-term planning
 - b. It does not relate to physical targets
 - c. It encourages unhealthy competition for funds
 - d. It provides for control of expenditure

13. Payments from the Consolidated Fund of India are authorized by the
- Money Bill
 - Appropriation Act
 - Finance Act
 - Consolidated Fund Act
14. Demands for grants can emanate only from
- The Leader of the Opposition
 - The Executive
 - The Chairman of the Estimates Committee
 - Any member who is not a member of the ruling party
15. The provision for the Contingency Fund of India results in
- absolving the executive from preparing the estimates of expenditure
 - compelling the legislature to approve the expenditure
 - reducing the legislative control over the executive
 - providing a safety valve to tide over a crisis.

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