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1. It is important to have a good \_\_\_\_\_ to be successful in your career.

- a) Appearance
- (b) Attendance
- (c) Attitude
- (d) Respect

Answer: (c) Attitude

2. It is important to be at work..... every day and on time unless you are sick or have a family emergency.

- (a) Appearance
- (b) Attendance
- (c) Attitude
- (d) Respect

Answer: (b) Attendance

3. Strong ..... means you have a high sense of moral and ethical behavior that earns respect of others.

- (a) Cooperation
- (b) Confidence
- (c) Attitude
- (d) Character

Answer: (d) Character

4. .... is essential at work because you must be able to work with others, especially if you don't always agree with them.

- (a) Communication
- (b) Cooperation
- (c) Honesty
- (d) Integrity

Answer: (b) Cooperation

5. ....skills such as writing, speaking and body language are important work ethics so that you can be clear in your messages to others.

- (a) Communication
- (b) Cooperation
- (c) Honesty
- (d) Integrity

Answer: (a) Communication

6. You are a person with a high level of.....if you stand by your values even if others put pressure on you to do something that is wrong or if they make fun of you.

- (a) Communication
- (b) Cooperation
- (c) Honesty
- (d) Integrity

Answer: (d) Integrity

7. If you don't have ....., you can really get in trouble for lying, cheating or deceiving others.

- (a) Communication
- (b) Cooperation
- (c) Honesty
- (d) Integrity

Answer: (c) Honesty

8. If you can keep things at work in order and have a neat workplace, then you have great .....

- (a) Loyalty
- (b) Organizational Skills
- (c) Productivity
- (d) Respect

Answer: (b) Organizational Skills

9. It is always important to..... yourself, others and the place where you work.

- (a) Appearance
- (b) Cooperate
- (c) Communicate
- (d) Respect

Answer: (d) Respect

10. If you have ....., you will be a trusted person because they will see that you are committed to your company.

- (a) Loyalty

- (b) Organizational Skills
- (c) Productivity
- (d) Respect

Answer: (a) Loyalty

11. .... work ethic is important because when you are at work, you are expected to perform your duties without wasting time or getting paid for doing very little.

- (a) Loyalty
- (b) Organizational Skills
- (c) Productivity
- (d) Respect

Answer: (c) Productivity

12. Some jobs cannot be done alone and some can be done much better and faster if you possess the quality of .....

- (a) Responsibility
- (b) Respect
- (c) Teamwork
- (d) Cooperation

Answer: (c) Teamwork

13. Having .....means you can be trusted to do what you are expected to do at work

- (a) Responsibility
- (b) Respect
- (c) Teamwork
- (d) Cooperation

Answer: (a) Responsibility

14. It is important to dress appropriately for work and have good personal hygiene including brushing teeth, wearing deodorant (but not strong perfume or cologne) and having neat hair.

- (a) Appearance
- (b) Attendance
- (c) Attitude
- (d) Respect

Answer: (a) Appearance

15. What is business ethics?

- (a) The study of business situations, activities, and decisions where issues of right and wrong are addressed
- (b) Defined as decisions organisations make on issues that could be considered right or wrong

- (c) Ethics that can be applied to an organisation's practises
- (d) Ethical processes businesses use in order to achieve a good ethical standard

Answer: (a) The study of business situations, activities, and decisions where issues of right and wrong are addressed

16. Ethics & Law overlap. This is called...

- (a) Yellow area
- (b) White area
- (c) Black area
- (d) Grey area

Answer: (d) Grey area

17. Teaching Ethics in Business schools will

- (a) Increase awareness about ethics
- (b) Make managers sensitive to ethical issues
- (c) Make future manager aware of implications of unethical practices
- (d) Guide managers when they face ethical dilemmas
- (e) All of the Above

Answer: (e) All of the Above

18. A written statement of policies and principles that guides the behaviour of all employees is called

- (a) code of ethics
- (b) word of ethics
- (c) ethical dilemma
- (d) None of the above

Answer: (a) code of ethics

19. What is the classical view of management's social responsibility?

- (a) To create specific environment in work place
- (b) To maximise profits
- (c) To protect and improve society's welfare
- (d) All of the above

Answer: (b) To maximise profits

20. Which of these is a purpose of shared organisational values?

- (a) Build Team Support
- (b) Influence marketing efforts
- (c) Guide managers' decisions and actions
- (d) All of the above

Answer: (d) All of the above

21. Which of these is a factor that affects ethical and unethical behaviour?

- (a) Ethical dilemma
- (b) Diversity
- (c) Teamwork
- (d) Open communication

Answer: (a) Ethical dilemma

22. The term ..... refers to principles, values and beliefs that define right and wrong behaviour.

- (a) Customer satisfaction
- (b) Empowerment
- (c) Innovation
- (d) Ethics

Answer: (d). Ethics

23. Which of this is a second stage of moral development?

- (a) Principled
- (b) Conventional
- (c) Pre conventional
- (d) None of the above

Answer: (b) Conventional

24. A personality measure of the strength of a person's convictions is called \_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) Locus of control
- (b) Ego
- (c) Ego Strength
- (d) None of the above

Answer: (c) Ego Strength

25. \_\_\_\_\_ is a personality attribute that measures the degree to which people believe they control their own fate.

- (a) Locus of control
- (b) Culture
- (c) Values
- (d) None of the above

Answer: (a) Locus of control

26. The three major types of ethical issues include except?

- (a) Communication issues
- (b) Systematic issues
- (c) Corporate issues

(d) Individual issues

Answer: (a) Communication issues

27. Ethics are moral principles and values which.....

- (a) Guide a firm's behavior
- (b) Govern the actions of an individual
- (c) Provide employees with rules on how to behave
- d) Are legally enforceable

Answer: (b) Govern the actions of an individual

28. Truthfulness in marketing communications is an example of:

- (a) Ethics
- (b) Business ethics
- (c) Marketing ethics
- (d) Corporate Social Responsibility

Answer: (c) Marketing ethics

29. Document that consists of all ethical standards that employer expects from employees is classified as

- (a) ethics code
- (b) descriptive code
- (c) procedural code
- (d) distributive code

Answer: (a) ethics code

30. Fairness of process is classified as

- (a) descriptive justice
- (b) procedural justice
- (c) distributive justice
- (d) severance justice

Answer: (b) procedural justice

31. Justice and fairness of a result of a decision is often classified as

- (a) descriptive justice
- (b) procedural justice
- (c) distributive justice
- (d) severance justice

Answer: (c) distributive justice

32. Standards that decided, what kind of conduct employees of organization should possess

- (a) descriptive justice

- (b) procedural justice
- (c) distributive justice
- (d) ethics

Answer: (d) ethics

33. The word “Ethics” comes from

- (a) Ethos
- (b) Eternity
- (c) Elementary
- (d) Essentiality

Answer: (a) Ethos

34. A ..... is a set of principles that people hold themselves to or that are held by organizations or groups.

- (a) code of ethics
- (b) code of honor
- (c) ethical perspective
- (d) persuasive tactic

Answer: (a) code of ethics

35. \_\_\_\_\_ is the ability to commit to doing what is right no matter the situation.

- (a) Dedication
- (b) Drive
- (c) Devotion
- (d) Morale

Answer: (a) Dedication

36. There are two abilities that you must have to properly understand ethics. The first is the ..... and the second ability is .....

- (a) ability to discern; concentration
- (b) ability to visualize; devotion
- (c) ability to distinguish; dedication
- (d) ability to judge; dedication

Answer: (c) ability to distinguish; dedication

37. “We advocate truthfulness, accuracy, honesty, and reason as essential to the integrity of communication.” This is a commitment that would most likely be found in

a.....

- (a) mission statement
- (b) code of ethics

- (c) code of conduct
  - (d) employee handbook
- Answer: (b) code of ethics

38. \_\_\_\_\_ are beliefs and attitudes we have that can actually conflict with our ethical decisions.

- (a) Morals
- (b) Principles
- (c) Virtues
- (d) Values

Answer: (d) Values

39. According to the text, what undermines persuasion and communication?

- (a) Facts
- (b) Lying
- (c) Storytelling
- (d) Emotion

Answer: (b) Lying

40. \_\_\_\_\_ is the degree to which others can depend on us. Like reputation, it can take a lifetime to build and only seconds to destroy.

- (a) Likability
- (b) Persuasiveness
- (c) Reliability
- (d) Eloquence

Answer: (c) Reliability

41. \_\_\_\_\_ are the true reasons for our actions when we have something to lose or gain as a result.

- (a) Motives
- (b) Schemes
- (c) Plans
- (d) Ruses

Answer: (a) Motives

42. \_\_\_\_\_ are the welfare principles enunciated by the wise people, based on their experience and wisdom

- (a) Morals
- (b) Ethics
- (c) Values
- (d) Morality

Answer : (a) Morals



43. \_\_\_\_\_ is concerned with principles and practices of morals

- (a) Ethics
- (b) Values
- (c) Morality
- (d) norms

Answer : (c) Morality

44. Breaking the norms is called \_\_\_\_\_, and invite specific punishment

- (a) action
- (b) Crime
- (C) laws
- (d) abuse

Answer : (b) Crime

45. A \_\_\_\_\_ is defined as a principle that promotes well-being or prevents harm

- (a) Ethics
- (b) Morals
- (c) Morality
- (d) Values

Answer : (d) Values

46. Human values are \_\_\_\_\_

- (a) Right conduct
- (b) Peace
- (c) Truth
- (d) all the above mentioned

Answer : (d) all the above mentioned

47. Values related to RIGHT CONDUCT is \_\_\_\_\_

- (a) Social skills
- (b) attention
- (c) accuracy
- (d) empathy

Answer : (a) Social skills

48. Values related to right conduct is \_\_\_\_\_

- (a) attention
- (b) accuracy
- (c) empathy
- (d) ethical skills

Answer : (d) ethical skills

49. Values related to right conduct is \_\_\_\_\_

- (a) curiosity
- (b) self-help skills
- (c) friendship
- (d) loyalty

Answer : (b) self-help skills

50. Values related to peace is \_\_\_\_\_

- (a) Social skills
- (b) attention
- (c) accuracy
- (d) empathy

Answer : (b) attention

51. Values related to peace is \_\_\_\_\_

- (a) reverence
- (b) perseverance
- (c) self-respect
- (d) sympathy

Answer : (c) self-respect

52. Values related to truth is \_\_\_\_\_

- (a) attention
- (b) accuracy
- (c) empathy
- (d) ethical skills

Answer : (b) accuracy

53. Values related to love is \_\_\_\_\_

- (a) forgiveness
- (b) trust
- (c) loyalty
- (d) universal love

Answer : (a) forgiveness

54. Values related to non-violence is \_\_\_\_\_

- (a) tolerance
- (b) happiness
- (c) optimism
- (d) ingenuity

Answer : (b) happiness

55. \_\_\_\_\_ means freedom from mistake or error

- (a) Perseverance
- (b) accuracy
- (c) discernment
- (d) service

Answer : (b) accuracy

56. \_\_\_\_\_ means the power to see what is not obvious to the average mind

- (a) Perseverance
- (b) accuracy
- (c) discernment
- (d) service .

Answer : (c) discernment

57. \_\_\_\_\_ builds character

- (a) Love
- (b) social skills
- (c) friendship
- (d) Perseverance

Answer : (d) Perseverance

58. \_\_\_\_\_ is the word that refers to morals, values, and beliefs of the individuals, family or the society

- (a) Ethics
- (b) Values
- (c) Morality
- (d) norms

Answer : (a) Ethics

59. \_\_\_\_\_ is defined as the unity of thought, word and deed (honesty) and open mindedness

- (a) Morals
- (b) Ethics
- (c) Values
- (d) Integrity

Answer : (d) Integrity

60. \_\_\_\_\_ is defined as a set of attitudes concerned with the value of work, which forms the motivational orientation.

- (a) Ethics

- (b) Integrity
- (c) Work ethics
- (d) morals

Answer : (c) Work ethics

61. \_\_\_\_\_ lays a moral and meaningful foundation for life.

- (a) Ethics
- (b) Integrity
- (c) Work
- (d) morals

Answer : (c) Work

62. \_\_\_\_\_ refers to learning the service policies, procedures, norms, and conditions, other than „the technical trade practices

- (a) Work ethics
- (b) service learning
- (c) Integrity
- (d) truth

Answer : (b) service learning

63. \_\_\_\_helps the individuals to interact ethically with colleagues and to effectively coordinate with other departments

- (a) Work ethics
- (b) Integrity
- (c) service learning
- (d) truth

Answer : (c) service learning

64. \_\_\_\_\_ may be defined as the non-paid activity

- (a) Service learning
- (b) ethics
- (c) non-violence
- (d) integrity

Answer : (a) Service learning

65. \_\_\_\_ are positive and preferred values

- (a) Service learning
- (b) ethics
- (c) non-violence
- (d) virtues

Answer : (d) virtues

66. The \_\_\_\_\_ person is the ethical person.

- (a) moral
- (b) kind
- (c) honest
- (d) virtuous

Answer : (d) virtuous

67. An individual may exhibit \_\_\_\_\_ by voting, volunteering, and organizing welfare groups and meetings.

- (a) Service learning
- (b) ethics
- (c) non-violence
- (d) civic virtues

Answer : (d) civic virtues

68. \_\_\_\_\_ are the moral duties and rights, as a citizen of the village or the country

- (a) Work ethics
- (b) duty ethics
- (c) civic virtue
- (d) service learning

Answer : (d) civic virtues

69. \_\_\_\_\_ is a basic requirement for nurturing friendship, team work, and for the synergy it promotes and sustains

- (a) Virtues
- (b) honesty
- (c) respect for others
- (d) work ethics

Answer : (c) respect for others

70. To \_\_\_\_\_, one should start install peace within

- (a) live peacefully
- (b) respect for others
- (c) be honest
- (d) be courage

Answer : (a) live peacefully

71. \_\_\_\_\_ includes showing respect to the feelings of others, and also respecting and preserving the interests of all others concerned

- (a) live peacefully
- (b) caring
- (c) be honest
- (d) be courage

Answer : (b) caring

72. Honesty is a virtue, and it is exhibited in which aspects \_\_\_\_\_

- a) truthfulness
- (b) happiness
- (c) awareness
- (d) comfortness

Answer : a) truthfulness

73. In \_\_\_\_\_ courage, the thrust is on the adequacy of the physical strength

- a) Social
- (b) physical
- (c) Intellectual
- (d) self

Answer : (b) physical

74. \_\_\_\_\_ means alignment to goals and adherence to ethical principles during the activities

- a) Welfare
- (b) empathy
- (c) Commitment
- (d) rural

Answer : (c) Commitment

75. The aim of education is not only the cultivation of the intellect but also the formation of \_\_\_\_\_

- a) Intelligence
- (b) Power
- (c) Benefit
- (d) moral Character

Answer : (d) moral Character

77. \_\_\_\_\_ includes creativity, communication, recognition of the individual as human being

- (a) Spirituality
- (b) Honesty
- (c) Individuality
- d) Charity

Answer : (a) Spirituality

78. \_\_\_\_Realization of self-potential. A human has immense capability but it needs to be developed

- (a) Courageness
- b)Self awareness
- (c) Character
- (d)Academy

Answer : (b)Self awareness

79. \_\_\_\_ Sympathy, empathy and concern for others

- (a) Compassion
- (b) Holism
- (c) Alertness
- d) Being visionary

Answer : (a) Compassion

80. Demonstrate your own \_\_\_\_and spirituality in all your action

- (a) Education
- (b) Property
- (c) Self-Knowledge
- (d) Wealth

Answer : (c) Self-Knowledge