**MULTIPLE CHOICE. Choose the one alternative that best completes the statement or answers the question.**

**1) Which of the following is NOT a basic computer operation? 1) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) Throughput B) Input C) Processing D) Storage

**2) The computer function in which processed data is displayed is known as: 2) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) input. B) storage. C) output. D) processing.

**3) Which of the following is NOT an example of an input device? 3) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) Microphones B) Scanners C) Speakers D) Digital cameras

**4) A byte: 4) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) can be compared to the state of one light switch being either on or off.

B) is the equivalent of eight binary digits.

C) is the smallest unit of information that a computer can process.

D) represents one digit in the decimal numbering system.

**5) Computers count with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ numbers. 5) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) digital B) decimal C) regular D) binary

**6) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ uses basic ethical principles to help you make the right decisions during daily computer usage. 6) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) Netiquette B) Computer morality C) Computer ethics D) ACM Conduct Code

**7) The CPU is often referred to as the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the computer. 7) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) core B) heart C) soul D) brain

**8) A \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is the smallest unit of information that a computer can work with. 8) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) byte B) hex C) bit D) register

**9) The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ contains a computer's main hardware components. 9) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) CPU B) system unit C) motherboard D) master case

**10) The most important type of memory that a typical computer uses during the processing operation is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ memory. 10) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) random access B) flash C) read-only D) storage

**11) Which of the following components would NOT be found inside the system unit? 11) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) USB port B) Cooling fan C) Power supply D) Motherboard

**12) In the strictest sense of the term, the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ contains the CPU. 12) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) unit frame B) computing platform C) system unit D) motherboard

**13) Which of the following solid state storage devices is commonly used in smartphones and MP3 players? 13) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) Smart card B) Flash memory card C) PCMCIA card D) FMD card

**14) A common reason for using hard disk partitions in a computer system is that: 14) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) partitioned hard disks have a faster access time.

B) a different partition can be used for each application software product.

C) hard disks over 1 GB in capacity must be partitioned due to their size.

D) partitions enable the computer to boot different operating systems.

**15) The pointing device that looks similar to a semi-blunt pen and is frequently used in CAD applications is referred to as a: 15) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) stylus. B) joystick. C) data pen. D) light pen.

**16) Keyboard shortcuts are performed by pressing a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ key in conjunction with another key. 16) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) toggle B) function C) arrow D) modifier

**17) Which of the following is still the most common method for data entry? 17) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) Scanner B) Stylus C) Keyboard D) Microphone

**18) Which of the following is NOT one of the steps in the machine cycle? 18) \_\_\_\_\_**

A) Store B) Execute C) Pipeline D) Decode

**19) A processor's instruction set: 19) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) is unique to the type of processor.

B) has nothing to do with the ability of the computer to run a program.

C) is the same for different types of processors.

D) will run programs that were created for an incompatible processor.

**20) When someone sues for libel, the plaintiff must prove that: 20) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) negative information was maliciously and intentionally spread for the purpose of offending the plaintiff.

B) the offender has lied.

C) the information was published in a well-read journal and was completely incorrect.

D) incorrect information or lies have caused damage.

**21) Which of the following is NOT considered plagiarism? 21) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) With his consent, copy your friend's algebra homework for submission to your math instructor.

B) Use a quote from a public speech on your history take-home exam, but cite the orator in your bibliography.

C) Paste a paragraph of text from a Web page into an essay, but make modifications to it before submission as your homework assignment.

D) Purchase a term paper from an Internet company and use it as the basis of your own work for a college course.

**22) Protecting data from loss or change is often simply a matter of following proper \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ procedures. 22) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) safety B) backup C) acceptable-use D) code of conduct

**23) A floppy disk drive is an example of: 23) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) legacy technology. B) modified technology.

C) standard technology. D) newly developed technology.

**24) A \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is a client that relies on the server for its processing ability. 24) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) limited client B) thin client C) minimal client D) terminal client

**25) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ have the portability of a notebook but not the functionality. 25) \_\_\_\_\_\_**

A) Minibooks B) Laptops C) Netbooks D) Tablets