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1. _____ Is often associated with bad habits. (1)

A. Ethics
B. Courage
C. Virtue ethics
D. Vice

2. Respecting the good values that society respect and obeying the law, which of the following describes. (1)

A. Ethical behavior
B. Virtue
C. Ethics
D. Moral virtues

3. Which one of the following is not true about ethics? (1)

A. Ethics is the study of only right action.
B. Ethics is also moral philosophy.
C. Ethics is the study of both right and wrong action.
D. Ethics is focused on good or bad action.

4. Which of the following describes a set of moral principles or values? (1)

A. Vice
B. Honesty
C. Ethics
D. Immoral ethics

5. Which of the following is correct regarding virtue ethics? (1)

A. Virtue ethics qualities are important in creating a positive attitude.
B. To speak in front of the class not requires morality.
C. Human beings have the same level of virtues.
D. Virtue ethics is not the path that leads to greatest happiness.

6. One can't acquire moral virtue through _____ (1)

A. Learning
B. Imitation
C. Practice
D. Naturally

7. Which one of the following is the third step in decision making? (1)

A. Identify the central problem
B. Select the solution
C. Find a possible solution
D. Evaluate each solution

8. If your friend always speaks only the truth, hates and does not accept lies, what do we call him. (1)

A. It is faire
B. It is prudence
C. It is honest
D. It is generous

9. _____ Refers to behaviors that allow a person to live reasonably is his or her community, region or world. (1)

A. Civic virtues
B. Virtue
C. Virtue ethics
D. Moral virtue

10. _____ Is the disposition to expend time, effort, and resources in a moral context for the benefit of others. (1)

A. Fairness
B. Generosity
C. Self-discipline
D. Prudence

11. Moral virtue includes all except ____. (1)

A. Self-discipline
B. Participating in public government
C. Fairness
D. Generosity

12. Student, which include your persistence in overcoming the problem you face at home or at school. (1)

A. Courage
B. Honesty
C. Self-discipline
D. Prudence

13. Which one of the following frequently defined as method of evaluating people or situations that is free of bias. (1)

A. Compassion
B. Generosity
C. Fairness
D. Honesty

14. All are qualities and principles of virtue ethics except one. (1)

A. In justice
B. Honesty
C. Fairness
D. Generosity

15. _____ Is the ability to make sound decision in order to avoid danger risk. (1)

A. Honesty
B. Selfishness
C. Prudence
D. Moral virtue

16. Which one of the following is Categories of civic virtue? (1)

A. Honesty
B. Paying fair tax
C. Courage
D. Prudence

17. Which does not include participation in public Government. (1)

A. Attending community meeting.
B. Debating on issues of major concern.
C. Becoming a member of association or clubs.
D. Participating in violence.

18. Which one the following is not important of virtue ethics? (1)

A. It helps to eliminate problem of social evils from one life.
B. Always put you interests first.
C. It helps in finding out the true purposes of life.
D. It helps one of distinguishing between right and wrong.

19. _____ Is a type of state formed when a group of people or nations from an alliance. (1)

A. Con-federal arrangement
B. Unitary state structure
C. Federal state structure
D. Liberalism

20. A system of government where there is power distribution between central government and regional states is called. (1)

A. Democratic
B. House of people federation
C. Military
D. Federalism

21. Countries with heterogeneous societies prefer _____ state structure? (1)

A. Democracy
B. Federal
C. Monarchy
D. Unitary

22. Which one of the following is not element of state? (1)

A. Population
B. Government institution
C. Sovereignty
D. Territory

23. Ethiopia followed a type of government is called _____ (1)

A. Federal
B. Con federal
C. Unitary
D. Military

24. Which country is not an example of federal state structure? (1)

A. Nigeria
B. United kingdom
C. South Africa
D. Canada

25. The separation of state and religion are clearly indicated in the FDRE constitution of Ethiopia, which principle of democracy applied here? (1)

A. Principle of accountability and transparency.
B. Principle of separation of power.
C. Principle of secularism.
D. Principle of citizen participation.

26. Listed below are all functions of the federal government except one. (1)

A. Maintain public order and peace within the state.
B. Providing national defense.
C. Managing the country's foreign affairs.
D. Overseeing the country's monetary system.

27. What is the current system of government in USA. (1)

A. Military government.
B. Parliamentary system.
C. Presidential system.
D. Monarchal system.

28. Which one is the function of regional state in Ethiopia? (1)

A. Organize local police force.
B. Printing national currency.
C. Formulate and implement foreign policy.
D. Establish the national defense force.

29. All of the following is an example of con- federal arrangement except ____ (1)

A. United nation
B. European union
C. African union
D. United kingdom

30. Which one of the following is not feature of parliamentary system. (1)

A. Separation of power
B. Leadership of prime minister
C. Political homogeneity
D. Nominal head of state.

31. Which one of the following also known as a single executive system. (1)

A. Unitary state structure
B. Presidential system
C. Parliamentary system
D. Monarchical

32. Who is the head of the state in Ethiopia? (1)

A. President
B. Prime minister
C. Foreign minister
D. King

33. The first written constitution of Ethiopia was in _____. (1)

A. 1995
B. 1955
C. 1987
D. 1931

34. Which one the following is false? (1)

A. Government is an element of state.
B. State is a wider concept than government.
C. Government is temporary; state is permanent.
D. Government is abstract; state is concrete.

35. Which one of the following is the way of acquiring as right of soil? (1)

A. Citizenship by naturalization.
B. Citizenship by birth.
C. Citizenship by descent.
D. Citizenship by adoption.

36. One of the following included in the classroom rules and regulations. (1)

A. To carry necessary equipment for the lesson.
B. To come on time to class.
C. To treat others with respect.
D. All of the above.

37. According to USA laws, the president is accountable to _____. (1)

A. Prime minister
B. People
C. Congress
D. House of people representative

38. According to Ethiopian laws, the prime minister is accountable to ____. (1)

A. Legislature
B. People
C. Winning party
D. President

39. In presidential system, the head of the state and head of government is ____ (1)

A. President
B. Prime minister
C. Mayor
D. People

40. A fundamental or supreme law of the land is called. (1)

A. Civil law
B. Constitution
C. Criminal law
D. Democracy

41. Which of the following Ethiopian constitutions promote federalism? (1)

A. 1974 **B.** 1948

C. 1995 **D.** 1923

42. _____ is a political system in which the people hold supreme political power. (1)

A. Anarchy **B.** Unitary

C. Monarchy **D.** Democracy

43. The FDRE constitution has _____ chapter. (1)

A. 107 **B.** 106

C. 11 **D.** 12

44. One of the following explains the significance of constitutionalism except. (1)

A. Promotes equality before the law.

B. Ensures popular sovereignty.

C. Encourages the development of democratic systems.

D. Provides limited and accountable government.

45. Which of the following Greek cities is the origin of democracy? (1)

A. Rome **B.** Athens

C. Sparta **D.** Egypt

46. Which one shows the correct order of three branches of government. (1)

A. Executive, judicial and legislative branches.

B. Legislative, executive and judicial branches.

C. Executive, legislative and judicial branches.

D. Judicial, executive and legislative branches.

47. The government organ of the state which is responsible to implement the law is _____. (1)

A. The executive branch of the government.

B. The house of federation.

C. The judiciary branch of the government.

D. The legislative branch of the government.

48. In the FDRE constitution, the separation of religion and government is found in the article? (1)

A. Article 12 **B.** Article 13

C. Article 11 **D.** Article 10

49. Which one describes the ability to accommodate different ideas, outlooks, and points of view? (1)

A. Tolerance **B.** Responsibility

C. Patriotism **D.** Obey the law

50. It is about being fair, impartial, and providing equitable service to the people of the country. (1)

A. Liberty **B.** Justice

C. Equality **D.** Civility

51. Which of the closest indigenous democratic system is used by the people of Gurage? (1)

A. Shimiglina
B. Awassiya
C. Yajoka
D. Gada

52. It is an indigenous institution used by the Amhara people to solve their conflicts. (1)

A. Baito
B. Shimiglina
C. Mada'a
D. Luwa

53. All of the following are primary sources of law. One is except. (1)

A. Custom
B. Religion and morality
C. Legislative
D. Democracy

54. Which of the following is an importance of rule of law? (1)

A. Promotes democracy
B. Promotes the freedom of the judiciary
C. Enhances the freedom of the individual
D. All of the above

55. In the FDRE constitution, the regional government's power and function is indicated on _____. (1)

A. Article 52
B. Article 51
C. Article 74
D. Article 71

56. _____ is an important indigenous democratic institution in Oromo society. (1)

A. Gada
B. Seera
C. Awassiya
D. Luwa

57. Among the following which one is the opportunity of democracy in Ethiopia? (1)

A. Lack of an informed society
B. The absence of competing parties
C. Rapid expansion of education
D. The prevalence of weak political participation

58. Which of the following is true about the Derg regime? (1)

A. Campaigning for literacy
B. Introducing federalism
C. Promoting state religion
D. Promoting feudalism

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