# MCQ ON HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT FOR UG

# "MAGNETS OF CURIOSITY, KNOWLEDGE, AND WISDOM IN THE PUPILS"



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# HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

# UNIT – I

- 1. What does HRM stand for?
- a. Human Resource Measurement

## b. Human Resource Management

- c. Human Resource Marketing
- d. Human Resource Memorandum
- 2. What is the primary focus of HRM?
- a. Financial Management
- b. Employee Management
- c. Project Management
- d. Customer Management
- 3. Which of the following is NOT a function of HRM?
  - a. Recruitment and Selection

### **b.** Marketing Strategy

- c. Training and Development
- d. Performance Appraisal

4. What is the purpose of the recruitment process in HRM?

- a. Employee Termination
- b. Employee Motivation

### c. Attracting and Selecting Candidates

d. Budgeting

5. Which term refers to the process of evaluating employee performance?

- a. Job Analysis
- b. Recruitment

#### c. Performance Appraisal

d. Training

6. What is the primary goal of training and development in HRM?

a. Employee Discipline

b. Employee Termination

c. Employee Engagement and Skill Enhancement

d. Employee Compensation

### 7. What does HR planning involve?

a. Calculating Financial Resources

b. Anticipating and Meeting Future HR Needs

- c. Marketing Strategies
- d. Employee Discipline

8. Which of the following is an external factor affecting HRM?

- a. Employee Morale
- **b.** Labour Laws

c. Training Programs

d. Performance Appraisal

9. What is the purpose of job analysis in HRM?

### a. Employee Recruitment

- b. Employee Discipline
- c. Employee Motivation
- d. Employee Termination

10. Which term refers to the process of resolving conflicts between employees and management?

- a. Employee Engagement
- b. Employee Discipline

### c. Employee Relations

d. Employee Termination

#### 11. What does HRD stand for?

a. Human Resource Discipline

### b. Human Resource Development

- c. Human Resource Design
- d. Human Resource Dynamics
- 12. What is the primary goal of HRD?
- a. Employee Recruitment
- b. Employee Discipline

### c. Employee Development and Growth

- d. Employee Termination
- 13. Which of the following is a key component of HRD?

- a. Performance Appraisal
- b. Employee Relations

# c. Training and Development

- d. Recruitment and Selection
- 14. What does training in HRD focus on?
- a. Employee Recruitment
- b. Employee Discipline

# c. Enhancing Employee Skills and Knowledge

d. Employee Termination

15. Which term refers to the process of helping employees develop their careers within the organization?

- a. Recruitment
- **b.** Succession Planning
- c. Performance Appraisal
- d. Employee Discipline

16. What is the purpose of career development in HRD?

a. Employee Discipline

b. Employee Termination

# c. Employee Motivation and Growth

- d. Employee Compensation
- 17. What is the role of HRD in organizational success?
- a. Employee Termination

# b. Enhancing Employee Performance

c. Employee Relations

d. Budgeting

18. Which of the following is an internal factor affecting HRD?

- a. Labor Laws
- b. Technological Changes
- c. Market Competition

d. Organizational Culture

19. What is the focus of organizational development in HRD?

a. Employee Discipline

b. Enhancing Organizational Effectiveness

- c. Employee Relations
- d. Employee Termination

20. What does the term "performance management" involve in HRD?

a. Employee Termination

b. Evaluating and Improving Employee Performance

- c. Employee Relations
- d. Employee Recruitment

21. What is a key quality of a good HR manager?

a. Technical expertise in all HR functions

b. Excellent leadership and decision-making skills

- c. Strict enforcement of company policies
- d. Limited communication with employees

22. Which quality is essential for fostering a positive workplace culture?

a. Rigidity in enforcing rules

b. Lack of empathy

c. Strong interpersonal and communication skills

d. Avoiding employee feedback

23. What is a crucial aspect of effective HR management?

a. Isolation from organizational goals

b. Resistance to change

c. Alignment with organizational objectives

d. Limited employee development opportunities

24. How does a good HR manager contribute to employee engagement?

a. Ignoring employee concerns

b. Encouraging open communication and feedback

c. Implementing strict disciplinary actions

d. Minimizing employee involvement in decision – making

25. What quality helps HR managers navigate and adapt to changes in the business environment?

a. Resistance to change

# b. Flexibility and adaptability

- c. Strict adherence to traditional practices
- d. Lack of innovation

26. Which quality is essential for handling confidential employee information?

- a. Gossiping about employees
- b. Lack of discretion

# c. Trustworthiness and confidentiality

d. Publicizing employee issues

27. What is a key attribute for effective conflict resolution in HR management?

a. Avoiding conflicts altogether

# b. Active listening and mediation skills

- c. Taking sides in conflicts
- d. Ignoring employee grievances

28. How does a good HR manager contribute to talent development?

a. Restricting access to training programs

b. Discouraging employee growth

c. Providing opportunities for learning and development

d. Ignoring employee aspirations

29. What quality is crucial for building strong relationships with employees and management? a. Authoritarian leadership

b. Lack of communication skills

c. Strong interpersonal and relationship-building skills

d. Maintaining a hierarchical approach

30. How does a good HR manager promote diversity and inclusion?

a. Ignoring diversity initiatives

b. Focusing only on a single demographic

c. Embracing and promoting diversity and inclusion initiatives

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a. Financial Management

# **b.** Employee Management

- c. Project Management
- d. Customer Management

42. Which of the following is a function of HRM?

a. Marketing Strategy

# **b.** Employee Motivation

c. Inventory Management

d. Performance Appraisal

43. What is the purpose of the recruitment process in HRM?

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- b. Employee Motivation
- c. Attracting and Selecting Candidates
- d. Budgeting
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# b. Anticipating and Meeting Future HR Needs

- c. Marketing Strategies
- d. Employee Discipline

45. Which term refers to the process of evaluating employee performance?

- a. Job Analysis
- b. Recruitment

#### c. Performance Appraisal

d. Training

46. What is the purpose of job analysis in HRM?

#### a. Employee Recruitment

- b. Employee Discipline
- c. Employee Motivation
- d. Employee Termination
- 47. What is the role of HRM in employee relations?
- a. Promoting Employee Conflict

### b. Resolving Employee Conflicts

c. Ignoring Employee Concerns

d. Implementing Strict Policies

48. Which factor is NOT typically considered in HRM?

- a. Labor Laws
- b. Market Competition
- c. Technological Changes

d. Product Packaging

49. What does the term "compensation" refer to in HRM?

- a. Employee Discipline
- b. Employee Termination

#### c. Rewards and Benefits

d. Employee Relations

50. What is the primary goal of employee training in HRM?

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- b. Employee Termination
- c. Skill Enhancement and Development
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d. Recruitment and Selection

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c. Strict enforcement of rules

d. Minimizing employee involvement in decisionmaking

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# b. Enhancing Organizational Effectiveness

- c. Employee Relations
- d. Employee Termination

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d. Implementing discriminatory policies

61. Why is HRM considered crucial for organizations?

a. Solely for employee recruitment

b. To manage financial resources

# c. To achieve organizational goals through effective management of people

d. To implement marketing strategies

62. What role does HRM play in employee satisfaction?

a. Ignoring employee concerns

b. Strict enforcement of rules

# c. Enhancing job satisfaction and employee morale

d. Limited communication with employees

63. Why is recruitment an essential function of HRM?

a. To increase employee turnover

# b. To attract and select the right candidates for organizational success

c. To eliminate job positions

d. To decrease workplace diversity

64. How does HRM contribute to organizational effectiveness?

a. Ignoring employee training programs

b. Implementing strict disciplinary actions

# c. Enhancing employee performance and skills

d. Reducing employee engagement initiatives

65. Why is performance appraisal important in HRM?

a. To discourage employees

# b. To evaluate and improve employee performance

- c. To limit employee feedback
- d. To avoid employee promotions

66. What is the significance of HR planning in organizations?

- a. To discourage workforce diversity
- b. To calculate financial resources

# c. To anticipate and meet future HR needs

d. To implement strict policies

67. How does HRM contribute to employee development?

a. Restricting access to training programs

b. Discouraging career growth

c. Providing learning and development opportunities

d. Ignoring employee aspirations

68. Why is a positive employee relations approach essential in HRM?

a. To create conflict among employees

b. To encourage open communication and teamwork

c. To ignore employee concerns

d. To implement a strict hierarchy

69. What is the role of HRM in maintaining legal compliance?

a. Ignoring labor laws

b. Resisting legal requirements

c. Ensuring adherence to labor laws and regulations

d. Avoiding diversity initiatives

70. Why is diversity management crucial in HRM?

a. To limit organizational growth

b. To increase workplace conflicts

c. To promote a diverse and inclusive workplace

d. To discourage creativity

71. Why is HRD important for employee growth?

- a. To restrict access to training programs
- b. To discourage learning and development

c. To provide opportunities for skill enhancement

d. To limit career advancement

72. What is the role of HRD in organizational success?

a. To discourage organizational growth

b. To align employee development with organizational goals

c. To resist change

d. To minimize training initiatives

73. How does HRD contribute to talent management?

a. Discouraging employee growth

b. Restricting access to development programs

c. Identifying and nurturing employee talents and potential

d. Ignoring employee aspirations

74. What is the significance of HRD in succession planning?

a. To limit leadership development

b. To encourage a lack of planning

c. To identify and prepare future leaders within the organization

d. To discourage employee growth

75. How does HRD promote a learning culture within an organization?

a. Ignoring training initiatives

b. Discouraging skill development

c. Encouraging continuous learning and knowledge sharing

d. Limiting access to educational resources

76. Why is employee engagement crucial in HRD?

a. To discourage employee involvement

b. To minimize communication with employees

c. To increase workplace conflicts

d. To foster a positive and engaged workforce

77. What role does HRD play in adapting to technological changes?

a. Resisting technological advancements

b. Ignoring employee training in new technologies

c. Providing training to adapt to technological changes

d. Discouraging innovation

78. How does HRD contribute to organizational innovation?

a. Ignoring creative initiatives

b. Restricting access to innovative projects

#### c. Fostering a culture of creativity and innovation

d. Discouraging employee contributions

79. What is the role of HRD in building a high-performance culture?

a. Discouraging performance-based incentives

b. Ignoring employee achievements

#### c. Providing training to enhance performance

d. Avoiding performance evaluations

80. Why is HRD crucial for managing change within an organization?

a. To resist change

b. To limit employee involvement in change initiatives

# c. To develop skills for managing and embracing change

d. To avoid change management programs

# UNIT -II

- 1. What is the primary purpose of recruitment sources?
- a. Employee Termination

# b. Attracting and Selecting Candidates

- c. Budgeting
- d. Employee Motivation

2. Which of the following is an external source of recruitment?

a. Internal Job Postings

b. Employee Referrals

c. Campus Recruitment

d. Succession Planning

3. What is the primary advantage of using internal recruitment sources?

a. Attracting diverse talent

## b. Reducing training costs

- c. Enhancing employer brand
- d. Bringing fresh perspectives

4. Which recruitment source is effective for filling entrylevel positions quickly?

- a. Employee Referrals
- b. Social Media
- c. Job Portals

# d. Walk-ins

- 5. What is the primary goal of campus recruitment?
- a. Filling executive-level positions

# **b.** Attracting recent graduates for entry-level positions

- c. Reducing turnover rates
- d. Enhancing employee engagement

6. Which of the following is an example of an online recruitment source?

- a. Employee Referrals
- b. Walk-ins
- c. Print Advertising
- d. LinkedIn

7. What is the significance of employee referrals as a recruitment source?

- a. Attracting external candidates
- b. Increasing diversity
- c. Utilizing current employees' networks
- d. Reducing recruitment costs

8. What is the purpose of using recruitment agencies as a source?

- a. Internal promotions
- b. Attracting passive candidates
- c. Enhancing employer brand

d. Employee Retention

9. Which recruitment source is suitable for attracting experienced professionals from the industry?

a. Internship Programs

b. Walk-ins

c. Headhunting/Executive Search Firms

d. Job Fairs

10. What is the purpose of using job fairs as a recruitment source?

a. Attracting passive candidates

b. Filling entry-level positions

c. Internal promotions

d. Reducing turnover rates

11. What is the primary disadvantage of relying solely on employee referrals for recruitment?

a. High recruitment costs

b. Lack of diversity in candidate pool

c. Lengthy hiring process

d. Limited access to skilled talent

12. Which recruitment source is suitable for identifying talent early in their career through practical work experience?

a. Internal Job Postings

b. Internship Programs

c. Social Media

d. Print Advertising

13. How does social media contribute to recruitment sources?

a. Reducing diversity in candidate pool

b. Limiting employer branding efforts

# c. Providing a platform for job postings and networking

d. Attracting only passive candidates

14. What is the significance of using recruitment events as a source?

a. Filling only entry-level positions

## b. Enhancing employer brand

c. Ignoring networking opportunities

d. Minimizing candidate engagement

15. Which recruitment source is suitable for targeting a specific skill set or industry expertise?

a. Walk-ins

b. Job Portals

# c. Headhunting/Executive Search Firms

d. Internal Job Postings

16. What is the primary challenge of using print advertising as a recruitment source?

a. Limited reach and immediacy

- b. Attracting diverse talent
- c. High recruitment costs
- d. Employee dissatisfaction

17. How does walk-ins contribute to recruitment sources?

a. Filling executive-level positions

b. Attracting passive candidates

### c. Attracting spontaneous applicants

d. Reducing recruitment costs

18. Which recruitment source is effective for attracting candidates interested in temporary or project-based work?

a. Employee Referrals

## b. Temporary Staffing Agencies

- c. Internal Job Postings
- d. Job Fairs

19. What is the purpose of using online job portals for recruitment?

a. Attracting only entry-level candidates

b. Reducing employee turnover

# c. Providing a platform for posting and searching for jobs

d. Ignoring technology-savvy candidates

20. How does internal job postings contribute to talent development within an organization?

a. Restricting employee growth

# **b.** Providing opportunities for career advancement within the organization

c. Discouraging promotions

d. Limiting access to learning and development programs

21. What is Human Resources Management (HRM)?

a) Organizing company events

b) Managing an organization's workforce

c) Financial planning for the company

- d) IT system administration
- 22. What is the primary objective of HRM?
  - a) Maximizing profits

# b) Enhancing employee well-being

- c) Minimizing production costs
- d) Increasing product innovation

23. Which HRM function focuses on attracting, selecting, and hiring suitable candidates?

a) Training and Development

# b) Recruitment and Selection

- c) Compensation and Benefits
- d) Employee Relations

24. What does the term "Employee Relations" in HRM encompass?

# a) Conflict resolution and communication

- b) Health and safety regulations
- c) Financial incentives
- d) Market analysis

25. Which HRM activity aims at enhancing employees' skills and knowledge?

- a) Compensation and Benefits
- b) Performance Management
- c) Training and Development

- d) Succession Planning
- 26. What does HRM stand for?
  - a) Human Resource Mechanism

# b) Human Resource Management

- c) High Responsibility Module
- d) Hiring and Retention Model
- 27. What is the primary focus of HRM?
  - a) Financial Management
  - b) Operations Management
  - c) Human Capital Management
  - d) Marketing Management
  - 28. Which HRM function is responsible for recruiting
    - and selecting employees?
  - a) Compensation and Benefits
  - b) Employee Relations
  - c) Recruitment and Selection
  - d) Training and Development

29. What does HRIS stand for in the context of HRM?

# a) Human Resource Information System

b) Hiring and Recruitment Integration System

c) High-Resolution Imaging Software

d) Human Relations Improvement Strategy

Answer: a) Human Resource Information System

10. Which term refers to the process of evaluating and improving employee performance?

- a) Compensation Management
- b) Performance Appraisal
- c) Employee Engagement
- d) Succession Planning

11. What is the purpose of Human Resource Planning?

- a) Assessing Financial Resources
- b) Evaluating Marketing Strategies
- c) Determining HR Needs

d) Establishing Operational Procedures

12. Which aspect of HRM focuses on resolving workplace conflicts?

a) Compensation and Benefits

b) Employee Engagement

c) Employee Relations

d) Training and Development

13. What does the term "workforce diversity" refer to in HRM?

a) Uniformity in Job Roles

b) Variety of Employee Backgrounds

c) Exclusive Hiring Practices

d) Limited Employee Skills

14. What is the primary goal of employee engagement efforts?

a) Reducing Workforce

b) Enhancing Employee Commitment

- c) Decreasing Job Responsibilities
- d) Limiting Training Opportunities

15. What is the significance of compensation and benefits in HRM?

- a) Improving Work Environment
- b) Enhancing Employee Skills
- c) Attracting and Retaining Talent
- d) Minimizing Job Roles
- c) Attracting and Retaining Talent

16. In HRM, what does the term "organizational development" focus on?

- a) Job Analysis
- b) Creating a Positive Culture
- c) Workforce Diversity
- d) Training and Development
- 17. What is the purpose of HR analytics in HRM?

a) Assessing Employee Attire

- b) Using Data for Informed Decisions
- c) Evaluating Workplace Decor
- d) Improving Cafeteria Services

18. Which HRM function involves managing relationships with labor unions?

- a) Compensation and Benefits
- b) Employee Relations
- c) Recruitment and Selection
- d) HR Analytics

19. What is the objective of diversity and inclusion initiatives in HRM?

- a) Limiting Employee Differences
- b) Reducing Employee Engagement
- c) Creating an Inclusive Workplace
- d) Ignoring Employee Backgrounds

20. How does HRM contribute to organizational success?

- a) Minimizing Employee Commitment
- b) Maximizing Operational Costs
- c) Ensuring Effective Human Capital Management

d) Limiting Employee Training

21. Which HRM function involves attracting, selecting, and hiring employees?

a) Compensation and Benefits

b) Employee Relations

c) Recruitment and Selection

d) Training and Development

22. What is the primary goal of performance management in HRM?

a) Determining Compensation

b) Enhancing Employee Engagement

- c) Evaluating and Improving Performance
- d) Managing Employee Relations

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- a) Evaluating Employee Performance
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d) Assessing Compensation and Benefits

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**b) Employee Relations** 

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  - d) Improving Workplace Decor

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- a) Compensation and Benefits
- b) Employee Engagement
- c) HR Analytics
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- a) Limiting Employee Differences
- b) Reducing Employee Commitment
- c) Enhancing Employee Motivation and

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- a) Improving Work Environment
- b) Enhancing Employee Skills
- c) Attracting and Retaining Talent

d) Minimizing Job Roles

32. In HRM, what is the role of organizational development?

a) Defining Job Roles and Responsibilities

# b) Creating a Positive Culture

- c) Managing Employee Relations
- d) Assessing Compensation and Benefits

33. Which HRM function focuses on creating a pipeline of talent for key positions?

# a) Succession Planning

- b) Employee Engagement
- c) Recruitment and Selection
- d) Training and Development

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35. How does HRM contribute to organizational success?

- a) Minimizing Employee Commitment
- b) Maximizing Operational Costs
- c) Ensuring Effective Human Capital Management
- d) Limiting Employee Training

36. What is the primary purpose of HRM functions?

- a) Maximizing shareholder value
- b) Enhancing employee satisfaction
- c) Minimizing environmental impact
- d) Reducing corporate taxes

37. Which HRM function involves assessing and improving employee performance?

a) Recruitment

- b) Compensation and Benefits
- c) Performance Management
- d) Employee Relations

38.What does the Compensation and Benefits function in HRM cover?

- a) Conflict resolution
- b) Employee training
- c) Financial rewards and perks
- d) Workplace safety measures

39. Which HRM function deals with maintaining a positive work environment and resolving conflicts?

- a) Recruitment and Selection
- b) Employee Relations
- c) Training and Development

d)Succession Planning

40. What is the focus of the Succession Planning function in HRM?

a) Hiring new talent

## b) Developing leadership pipeline

c) Conducting employee appraisals

d)Administering payroll

41. What is the primary role of the personnel function in an organization?

a) Financial Management

b) Human Resource Management

c) Marketing Strategies

d) Operational Efficiency

42. Which function of HR is responsible for recruitment, selection, and onboarding of employees?

a) Compensation and Benefits

## **b)** Personnel Function

c) Employee Relations

d) Training and Development

43. What does the term "personnel function" encompass in an organization?

- a) All Financial Operations
- b) Only Employee Relations
- c) Activities Related to Human Resources
- d) Marketing and Sales

44. In the context of the personnel function, what is the significance of job analysis?

a) Assessing Financial Resources

b) Evaluating Marketing Strategies

c) Defining Job Roles and Responsibilities

d) Improving Workplace Decor

45. Which aspect is typically managed by the personnel function?

a) Production Efficiency

## b) Employee Recruitment and Selection

- c) Sales and Marketing
- d) Financial Auditing

46. What is the purpose of personnel planning?

a) Assessing Financial Resources

# b) Determining HR Needs

- c) Evaluating Marketing Strategies
- d) Improving Workplace Decor

47. Which term refers to the process of evaluating and improving employee performance within the personnel function?

- a) Compensation Management
- b) Performance Appraisal
- c) Employee Engagement
- d) Succession Planning

48. What is the role of the personnel function in employee relations?

a) Managing Financial Disputes

# b) Resolving Workplace Conflicts

- c) Evaluating Marketing Strategies
- d) Improving Workplace Decor

49. Which function involves ensuring employees receive fair and competitive compensation?

a) Personnel Function

b) Employee Engagement

## c) Compensation and Benefits

d) Organizational Development

50. What does HRIS stand for in the context of the personnel function?

a) Hiring and Recruitment Integration System

## b) Human Resource Information System

c) High-Resolution Imaging Software

d) Human Relations Improvement Strategy

51. What is the significance of employee training and development in the personnel function?

a) Assessing Financial Resources

# b) Enhancing Employee Skills

c) Improving Workplace Decor

d) Evaluating Marketing Strategies

52. Which function of the personnel department involves managing relationships with labor unions?

a) Recruitment and Selection

- b) Compensation and Benefits
- c) Employee Relations

d) HR Analytics

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- a) Compensation and Benefits
- b) Employee Engagement
- c) HR Analytics
- d) Recruitment and Selection

56. What is the primary role of the personnel function in an organization?

- a) Marketing strategy development
- b) Managing financial accounts
- c) Human resource management
- d) IT infrastructure maintenance

57. Which personnel function involves recruiting, selecting, and placing employees in an organization?

a) Training and Development

b) Compensation and Benefits

# c) Recruitment and Selection

d) Employee Relations

58. What does the term "Training and Development" in the personnel function focus on?

- a) Employee compensation packages
- b) Enhancing employees' skills and knowledge
- c) Employee conflict resolution
- d) Workplace safety measures

59. Which aspect is typically covered under Compensation and Benefits in the personnel function?

- a) Recruitment planning
- b) Financial incentives and rewards
- c) Employee performance evaluations
- d) Workplace diversity initiatives

60. How does the personnel function contribute to employee relations?

a) Conducting market analysis

b) Resolving conflicts and maintaining a positive work environment

- c) Administering IT systems
- d) Managing organizational finances

61. What is the typical hierarchical position of the head of the personnel function in an organization?

a) Chief Executive Officer (CEO)

b) Chief Financial Officer (CFO)

# c) Chief Human Resources Officer (CHRO)

d) Chief Marketing Officer (CMO)

62. In the structure of the personnel function, what department often handles recruitment and selection?

a) Finance

b) Marketing

# c) Human Resources (HR)

d) Operations

63. Which personnel function unit focuses on employee compensation, benefits, and payroll?

a) Employee Relations

## b) Compensation and Benefits

- c) Training and Development
- d) Organizational Development

64. What is the primary responsibility of the Employee Relations unit within the personnel function?

- a) Recruitment and Selection
- b) Conflict Resolution and Employee Well-being
- c) Compensation Management
- d) Training and Development

65.In the personnel function structure, which unit is responsible for assessing future human resource needs?

- a) Recruitment and Selection
- b) Employee Relations

## c) Human Resource Planning

d) Compensation and Benefits

66. What does the term "HRIS" refer to in the structure of the personnel function?

- a) Hiring and Recruitment Information System
- b) Human Resource Improvement Strategy
- c) High-Resolution Imaging Software
- d) Human Resource Information System

67. Which unit in the personnel function structure focuses on developing employee skills and knowledge?

- a) Employee Relations
- b) Compensation and Benefits
- c) Training and Development
- d) Human Resource Planning

68. In the structure of the personnel function, what unit is responsible for maintaining positive workplace culture?

- a) Compensation and Benefits
- b) Employee Relations

c) Recruitment and Selection

## d) Organizational Development

69. What is the role of the Compensation and Benefits

unit in the personnel function structure?

a) Conflict Resolution

b) Employee Training

c) Assessing Financial Resources

d) Managing Employee Compensation and Benefits

70. In the personnel function structure, what unit is responsible for managing relationships with labor unions?

a) Recruitment and Selection

b) Compensation and Benefits

c) Employee Relations

d) HR Analytics

71. What is the purpose of the HR Analytics unit in the structure of the personnel function?

a) Managing Employee Relations

b) Assessing Financial Resources

# c) Using Data for Informed HR Decisions

d) Recruitment and Selection

72. Which unit in the personnel function structure is concerned with creating an inclusive workplace?

- a) Recruitment and Selection
- b) Compensation and Benefits
- c) Employee Relations
- d) Diversity and Inclusion

73. What does the term "succession planning" involve in the structure of the personnel function?

- a) Employee Recruitment
- b) Developing Future Leaders
- c) Compensation Management
- d) Training and Development

74. What is the primary objective of the Human Resource Planning unit in the personnel function structure?

- a) Improving Workplace Decor
- b) Managing Employee Relations
- c) Determining HR Needs for the Future
- d) Recruitment and Selection

75.In the personnel function structure, what unit is responsible for creating a positive organizational culture?

- a) Employee Relations
- b) Organizational Development
- c) Compensation and Benefits
- d) HR Analytics

76. What is the typical structure of the personnel function within an organization?

- a) Centralized structure
- b) Decentralized structure
- c) Matrix structure
- d) Hierarchical structure

77. Which department is often responsible for overseeing the personnel function in a centralized structure?

a) Marketing

b) Finance

## c) Human Resources (HR)

d). Information Technology (IT)

78.. In a decentralized structure, who holds the responsibility for personnel activities?

# a) Department managers

b) Chief Executive Officer (CEO)

- c) Customers
- d) External consultants

79. What advantage does a matrix structure offer to the personnel function?

- a) Streamlined decision-making
- b) Clear chain of command
- c) Enhanced collaboration across departments
- d) Minimal coordination

80. Which organizational structure emphasizes a clear hierarchy in the personnel function?

a) Flat structure

# b) Tall structure

c) Project-based structure

d) Network structure

81. What is the primary purpose of establishing personnel principles and policies in an organization?

a) Maximizing shareholder profits

b) Creating bureaucratic processes

c) Ensuring fair and consistent treatment of employees

d) Minimizing workplace diversity

82. Which personnel policy focuses on providing guidelines for hiring and promoting employees based on merit and qualifications?

a) Diversity and Inclusion Policy

b) Equal Opportunity Policy

c) Performance Appraisal Policy

d) Recruitment Policy

83. What does a Workplace Safety Policy in personnel management typically address?

a) Employee benefits

# b) Procedures during emergencies

c) Performance evaluations

d) Recruitment strategies

84. Which personnel principle emphasizes treating all employees with dignity and respect regardless of their position within the organization?

a) Equal Pay for Equal Work

b) Non-Discrimination Principle

- c) Whistleblower Protection
- d) Employee Confidentiality

85. What is the purpose of a Whistleblower Protection Policy in personnel management?

a) Ensuring employee confidentiality

# b) Encouraging reporting of unethical behavior

- c) Regulating employee attire
- d) Establishing break time policies

86. What is the primary purpose of personnel principles and policies in an organization?

a) Financial Management

b) Operational Efficiency

c) Ensuring Fair and Consistent Treatment of Employees

d) Marketing Strategies

87. Which personnel principle emphasizes treating all employees with fairness and impartiality?

# a) Equal Opportunity

- b) Performance Appraisal
- c) Employee Engagement
- d) Compensation and Benefits

88. What does the term "job analysis" contribute to personnel principles and policies?

a) Assessing Financial Resources

# b) Defining Job Roles and Responsibilities

- c) Evaluating Marketing Strategies
- d) Improving Workplace Decor

89. Which personnel policy ensures that employees are paid in accordance with their job responsibilities and industry standards?

a) Equal Opportunity Policy

b) Compensation and Benefits Policy

- c) Training and Development Policy
- d) Employee Relations Policy

90. What is the purpose of an Equal Opportunity Policy in personnel principles?

a) Managing Employee Relations

# b) Promoting Diversity and Inclusion

c) Assessing Financial Resources

d) Recruitment and Selection

91. Which personnel principle focuses on creating a safe and healthy work environment?

a) Employee Engagement

- b) Workplace Safety
- c) Compensation and Benefits
- d) Performance Appraisal

92. What does the term "conflict resolution" contribute to personnel policies?

a) Equal Opportunity Policy

b) Employee Relations Policy

c) Compensation and Benefits Policy

d) Training and Development Policy

93. In personnel principles, what does "whistleblower protection" aim to achieve?

a) Protecting Employee Benefits

b) Encouraging Open Communication

c) Evaluating Marketing Strategies

d) Improving Workplace Decor

94. What is the significance of a Training and Development Policy in personnel principles?

a) Ensuring Fair Compensation

# b) Enhancing Employee Skills and Knowledge

c) Managing Workplace Conflicts

d) Assessing Financial Resources

95. Which personnel principle emphasizes providing opportunities for career growth and advancement?

a) Employee Engagement

b) Career Development

c) Compensation and Benefits

d) Organizational Development

96. What does the term "performance appraisal" contribute to personnel policies?

a) Defining Job Roles and Responsibilities

b) Evaluating and Improving Employee

## Performance

- c) Creating an Inclusive Workplace
- d) Recruitment and Selection

97. In personnel principles, what does "flexible work arrangements" support?

- a) Workplace Safety
- b) Equal Opportunity
- c) Employee Engagement
- d) Work-Life Balance

98. What is the primary focus of a Diversity and Inclusion Policy in personnel principles?

- a) Limiting Employee Differences
- b) Reducing Employee Engagement
- c) Creating an Inclusive Workplace
- d) Ignoring Employee Backgrounds

99. Which personnel policy emphasizes protecting employees from discrimination and harassment?

- a) Equal Opportunity Policy
- b) Employee Relations Policy
- c) Compensation and Benefits Policy
- d) Whistleblower Protection Policy

100. What does the term "workplace ethics" contribute to personnel principles?

- a) Employee Engagement
- b) Workplace Safety
- c) Equal Opportunity
- d) Ensuring Ethical Conduct
- 101. The scope of HRM includes
  - a) Training and development
  - b) performance appraisal
  - c) job evaluation
  - d) all of the above

102. The human resource planning is done based on the

- a) Market condition
- b) financial condition
- c) external environment
- d) organizational plan

103.The job redesign includes

- a) Person
- b) system
- c) provide task closure
- d) casting

104. Process of studying and collecting information about a job is known as

- a) HRP
- b) Job design
- c) Job analysis
- d) job evaluation

105. Which of these is the most important external factor governing recruitments?

- a) Sons of soil
- b) Lab our market
- c) unemployment rate

## d) supply and demand

106.\_\_\_\_\_ refers to the process of identifying and attracting job seekers so as to build a pool of qualified job applicants.

- a) Selection
- b) training
- c) induction
- d) Recruitments

107.\_\_\_\_\_is the systematic, periodic and impartial rating of an employee excellence in matters pertaining to his present job and his potential for a better job.

## a) Performance appraisal

- b) compensation and motivation
- c) Training and development
- d) performance indicator

108. Grievance procedures are based on the principle of natural

- a) justice
- b) principle
- c) procedure
- d) commitment

109. Adopting a step-by-step approach in dealing with indiscipline problems is the fundamental principle of

## a) progressive discipline

- b) negative discipline
- c) positive discipline
- d) none of the above

110.Conflict causes predictable and destructive changes in the disputant's attitudes, perceptions and interaction is called

a) perceived conflict

b) real conflict

c) escalating conflict

d) data type conflict

111. leadership is the

## a) ability to influence other people

b) ability to create within people an urge to do

c) ability to obtain willing co-operation of the

followers

d) all the above

112.A most conflicts have their roots in uncertainty and negotiation is a way of managing the

## a) resultant risk

b) failure

c) uncertainty

d) inputs

151. What is the main objective of the selection process?

a. Employee Termination

b. Identifying and hiring the best candidate for a job

c. Budgeting

d. Employee Motivation

152. Which of the following is an initial step in the selection process?

a. Job Analysis

b. Reference Checks

c. Application Review

d. Training and Development

153. What is the purpose of a job analysis in the selection process?

a. Conducting reference checks

b. Determining the salary for the position

c. Identifying the skills and qualifications needed for the job

d. Employee Termination

154. Which type of interview involves a set of predetermined questions asked to all candidates? a. Unstructured Interview

- b. Behavioral Interview
- c. Panel Interview

## d. Structured Interview

155. What is the primary goal of a behavioral interview?

- a. Assessing technical skills
- b. Evaluating personality traits

# c. Predicting future job performance based on past behavior

d. Conducting reference checks

156. Which selection method involves assessing a candidate's ability to perform tasks related to the job?

a. Personality Tests

## b. Skills Tests

- c. Structured Interviews
- d. Reference Checks

157. What is the significance of conducting background checks in the selection process?

# a. Verifying the accuracy of information provided by candidates

b. Making hiring decisions solely based on a candidate's background

- c. Ignoring legal compliance
- d. Reducing diversity in the candidate pool

158. What does the term "job offer" refer to in the selection process?

a. Informing candidates about the selection process

**b.** Extending an offer of employment to a selected candidate

c. Rejecting a candidate after the interview

d. Conducting a skills test

159. Why is communication important during the selection process?

a. To minimize transparency

b. To confuse candidates

c. To provide clarity on the process and timelines

d. To discourage candidate engagement

160. What is the primary purpose of conducting a preemployment medical examination?

a. Assessing personality traits

b. Verifying educational qualifications

c. Determining if a candidate is physically fit for the job

d. Conducting reference checks

161. What is the role of a selection committee in the hiring process?

a. Ignoring candidate diversity

b. Making unilateral hiring decisions

# c. Evaluating and making collective decisions on candidates

d. Conducting pre-employment medical examinations

162. How does technology contribute to the selection process?

a. By eliminating the need for job analysis

## b. By conducting all interviews online

c. By excluding online job portals

d. By avoiding reference checks

163. Which selection method assesses a candidate's potential for success in a managerial or leadership role?

a. Personality Tests

## **b.** Assessment Centers

c. Structured Interviews

d. Skills Tests

164. What is the purpose of a probationary period in the selection process?

a. To discourage employee engagement

# **b.** To evaluate a new employee's performance and fit within the organization

- c. To limit career advancement opportunities
- d. To exclude training and development programs

165. What does the term "onboarding" mean in the context of the selection process?

a. Employee Termination

# **b.** Providing orientation and integration for new hires

- c. Conducting reference checks
- d. Rejecting a candidate after the interview

166. Which of the following is an advantage of using structured interviews in the selection process?

a. Lack of consistency in evaluating candidates

b. Subjectivity in the assessment

# c. Standardization in questioning and evaluation

d. Ignoring the candidate's experience

167. Why is diversity and inclusion important in the selection process?

a. To limit workplace creativity

b. To discourage equal opportunities for all candidates

# c. To enhance organizational performance and innovation

d. To avoid legal compliance

168. What is the purpose of conducting reference checks in the selection process?

# a. To verify the accuracy of information provided by candidates

b. To eliminate diversity in the candidate pool

- c. To discourage employee engagement
- d. To make hiring decisions solely based on references

169. What is the significance of legal compliance in the selection process?

a. To encourage discriminatory practices

b. To limit workplace diversity

c. To avoid legal consequences and ensure fair hiring practices

d. To restrict candidate engagement

170. How does a realistic job preview contribute to the selection process?

a. By providing inaccurate information about the job

b. By discouraging candidate engagement

c. By presenting an accurate portrayal of the job, including challenges

d. By limiting the information shared with candidates

## UNIT – III

1. What is the primary goal of the recruitment process?

a) Increasing turnover

b) Enhancing organizational flexibility

# c) Identifying and attracting qualified candidates

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

2.In the recruitment process, what does "sourcing" refer to?

a) Selecting candidates for interviews

b) Identifying and attracting potential candidates

c) Conducting background checks

d) Training new hires

3. Which recruitment source involves hiring individuals who are recommended by current employees?

## a) Internal recruitment

b) External recruitment

c) Campus recruitment

d) Social media recruitment

4. The process of assessing candidates' qualifications, skills, and suitability for a job is known as:

- a) Sourcing
- b) Recruitment
- c) Selection
- d) Onboarding

5. What is the purpose of a job interview in the selection process?

a) Verifying candidates' personal interests

b) Assessing cultural fit within the organization

- c) Gathering information about candidates'
- qualifications and suitability

d) Ignoring candidates' past experiences

6. The selection process involves:

a. Identifying and attracting candidates

b. Training new hires

c. Assessing and choosing the best candidate for a position

d. All of the above

7. Which assessment method involves evaluating candidates' skills and performance in a simulated work environment?

a) Personality tests

b) Group interviews

### c) Assessment centers

d) Reference checks

8.In the selection process, what is the purpose of conducting reference checks?

a) Verifying candidates' personal interests

b) Gathering information about candidates' past performance and experiences

c) Assessing cultural fit within the organization

d) Ignoring candidates' qualifications

9. The "offer stage" in the recruitment and selection process involves:

a) Assessing candidates' qualifications

b) Extending a job offer to the selected candidate

c) Conducting reference checks

d) Ignoring candidates' skills

10. What does the term "onboarding" refer to in the recruitment and selection process?

a) Identifying and attracting candidates

b) Training new hires and integrating them into

### the organization

c) Conducting interviews

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

11. Which recruitment source involves hiring individuals from educational institutions before they graduate?

a) Internal recruitment

b) External recruitment

### c) Campus recruitment

d) Social media recruitment

12. The "job description" is most closely associated with which stage of the recruitment and selection process?

a) Sourcing

### **b)** Recruitment

- c) Selection
- d) Onboarding

13. In the recruitment and selection process, what does the term "applicant tracking system (ATS)" refer to?

a) Conducting interviews

b) A software system that automates the hiring process and manages candidate data

c) Reference checks

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

14. The concept of "culture fit" in the selection process refers to:

a) Matching candidates' skills with job requirements

b) Assessing candidates' experience

c) Evaluating candidates' compatibility with the organization's values and culture

d) Ignoring candidates' qualifications

15. Which type of interview involves multiple interviewers questioning a candidate simultaneously?

a) Structured interview

b) Panel interview

c) Behavioral interview

d) Unstructured interview

16.The "pre-employment tests" in the selection process are designed to assess:

a) Cultural fit

b) Candidates' qualifications and skills

c) Personal interests

d) Reference checks

17. What is the primary purpose of a "skills assessment" in the selection process?

a) Assessing cultural fit

b) Evaluating candidates' communication skills

# c) Testing candidates' technical or job-specific skills

d) Ignoring candidates' experiences

18. The "selection criteria" in the recruitment and selection process are:

# a) Job requirements used to evaluate candidates' suitability

b) Candidates' personal preferences

c) Employee testimonials

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

19.In the recruitment and selection process, what does the term "candidate experience" refer to?

a) Candidates' personal interests

## b) The overall experience candidates have during the hiring process

c) Employee testimonials

d) Ignoring candidates' qualifications

20. The "background check" in the selection process is primarily conducted to:

a) Assess cultural fit

b) Verify candidates' personal interests

c) Confirm candidates' qualifications and check for any red flags

d) Ignore candidates' past experiences

21. What is the primary goal of the placement process?

a) Employee training

# b) Identifying suitable job positions for new hires

- c) Conducting background checks
- d) Ignoring workforce diversity

22. In the context of placement, what does "job matching" involve?

a) Assigning new hires to random positions

## b) Aligning candidates' skills and qualifications with appropriate job roles

c) Conducting induction programs

d) Ignoring candidates' preferences

23. The purpose of induction programs is to:

a) Conduct reference checks

# b) Provide new employees with information and training about the organization

c) Evaluate candidates' qualifications

d) Ignore workforce diversity

24. What is the role of the "buddy system" in induction?

a) Conducting background checks

b) Assigning mentors or experienced employees

to assist new hires

- c) Job matching based on personal interests
- d) Ignoring candidates' preferences
- 25. The placement process involves:
  - a) Employee training
  - b) Identifying suitable job positions for new hires
  - c) Conducting background checks
  - d) Ignoring workforce diversity

26. In the context of induction, what does "onboarding" refer to?

## a) Providing new employees with information and training about the organization

- b) Conducting reference checks
- c) Assigning mentors to new hires
- d) Ignoring candidates' preferences

27. What is the primary purpose of the "orientation" phase in induction?

a) Conducting reference checks

- b) Job matching based on personal interests
- c) Introducing new employees to the
- organization's culture, policies, and procedures
- d) Ignoring workforce diversity

28. The placement process helps in:

a) Assessing candidates' personal interests

# b) Identifying suitable job positions for new hires

c) Conducting background checks

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

29. In the context of induction, what does "cultural assimilation" involve?

a) Ignoring candidates' preferences

# b) Assisting new hires in adapting to the organization's culture

c) Conducting reference checks

d) Job matching based on personal interests

30.The "probationary period" in placement typically refers to:

# a) A period of assessing new hires' suitability for the job

b) Conducting background checks

c) Job matching based on personal interests

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

31. In induction, what is the purpose of the "welcome kit"?

a) Ignoring candidates' preferences

# b) Providing new hires with essential information, materials, and resources

c) Conducting reference checks

d) Job matching based on personal interests

- 32. The placement process is closely associated with:
  - a) Conducting reference checks

## b) Identifying suitable job positions for new hires

c) Employee training

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

## 33. The induction process includes:

a) Employee training

## b) Introducing new employees to the

## organization's culture, policies, and procedures

- c) Conducting background checks
- d) Ignoring candidates' preferences

34. What is the role of the "induction manual" in the induction process?

- a) Ignoring candidates' preferences
- b) Providing new hires with detailed information about the organization, policies, and procedures
- c) Conducting reference checks
- d) Job matching based on personal interests
- 35.The "mentorship program" in induction involves:
  - a) Job matching based on personal interests
  - b) Conducting reference checks
  - c) Assigning experienced employees to guide

#### and support new hires

d) Ignoring candidates' preferences

36. In the context of placement, what does "job rotation" involve?

a) Ignoring candidates' preferences

b) Assigning mentors or experienced employees to new hires

## c) Exposing employees to different roles within the organization

d) Conducting background checks

37. What is the primary goal of training and development?

- a) Employee turnover
- b) Enhancing organizational flexibility
- c) Improving employee skills and performance
- d) Ignoring workforce diversity

38.In the context of training, what does "needs assessment" involve?

a) Evaluating training effectiveness

## b) Identifying gaps between employees' current skills and required skills

c) Conducting background checks

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

39.The training method that involves learning from experienced employees on the job is known as:

- a) Classroom training
- b) On-the-job training
- c) E-learning
- d) Workshop training

40.What is the purpose of the "performance appraisal" in the context of training and development?

- a) Identifying gaps in employees' skills
- b) Evaluating training effectiveness

c) Assessing employees' job performance

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

41. The concept of "e-learning" in training refers to:

- a) Traditional classroom training
- b) Learning from experienced employees on the job

c) Online or electronic learning modules

d) Workshop training

42. The training method that involves simulations, role-plays, and case studies is known as:

- a) Classroom training
- b) On-the-job training
- c) Experiential learning
- d) E-learning

43.The process of systematically designing, developing, implementing, and evaluating training programs is known as:

a) Needs assessment

### b) Training and development cycle

- c) Performance appraisal
- d) Ignoring workforce diversity

44. What is the role of a "mentor" in the context of employee development?

- a) Conducting background checks
- b) Providing guidance and support to less experienced employees
- c) Identifying gaps in employees' skills
- d) Ignoring workforce diversity

45.The training method that involves face-to-face interaction between an instructor and participants is known as:

### a) Classroom training

- b) On-the-job training
- c) E-learning
- d) Experiential learning

46.In the context of employee development, what does "succession planning" involve?

# a) Identifying and preparing employees for future leadership roles

- b) Conducting background checks
- c) Assessing employees' current job performance
- d) Ignoring workforce diversity

47.The training method that involves employees learning at their own pace using digital resources is known as:

- a) Classroom training
- b) On-the-job training
- c) Self-paced learning
- d) Experiential learning

48. What is the purpose of the "360-degree feedback" in the context of employee development?

a) Identifying gaps in employees' skills

b) Assessing employees' job performance from multiple perspectives

c) Conducting background checks

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

49. The concept of "cross-training" involves:

## a) Exposing employees to different roles within the organization

b) Classroom training

c) E-learning

d) On-the-job training

50. What is the role of a "training needs analysis" in the training and development process?

a) Conducting background checks

## b) Identifying the specific skills and knowledge employees need to perform their jobs

c) Assessing employees' job performance

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

51. The training method that involves off-site learning activities and discussions is known as:

- a) Classroom training
- b) On-the-job training
- c) Workshop training
- d) E-learning

52.In the context of training and development, what does "job rotation" involve?

# a) Exposing employees to different roles within the organization

b) Classroom training

c) E-learning

d) On-the-job training

53. What is the primary purpose of a promotion in an organization?

a) Employee turnover

b) Enhancing organizational flexibility

# c) Recognizing and advancing employees to higher positions

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

54. The process of moving an employee to a higherlevel job with more responsibilities and authority is known as:

- a) Demotion
- b) Lateral move
- c) Transfer
- d) Promotion

55. In the context of promotions, what is a "vertical move"?

a) Moving laterally within the organization

## b) Moving to a higher-level position

- c) Moving to a lower-level position
- d) Moving between departments

56. Which of the following is a potential benefit of promoting employees?

a) Decreased job satisfaction

## b) Increased employee morale and motivation

- c) Higher turnover rates
- d) Ignoring performance metrics

57. The practice of filling a higher-level job with an internal candidate is known as:

## a) Internal recruitment

- b) External recruitment
- c) Succession planning
- d) External promotion

58. What is the purpose of a "promotion policy" in organizations?

a) Increasing turnover rates

## b) Providing guidelines and criteria for employee advancements

- c) Ignoring workforce diversity
- d) Decreasing employee morale

59.In promotions, what does the term "merit-based promotion" mean?

a) Promoting employees based on seniority

## b) Promoting employees based on their performance and achievements

c) Promoting employees randomly

d) Ignoring employee contributions

60. The promotion process typically involves:

a) Filling higher-level positions with external candidates only

b) Recognizing and advancing employees to higher positions

c) Ignoring employee preferences

d) Decreasing employee morale

61.In promotions, what is the purpose of a "promotion interview"?

a) Evaluating candidates for lower-level positions

b) Assessing employee performance and potential for advancement

c) Ignoring workforce diversity

d) Decreasing employee morale

62. What is a "career ladder" in the context of promotions?

a) A tool for ignoring employee achievements

## b) A graphical representation of job levels within an organization

c) A method for external recruitment

d) A technique for lateral moves

63. The practice of promoting employees based on their length of service with the organization is known as:

### a) Seniority-based promotion

- b) Merit-based promotion
- c) Lateral move

d) Demotion

64. What does the term "bypassing" mean in the context of promotions?

a) Promoting employees based on seniority

b) Promoting employees based on performance and achievements

# c) Skipping an employee for promotion despite their qualifications

d) Ignoring employee contributions

65. The potential drawback of a "closed promotion policy" is:

a) Increased employee morale

# b) Limited opportunities for external candidates

c) Improved workforce diversity

d) Ignoring employee preferences

66.In promotions, what is the purpose of a "promotion board"?

a) Evaluating candidates for lower-level positions

b) Assessing employee performance and potential for advancement

c) Reviewing and deciding on promotions for transparency and fairness

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

67. The concept of "upward mobility" in promotions refers to:

a) Moving laterally within the organization

## b) Advancing employees to higher-level positions

c) A promotion policy that ignores employee achievements

e) Decreasing employee morale

68. What is the purpose of a "promotion letter"?

a) Decreasing employee morale

# b) Providing formal notification of an employee's promotion

- c) Ignoring employee preferences
- d) Assessing employee potential

69. The promotion method that involves considering employees from different departments for higher-level positions is known as:

- a) Internal promotion
- b) External promotion

## c) Cross-departmental promotion

d) Merit-based promotion

70. What is the potential disadvantage of a "lack of transparency" in the promotion process?

a) Increased employee morale

b) Decreased trust and motivation among employees

c) Improved workforce diversity

d) Ignoring employee contributions

71. What is the primary purpose of a demotion in an organization?

a) Employee turnover

b) Providing a fresh start for employees

c) Correcting performance or behavior issues

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

72. The process of moving an employee to a lowerlevel job with reduced responsibilities and authority is known as:

a) Promotion

b) Lateral move

c) Transfer

d) Demotion

73.In the context of demotions, what is a "horizontal move"?

a) Moving laterally within the organization

b) Moving to a higher-level position

- c) Moving to a lower-level position
- d) Moving between departments

74. Which of the following is a potential reason for demoting an employee?

- a) Recognizing outstanding performance
- b) Addressing performance or conduct issues
- c) Providing career advancement opportunities
- d) Ignoring employee preferences

75. The practice of moving an employee to a different department or location without a change in job level is known as:

- a) Internal recruitment
- b) External recruitment
- c) Transfer
- d) Demotion

76. What is the purpose of a "demotion policy" in organizations?

a) Encouraging upward mobility

## b) Providing guidelines and criteria for demoting employees

- c) Ignoring workforce diversity
- d) Decreasing employee morale

77.In demotions, what does the term "disciplinary demotion" mean?

a) Demoting employees based on their qualifications

## b) Demoting employees as a form of punishment for misconduct

c) Promoting employees based on their length of service

d) Ignoring employee contributions

78. The demotion process typically involves:

## a) Addressing performance or conduct issues

b) Providing promotions to all employees

c) Ignoring employee preferences

d) Decreasing employee morale

79.In demotions, what is the purpose of a "demotion interview"?

a) Evaluating candidates for higher-level positions

b) Assessing employee potential for advancement

# c) Discussing the reasons for demotion with the affected employee

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

80. What is the potential impact of a demotion on an employee's morale?

a) Increased morale and motivation

b) Neutral impact on morale

## c) Decreased morale and motivation

d). Ignoring employee achievements

81. The concept of "progressive discipline" in demotions refers to:

a) Promoting employees based on performance

# b) Addressing misconduct through a series of escalating actions, including demotion

- c) Ignoring workforce diversity
- d) Providing lateral moves for employees

82. What does the term "voluntary demotion" mean in the context of employee movements?

- a) Employees choosing to move laterally within the organization
- b) Employees willingly accepting a lower-level position
- c) Promoting employees based on merit
- d) Ignoring employee contributions

83. The potential disadvantage of a "lack of communication" in the demotion process is:

- a) Increased employee morale
- b) Enhanced trust and motivation among employees

## c) Decreased morale and motivation

d) Ignoring employee preferences

84.In demotions, what is the purpose of a "demotion letter"?

a) Decreasing employee morale

b) Providing formal notification of an employee's demotion

c) Ignoring employee preferences

d) Assessing employee potential

85.The concept of "skill-based demotion" in demotions refers to:

a) Demoting employees based on seniority

## b) Demoting employees based on their qualifications

c) Ignoring employee contributions

d) Promoting employees based on their length of service

86. What is the purpose of a "demotion review" in organizations?

a) Assessing employee potential for advancement

b) Conducting background checks

## c)Reviewing and evaluating the reasons for demotion

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

87. The demotion method that involves moving employees to different departments or locations is known as:

- a) Disciplinary demotion
- b) Lateral demotion
- c) Transfer demotion
- d) Vertical demotion

88. What is the potential impact of a demotion on an employee's future career?

- a) Enhanced career prospects
- b) Neutral impact on future career
- c) Limited career opportunities
- d) Ignoring employee achievements

89. What is the primary purpose of an employee transfer in an organization?

a) Addressing performance issues

### b) Enhancing organizational flexibility

- c) Promoting employees to higher positions
- d) Ignoring workforce diversity

90. The process of moving an employee from one job position to another within the same organization is known as:

- a) Promotion
- b) Lateral move
- c) Transfer
- d) Demotion

91.In the context of transfers, what does a "lateral transfer" involve?

a) Moving to a higher-level position

b) Moving laterally within the same organization

c) Moving to a lower-level position

d) Moving to a different department

92. What is a potential benefit of employee transfers?

a) Decreased job satisfaction

b) Limited exposure to different roles and responsibilities

# c) Enhanced skill development and diversity of experience

d) Ignoring employee preferences

93. The practice of moving an employee to a different department or location without a change in job level is known as:

a) Internal recruitment

- b) External recruitment
- c) Demotion
- d) Transfer

94. What is the purpose of a "transfer policy" in organizations?

a) Enhancing organizational flexibility

## b) Providing guidelines and criteria for employee transfers

c) Ignoring workforce diversity

d) Decreasing employee morale

95.In transfers, what does the term "cross-functional transfer" mean?

a) Moving laterally within the same department

## b) Moving to a different department with similar functions

c) Moving to a higher-level position

d) Moving to a lower-level position

96. The transfer process typically involves:

- a) Addressing performance or conduct issues
- b) Providing promotions to all employees
- c) Ignoring employee preferences
- d) Enhancing employee career development

97.In transfers, what is the purpose of a "transfer request"?

a) Assessing employee potential for advancement

## b) Initiating a request from an employee to be transferred

c) Discussing the reasons for transfer with the affected employee

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

98. What is the potential impact of a transfer on an employee's career?

a) Decreased career opportunities

b) Enhanced career prospects

c) Neutral impact on future career

d) Ignoring employee achievements

99. The concept of "voluntary transfer" in transfers refers to:

a) Employees choosing to move laterally within the same organization

b) Employees willingly accepting a different job position

c) Promoting employees based on merit

d) Ignoring employee contributions

100. What is the purpose of a "transfer interview" in the transfer process?

a) Evaluating candidates for higher-level positions

b) Assessing employee potential for advancement

# c) Discussing the reasons for transfer with the affected employee

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

101. The potential disadvantage of a "lack of communication" in the transfer process is:

## a) Decreased employee morale

b) Enhanced trust and motivation among employees

c) Increased employee turnover

d) Ignoring employee preferences

102.In transfers, what is the purpose of a "transfer letter"?

a) Decreasing employee morale

## b) Providing formal notification of an employee's transfer

c) Ignoring employee preferences

d) Assessing employee potential

103. The concept of "geographical transfer" in transfers refers to:

a) Moving laterally within the same department

b) Moving to a different department with similar functions

c) Moving to a different location or branch of the organization

d) Moving to a lower-level position

104. What is the purpose of a "transfer review" in organizations?

a) Assessing employee potential for advancement

## b) Reviewing and evaluating the reasons for transfer

c) Conducting background checks

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

105.The transfer method that involves moving employees to different departments or locations is known as:

### a) Cross-functional transfer

- b) Geographical transfer
- c) Disciplinary transfer
- d) Voluntary transfer

106. What is the potential impact of a transfer on an employee's job satisfaction?

a) Decreased job satisfaction

b) Increased job satisfaction

### c) Neutral impact on job satisfaction

d) Ignoring employee achievements

107. The concept of "job rotation" in transfers refers to:

a) Employees willingly accepting a different job

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position

b) Moving laterally within the same organization

# c) Exposing employees to different roles within the organization

d) Ignoring employee contributions

108. What is the primary goal of employee separation in an organization?

- a) Enhancing workforce diversity
- b) Reducing organizational flexibility
- c) Effectively managing employee exits
- d) Ignoring performance metrics

109. The process of an employee leaving an organization, either voluntarily or involuntarily, is known as:

- a) Onboarding
- b) Separation
- c) Transfer
- d) Promotion

110.In the context of separation, what does "voluntary separation" mean?

## a) Employees willingly leaving the organization

b) Employees involuntarily leaving the

organization

- c) Ignoring workforce diversity
- d) Promoting employees based on merit

111. Which of the following is a potential reason for involuntary separation?

- a) Retirement
- b) Employee resignation
- c) Poor performance
- d) Ignoring employee contributions

112. The process of retiring from employment is a form of:

- a) Promotion
- b) Transfer
- c) Separation
- d) Demotion

113. What is the purpose of an "exit interview" in the separation process?

a) Assessing employee performance

## b) Discussing the reasons for separation with the departing employee

c) Ignoring workforce diversity

d) Promoting employees based on seniority

114. The potential benefit of conducting exit interviews is:

a) Decreased employee morale

b) Limited insights into organizational issues

# c) Gaining valuable feedback for improving organizational practices

d) Ignoring employee preferences

115.In the context of separation, what does "involuntary separation" involve?

a) Employees willingly leaving the organization

b) Employees involuntarily leaving the organization

c) Providing career advancement opportunities

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

116. What is the potential impact of effective separation processes on an organization?

a) Increased employee turnover

### b) Improved morale and productivity

c) Limited organizational flexibility

d) Ignoring employee achievements

117. The concept of "retrenchment" in separation refers to:

a) Offering employees career advancement opportunities

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# b) Involuntary termination due to organizational reasons such as downsizing

c) Ignoring workforce diversity

d) Promoting employees based on merit

118. What is the purpose of a "termination letter" in the separation process?

a) Decreasing employee morale

## b) Providing formal notification of an employee's termination

c) Ignoring employee preferences

d) Assessing employee potential

119. The potential disadvantage of a "lack of communication" in the separation process is:

### a) Decreased employee morale

b) Enhanced trust and motivation among employees

c) Increased employee turnover

d) Ignoring employee contributions

120.In separation, what does "resignation" mean?

a) Involuntary termination due to poor performance

## b) Employees willingly leaving the organization

- c) Ignoring workforce diversity
- d) Promoting employees based on seniority

121. The process of an employee leaving the organization due to reaching the end of their employment contract is known as:

- a) Voluntary separation
- b) Retirement
- c) Contract termination
- d) Ignoring employee preferences

122. What is the purpose of a "separation checklist" in organizations?

- a) Ignoring workforce diversity
- b) Providing guidelines for the separation process
- c) Assessing employee potential for advancement
- d) Decreasing employee morale

123. The potential benefit of a "structured separation process" is:

a) Increased employee morale

#### b) Improved legal compliance

- c) Limited employee feedback
- d) Ignoring employee achievements

124. In the context of separation, what does "downsizing" involve?

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a) Voluntarily leaving the organization

b) Involuntary termination due to poor performance

## c) Involuntary reduction of workforce size for organizational reasons

d) Promoting employees based on merit

125.The concept of "outplacement services" in separation refers to:

# a) Providing employees with assistance in finding new job opportunities

- b) Ignoring workforce diversity
- c) Offering career advancement opportunities
- d) Promoting employees based on seniority

126. What is the potential impact of a well-managed separation process on employer branding?

## a) Positive impact on employer branding

- b) Negative impact on employer branding
- c) Neutral impact on employer branding
- d) Ignoring employee contributions

127.In the context of separation, what does "early retirement" involve?

a) Involuntary termination due to organizational

reasons

## b) Voluntarily leaving the organization before the standard retirement age

c) Ignoring workforce diversity

d) Providing career advancement opportunities

128.What is the primary purpose of a performance appraisal?

a) Employee turnover

b) Assessing employee job satisfaction

## c) Evaluating and improving employee

performance

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

129. The process of evaluating an employee's work-related achievements and behaviors is known as:

a) Promotion

- b) Performance appraisal
- c) Transfer
- d) Separation

130.In performance appraisals, what does the term "360-degree feedback" mean?

a) Feedback provided by employees only

b) Feedback collected from multiple sources, including peers, subordinates, and supervisors

c) Feedback provided by supervisors only

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

131. Which performance appraisal method involves comparing an employee's performance to specific behavioral examples?

a) Graphic Rating Scale

#### b) Behaviorally Anchored Rating Scale (BARS)

- c) Critical Incident Technique
- d) Forced Ranking

132. What is the purpose of a "performance appraisal form" in the evaluation process?

a) Ignoring employee contributions

## b) Providing a structured framework for assessing and documenting employee performance

c) Conducting background checks

d) Promoting employees based on seniority

133. The potential benefit of using a "self-appraisal" in performance evaluations is:

a. Decreased employee morale

## **b.** Enhanced employee engagement and reflection on performance

c. Limited insights into employee strengths and weaknesses

d. Ignoring workforce diversity

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134.In performance appraisals, what does the term "forced ranking" mean?

a) Comparing employees to a standard set of criteria

## b) Ranking employees based on their performance relative to their peers

c) Ignoring employee achievements

d) Providing equal ratings to all employees

135. The performance appraisal method that involves ranking employees from highest to lowest performance is known as:

a) Graphic Rating Scale

b) Behaviorally Anchored Rating Scale (BARS)

c) Critical Incident Technique

d) Forced Distribution

136. What is the purpose of a "performance improvement plan" (PIP)?

a) Ignoring employee preferences

b) Identifying and addressing areas of employee performance that need improvement

c) Providing promotions to all employees

d) Assessing employee potential

137. The potential drawback of a "lack of feedback" in the performance appraisal process is:

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a) Increased employee morale

#### b) Decreased employee engagement

- c) Enhanced trust among employees
- d) Ignoring workforce diversity

138. What does the term "performance rating" refer to in the context of performance appraisals?

a) The salary assigned to an employee based on their performance

## b) The numerical or descriptive assessment of an employee's performance

c) Ignoring employee contributions

d) Providing promotions based on seniority

139.In performance appraisals, what does "calibration" involve?

a) Ignoring workforce diversity

b) Adjusting performance ratings to ensure consistency and fairness

c) Providing promotions to all employees

d) Assessing employee potential

140. The potential benefit of "ongoing feedback" in performance management is:

a) Limited communication between employees and supervisors

b) Enhanced employee development and motivation

c) Ignoring employee preferences

d) Decreased employee morale

141. What is the primary focus of the "Critical Incident Technique" in performance appraisals?

a) Identifying general patterns of employee behavior

b) Assessing employee potential

# c) Documenting specific examples of exceptional or problematic employee behavior

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

142. The potential benefit of using a "360-degree feedback" approach is:

a) Limited insights into employee performance

b) Enhanced understanding of an employee's strengths and weaknesses from multiple perspectives

c) Ignoring employee contributions

d) Decreased employee turnover

143. What is the purpose of a "performance appraisal interview" in the evaluation process?

a) Ignoring employee achievements

b) Providing a formal platform for discussing performance feedback with employees

c) Conducting background checks

d) Promoting employees based on seniority

144. The potential drawback of "halo effect" in performance appraisals is:

a) Enhanced understanding of employee strengths

## b) Biased ratings based on an overall positive or negative impression of an employee

c) Limited insights into employee weaknesses

d) Ignoring workforce diversity

145.The performance appraisal method that involves setting specific, measurable, achievable, relevant, and time-bound (SMART) goals is known as:

### a. MBO (Management by Objectives)

b. Graphic Rating Scale

c. Forced Ranking

d. Behavioral Observation Scale

146.In performance appraisals, what does "rater bias" refer to?

a. Fair and objective assessment of employee performance

## b. Biased ratings influenced by personal opinions or preferences

c. Ignoring employee contributions

d. Providing promotions based on seniority



- 1. What does the term "discipline" refer to in human resource management?
  - a) Punishment
  - **b)** Control
  - c) Training
  - d) Motivation

2. Which of the following is a primary goal of discipline in HRM?

- a) Encouraging creativity
- b) Improving communication
- c) Ensuring compliance
- d) Enhancing teamwork

3.Discipline in HRM is essential for:

a) Punishing employees

## b) Maintaining order and stability

- c) Encouraging absenteeism
- d) Ignoring performance issues

4. What is the purpose of corrective action in discipline management?

a) Rewarding employees

## b) Addressing performance issues

- c) Ignoring misconduct
- d) Encouraging rule-breaking

5. Which disciplinary approach focuses on preventing issues through training and communication?

a) Reactive discipline

## b) Proactive discipline

c) Punitive discipline

d) Indifferent discipline

6. What is the role of a code of conduct in HR discipline?

a) Encouraging rule-breaking

## b) Providing guidelines for behaviour

- c) Ignoring ethical standards
- d) Promoting misconduct

7. Progressive discipline involves:

#### a) Immediate termination

#### b) Gradual escalation of consequences

c) Ignoring performance issues

d) Promoting a lenient approach

8.In HRM, the purpose of a disciplinary hearing is to:

a) Encourage rule-breaking

b) Address performance issues privately

c) Ignore employee concerns

## d) Ensure transparency in the disciplinary process

9. What is the significance of due process in disciplinary actions?

a) Bypassing employee rights

### b) Ensuring fairness and impartiality

- c) Ignoring employee feedback
- d) Promoting arbitrary decision-making

10. Which factor is crucial in determining the effectiveness of discipline in HRM?

- a) Ignoring employee feedback
- b) Consistency in application
- c) Encouraging favouritism
- d) Promoting arbitrary decisions

11. The purpose of a verbal warning in discipline is to:

- a) Immediately terminate an employee
- b) Address minor issues
- c) Ignore performance concerns
- d) Encourage misconduct

12. What is the role of documentation in the discipline process?

a) Ignoring performance records

#### b) Promoting transparency

- c) Encouraging rule-breaking
- d) Bypassing employee rights

13. Which of the following is an essential skill for effective disciplinary action?

- a) Ignoring communication
- b) Encouraging conflict
- c) Promoting fairness and empathy
- d) Fostering favouritism

14.A suspension in disciplinary action is typically:

- a) A reward for good behaviour
- b) A permanent termination
- c) Temporary removal from work
- d) Encouraging absenteeism

15. What does the term "hot-stove rule" represent in discipline management?

a) Lenient approach to rule-breaking

b) Immediate termination

#### c) Consistent and predictable consequences

d) Ignoring employee concerns

16. Which of the following is a common challenge in disciplinary actions?

### a) Lack of transparency

b) Promoting consistency

c) Fair and impartial decisions

d) Encouraging open communication

17. The goal of discipline is to:

a) Promote chaos

b) Ignore performance issues

c) Establish order and compliance

d) Encourage rule-breaking

18. What is the purpose of a written warning in disciplinary action?

a) Encouraging misconduct

b) Addressing serious performance issues

c) Promoting transparency

d) Ignoring employee concerns

19. In HRM, termination is considered:

a) A reward for good behaviour

## b) A permanent separation from employment

c) Encouraging continuous improvement

d) Ignoring misconduct

20.How can HR professionals foster a positive disciplinary culture?

a) Ignoring employee feedback

## b) Promoting open communication

- c) Encouraging favouritism
- d) Bypassing due process

21. What is a common cause of indiscipline in the workplace?

- a) Effective leadership
- b) Clear communication
- c) Ambiguous rules and policies
- d) Employee recognition

22.Lack of employee involvement in decision-making can contribute to:

a) High morale

b) Increased productivity

## c) Indiscipline

d) Team cohesion

23.Inadequate training and development opportunities may lead to:

a) Employee satisfaction

b) Improved performance

#### c) Indiscipline

d) Effective teamwork

24. What role does poor communication play in fostering indiscipline?

a) Encourages teamwork

b) Promotes clarity

#### c) Creates misunderstandings and conflicts

d) Enhances employee engagement

25.A lack of fairness in rewards and recognition can contribute to:

- a) Employee motivation
- b) Enhanced job satisfaction

### c) Indiscipline

d) Team collaboration

26. Which factor is associated with increased absenteeism and tardiness, contributing to indiscipline?

a) Clear expectations

b) Adequate compensation

#### c) Lack of job security

d) Positive work environment

27.Indiscipline may arise from a lack of:

### a) Accountability

b) Employee autonomy

c) Recognition programs

d) Training opportunities

28.Inconsistent application of rules and policies can result in:

a) Strong organizational culture

b) Employee engagement

c) Indiscipline

d) Effective performance

29. What impact can a hostile work environment have on employee behaviour?

a) Encourages teamwork

b) Boosts morale

c) Fuels indiscipline

d) Promotes job satisfaction

30.Lack of career growth opportunities may contribute to:

a) Employee retention

b) Job satisfaction

c) Indiscipline

d) Team building

31.Ineffective conflict resolution mechanisms can lead to:

a) Improved communication

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b) Collaboration

c) Escalation of indiscipline

d) Employee motivation

32. What role does favoritism play in fostering indiscipline?

a) Enhances teamwork

b) Boosts morale

## c) Creates resentment and dissatisfaction

d) Improves job satisfaction

33.How does a lack of employee empowerment contribute to indiscipline?

a) Fosters a sense of ownership

b) Encourages innovation

c) Creates disengagement and frustration

d) Strengthens teamwork

34.Indiscipline can result from inadequate:

### a) Performance evaluations

b) Communication channels

c) Training programs

d) Recognition systems

35.Unfair disciplinary actions may lead to:

a) Improved morale

b) Increased trust

c) Indiscipline

d) Team cohesion

36.A lack of work-life balance can contribute to:

a) Employee satisfaction

b) Reduced stress

c) Indiscipline

d) Enhanced productivity

37. What is a potential consequence of inadequate feedback and recognition?

a) Enhanced motivation

b) Improved performance

c) Indiscipline

d) Team collaboration

38. How can unclear job roles contribute to indiscipline?

a) Encourages accountability

b) Creates confusion and conflicts

c) Promotes teamwork

d) Boosts morale

## 39. Indiscipline may arise from a lack of:

## a) Performance standards

- b) Team building activities
- c) Communication skills
- d) Employee recognition

40.A negative organizational culture can contribute to:

- a) Employee engagement
- b) Low morale

c) Indiscipline

d) Effective teamwork

41. Which of the following is an example of a behavioural act of indiscipline?

a) Regular attendance

b) Proactive communication

### c) Insubordination

d) Team collaboration

42.Unauthorized use of company resources is considered:

a) Disciplinary action

## b) Workplace misconduct

- c) Employee recognition
- d) Team building

43. Violation of company policies regarding confidentiality falls under:

a) Employee engagement

## b) Indiscipline

- c) Team cohesion
- d) Effective communication

44. What is a form of absenteeism that involves employees leaving work without permission?

a) Planned leave

- b) Unauthorized absence
- c) Sick leave
- d) Team building

### 45. Sabotage of company property is considered:

- a) Employee recognition
- b) Insubordination

## c) Workplace misconduct

d) Team collaboration

46. Failure to follow safety protocols in the workplace is an act of:

- a) Employee engagement
- b) Insubordination

c) Indiscipline

d) Team cohesion

47. What does the term "moonlighting" refer to in the context of indiscipline?

a) Team building activities

## b) Unauthorized secondary employment

- c) Regular attendance
- d) Effective communication

48. Inappropriate use of social media during work hours is an example of:

a) Effective communication

b) Insubordination

#### c) Workplace misconduct

d) Employee recognition

49.Acts of violence or threats in the workplace are considered:

a) Insubordination

b) Team building

#### c) Workplace misconduct

d) Employee engagement

50. What is a form of indiscipline related to falsifying records or timekeeping?

a) Effective communication

### b) Time theft

c) Team cohesion

d) Employee recognition

51. Misuse of company funds for personal purposes is an act of:

a) Insubordination

## b) Workplace misconduct

- c) Team building
- d) Effective communication

52. Harassment or bullying behaviour towards colleagues falls under:

a) Employee engagement

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b) Insubordination

#### c) Workplace misconduct

d) Team collaboration

53. What does the term "soliciting" refer to in the context of indiscipline?

a) Effective communication

b) Requesting feedback

c) Unauthorized selling or promoting activities

d) Team building

54. Destruction of company documents or records is considered:

a) Insubordination

### b) Workplace misconduct

c) Team building

d) Effective communication

55.Unauthorized access to confidential information is an act of:

a) Team cohesion

b) Insubordination

c) Workplace misconduct

d) Employee engagement

56. What is a form of indiscipline related to spreading false information about colleagues or the company?

a) Insubordination

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## b) Gossiping

c) Team building

d) Effective communication

57. Engaging in discriminatory behaviour towards colleagues is considered:

a) Employee engagement

b) Team collaboration

c) Workplace misconduct

d) Insubordination

58.Unauthorized disclosure of sensitive company information is an act of:

a) Employee recognition

b) Insubordination

c) Workplace misconduct

d) Effective communication

59. Refusal to follow a direct order from a supervisor is an act of:

a) Employee engagement

### b) Insubordination

c) Team cohesion

d) Effective communication

60. What is a form of indiscipline related to creating a hostile work environment?

a) Ineffective communication

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b) Team building

c) Workplace harassment

d) Employee recognition

61. What is the first step in the disciplinary action process?

a) Termination

b) Verbal warning

c) Investigation

d) Written warning

62.In disciplinary proceedings, what is the purpose of providing a verbal warning?

a) Immediate termination

b) Addressing minor issues

c) Ignoring performance concerns

d) Encouraging rule-breaking

63. Written warnings are typically issued for:

#### a) Major misconduct

b) Employee recognition

c) Positive performance

d) Team building

64. What is the role of a disciplinary hearing in the procedure?

a) Encourage rule-breaking

b) Address performance issues privately

c) Ignore employee concerns

## d) Ensure transparency in the process

65.Progressive discipline involves:

a) Immediate termination

#### b) Gradual escalation of consequences

- c) Ignoring performance issues
- d) Promoting a lenient approach

66. What does "due process" in disciplinary actions refer to?

a) Bypassing employee rights

### b) Ensuring fairness and impartiality

- c) Ignoring employee feedback
- d) Promoting arbitrary decisions

67.In the context of disciplinary action, what is the purpose of documentation?

a) Ignoring performance records

### b) Promoting transparency

- c) Encouraging rule-breaking
- d) Bypassing employee rights

68. Termination is typically considered:

- a) A reward for good behaviour
- b) A permanent separation from employment
- c) Encouraging continuous improvement
- d) Ignoring misconduct

69. What role does a written warning play in the disciplinary process?

a) Encouraging misconduct

### b) Addressing serious performance issues

- c) Promoting transparency
- d) Ignoring employee concerns

70.How can HR professionals foster a positive disciplinary culture?

a) Ignoring employee feedback

## b) Promoting open communication

- c) Encouraging favouritism
- d) Bypassing due process

71. What is the significance of consistency in applying disciplinary actions?

a) Ignoring employee feedback

## b) Consistency fosters trust and fairness

- c) Encouraging favouritism
- d) Promoting arbitrary decisions

72.In the context of disciplinary procedures, what is a "hot-stove rule"?

a) Lenient approach to rule-breaking

- b) Immediate termination
- c) Consistent and predictable consequences
- d) Ignoring employee concerns

73.What is the role of HR in facilitating the disciplinary process?

a) Ignoring employee concerns

## b) Promoting fairness and empathy

- c) Encouraging conflict
- d) Fostering favouritism

74. A suspension in disciplinary action is typically:

a) A reward for good behavior

b) A permanent termination

## c) Temporary removal from work

d) Encouraging absenteeism

75.How can a disciplinary process promote employee improvement?

- a) Ignoring employee concerns
- b) Providing constructive feedback
- c) Encouraging favoritism
- d) Bypassing due process

76. What is the primary goal of a verbal warning in disciplinary proceedings?

a) Immediately terminate an employee

## b) Address minor issues

c) Ignore performance concerns

d) Encourage rule-breaking

77.What should HR consider when conducting a disciplinary hearing?

a) Ignoring employee feedback

#### b) Promoting transparency

- c) Encouraging favoritism
- d) Bypassing due process

78.In the context of discipline, what is the purpose of coaching and mentoring?

- a) Ignoring employee concerns
- b) Providing guidance for improvement
- c) Encouraging conflict
- d) Fostering favouritism

79.How can HR address potential bias in the disciplinary process?

a) Ignoring employee feedback

## b) Promoting transparency and fairness

- c) Encouraging favouritism
- d) Bypassing due process

80.What is the significance of timely and effective communication in disciplinary actions?

a) Ignoring employee concerns

## b) Promoting transparency

- c) Encouraging favouritism
- d) Fostering open communication

81. What is a grievance in the context of human resource management?

- a) Employee recognition
- b) Employee complaint or dissatisfaction
- c) Performance appraisal
- d) Team building activity
- 82.A grievance typically arises when an employee feels:
  - a) Overwhelmed with workload
  - b) Satisfied with job responsibilities
  - c) Motivated by the team
  - d) Unfairly treated or wronged

83. What is the primary purpose of a grievance handling system?

- a) Encouraging employee dissatisfaction
- b) Ignoring employee concerns
- c) Addressing and resolving employee issues
- d) Promoting favouritism

84.In HRM, the process of addressing and resolving grievances is essential for:

a) Promoting absenteeism

## b) Maintaining a positive work environment

- c) Ignoring employee feedback
- d) Encouraging rule-breaking
- 85. Grievance redressal is crucial for:

#### a) Fostering open communication

b) Escalating conflicts

c) Encouraging favouritism

d) Ignoring employee concerns

86. What is the significance of addressing grievances promptly?

a) Ignoring employee feedback

## b) Promoting transparency and trust

c) Encouraging conflict

- d) Bypassing due process
- 87.A grievance may be related to issues such as:

a) Effective communication

b) Employee recognition

## c) Unfair treatment, harassment, or policy violations

d) Team building activities

## 88.Grievance handling contributes to:

### a) Employee engagement

- b) Ignoring employee concerns
- c) Encouraging favouritism
- d) Fostering resentment

89. What is the role of a grievance officer in the resolution process?

a) Ignoring employee feedback

### b) Promoting fairness and impartiality

c) Encouraging conflict

d) Fostering favouritism

### 90.Grievance mechanisms aim to:

- a) Encourage dissatisfaction
- b) Suppress employee concerns

## c) Provide a structured process for issue resolution

d) Ignore employee feedback

## 91. Grievance redressal can help prevent:

- a) Employee recognition
- b) Team collaboration
- c) Escalation of conflicts
- d) Ignoring employee concerns

## 92. The first step in handling a grievance is usually:

- a) Employee termination
- b) Verbal warning

## c) Investigation and analysis

- d) Encouraging absenteeism
- 93. What is the purpose of grievance counselling?
  - a) Ignoring employee feedback
  - b) Encouraging rule-breaking

c) Providing support and guidance to employees

d) Promoting favouritism

94. Grievances can arise from issues related to:

a) Team building activities

b) Effective communication

# c) Compensation, working conditions, or interpersonal conflicts

d) Employee recognition

95.Grievance resolution involves:

a) Ignoring employee concerns

b) Encouraging favouritism

## c) Finding a fair and equitable solution to the problem

d) Promoting absenteeism

96.In the context of grievances, what is the role of mediation?

a) Ignoring employee feedback

b) Encouraging conflict

# c) Facilitating communication and resolution with the help of a neutral third party

d) Fostering favoritism

97. What should organizations aim for in a grievance resolution?

a) Encourage dissatisfaction

b) Prompt and fair resolution to maintain

#### employee morale

c) Ignoring employee concerns

d) Bypassing due process

98.How can effective grievance handling contribute to a positive workplace culture?

a) Ignoring employee feedback

#### b) Promoting transparency and trust

- c) Encouraging favoritism
- d) Fostering resentment

#### 99. Grievance resolution may involve:

- a) Encouraging absenteeism
- b) Employee termination

### c) Compromise and negotiation

d) Ignoring employee concerns

100.What is the importance of feedback in the grievance resolution process?

a) Ignoring employee feedback

## b) Promoting transparency and continuous improvement

- c) Encouraging conflict
- d) Bypassing due process
- 101. What is a common characteristic of grievances?
  - a) Employee satisfaction
  - b) Employee recognition

### c) Employee complaint or dissatisfaction

d) Effective communication

102. Grievances often arise when there is a perceived:

- a) Absence of teamwork
- b) Favouritism
- c) Injustice or unfair treatment
- d) Positive work environment

103. Which characteristic is associated with a formal expression of dissatisfaction by an employee?

- a) Employee engagement
- b) Employee recognition
- c) Employee grievance
- d) Effective communication

104. Grievances can be related to issues such as:

- a) Effective communication
- b) Employee recognition
- c) Compensation, working conditions, or interpersonal conflicts
- d) Team building activities

105. What is a distinguishing feature of a grievance as opposed to general dissatisfaction?

a) Positive work environment

b) Formalized expression of dissatisfaction

c) Employee recognition

d) Effective communication

106. Grievances are often characterized by a sense of:

- a) Team collaboration
- b) Employee recognition

#### c) Unfairness or injustice

d) Effective communication

107. Grievances can manifest in various forms, including:

- a) Enhanced job satisfaction
- b) Reduced workload
- c) Employee recognition programs
- d) Complaints, disputes, or conflicts

108. What is the nature of a grievance related to working conditions?

a) Positive work environment

b) Employee recognition

c) Complaint about safety, facilities, or job environment

d) Effective communication

109.Grievances are typically characterized by a desire for:

a) Employee engagement

b) Effective communication

- c) Resolution or redressal
- d) Ignoring employee concerns

110. What role does employee perception play in the characteristics of grievances?

a) Positive work environment

## b) Employees' subjective view of fairness or injustice

c) Encouraging favouritism

d) Effective communication

111.Grievances may involve disputes over:

- a) Team building activities
- b) Employee recognition programs

### c) Compensation, benefits, or job assignments

d) Positive work environment

112. What characterizes a grievance related to discrimination or harassment?

- a) Positive work environment
- b) Employee recognition
- c) Unfair treatment based on protected characteristics
- d) Effective communication

### 113.Grievances can be expressed through:

- a) Effective communication
- b) Team collaboration
- c) Formal channels or informal discussions
- d) Ignoring employee concerns

114.Grievances can be categorized as either:

a) Positive or negative

b) Proactive or reactive

c) Formal or informal

d) Employee recognition or employee dissatisfaction

115.A grievance often involves a desire for:

- a) Ignoring employee feedback
- b) Employee recognition

### c) Resolution or redressal

d) Promoting absenteeism

116. What distinguishes a grievance from routine dissatisfaction?

a) Positive work environment

b) Formalized expression of dissatisfaction seeking resolution

c) Employee recognition

d) Effective communication

118.Grievances can impact:

a) Employee engagement

b) Team collaboration

c) Employee morale and productivity

d) Ignoring employee concerns

118. What is a common characteristic of a grievance resolution process?

- a) Ignoring employee feedback
- b) Prompt and fair resolution to maintain employee morale
- c) Encouraging favoritism
- d) Fostering resentment
- 119. Grievances can arise from issues related to:
  - a) Employee recognition
  - b) Team collaboration

## c) Compensation, working conditions, or interpersonal conflicts

d) Effective communication

120. What is a common cause of grievances in the workplace?

- a) Effective communication
- b) Employee recognition
- c) Unfair treatment or policies
- d) Positive work environment

121.Inadequate communication from management can lead to:

a) Employee recognition

- b) Grievances due to misinformation or lack of information
- c) Positive work environment

d) Team collaboration

122. Which factor is associated with grievances related to compensation and benefits?

a) Team collaboration

b) Competitive pay and benefits

c) Employee recognition programs

d) Inequitable pay practices

123.Lack of career growth opportunities may contribute to:

a) Employee recognition

b) Job satisfaction

c) Grievances related to career development

d) Positive work environment

124.Discrimination based on gender, race, or other protected characteristics can result in:

a) Employee recognition

b) Grievances related to diversity and inclusion

c) Positive work environment

d) Team collaboration

125. Inconsistent application of policies and rules may lead to:

a) Positive work environment

b) Employee recognition

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## c) Grievances due to perceived favouritism or bias

d) Team collaboration

126.A lack of employee involvement in decision-making can contribute to:

a) High morale

- b) Grievances related to lack of empowerment
- c) Positive work environment
- d) Team cohesion

127. Grievances related to workload often stem from:

- a) Effective communication
- b) Excessive workload or unrealistic expectations
- c) Employee recognition
- d) Positive work environment

128. What role does poor management or supervision play in causing grievances?

- a) Positive work environment
- b) Employee recognition

## c) Grievances due to inadequate leadership or supervision

d) Team collaboration

129.Grievances may arise from a lack of:

a) Effective communication

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b) Team collaboration

c) Employee recognition

### d) Clear policies and procedures

130.Harassment or bullying behaviour in the workplace can lead to:

a) Employee recognition

b) Positive work environment

## c) Grievances related to hostile work conditions

d) Team collaboration

131.Inadequate training and development opportunities may result in:

a) Employee recognition

b) Positive work environment

## c) Grievances related to lack of skill development

d) Team collaboration

## 132.Grievances can be caused by a lack of:

a) Team collaboration

b) Employee recognition

c) Positive work environment

d) Employee involvement in decision-making

133. Poor interpersonal relationships or conflicts among employees can contribute to:

a) Employee recognition

b) Positive work environment

c) Grievances arising from interpersonal issues

d) Team collaboration

134.Grievances related to working conditions may include concerns about:

a) Employee recognition

b) Team collaboration

### c) Physical working conditions or safety

d) Positive work environment

135.A lack of recognition and appreciation for employee contributions can result in:

- a) Employee recognition
- b) Positive work environment

## c) Grievances related to lack of acknowledgment

d) Team collaboration

136.Grievances can arise when employees perceive a lack of:

a) Effective communication

- b) Team collaboration
- c) Employee recognition
- d) Fairness and equity in treatment

137.Grievances related to lack of job security may arise from:

- a) Employee recognition
- b) Positive work environment

## c) Insecurity about job stability

d) Team collaboration

138.Inadequate feedback and communication about performance may lead to:

a) Employee recognition

b) Positive work environment

## c) Grievances related to performance evaluation

d) Team collaboration

139.Grievances related to lack of work-life balance can result from:

a) Employee recognition

b) Positive work environment

c) Imbalance in personal and professional demands

d) Team collaboration

140. What is a common method for employees to express their grievances formally?

a) Team collaboration

b) Employee recognition

c) Grievance procedure

d) Positive work environment

141.In the context of grievance handling, what is the purpose of a suggestion box?

a) Encouraging conflict

- b) Providing an anonymous method for employees to submit grievances or suggestions
- c) Ignoring employee concerns
- d) Promoting absenteeism

142. Which method involves a neutral third-party facilitating communication and resolution between parties?

a) Employee recognition

**b)** Arbitration

c) Positive work environment

d) Team collaboration

143. What is the role of mediation in grievance resolution?

a) Ignoring employee feedback

b) Facilitating communication and resolution with the help of a neutral third party

- c) Encouraging favouritism
- d) Bypassing due process

144.Grievances can be resolved through:

a) Effective communication

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b) Team collaboration

### c) Compromise and negotiation

d) Ignoring employee concerns

145.What method involves presenting the grievance to higher levels of management?

a) Employee recognition

b) Positive work environment

c) Escalation

d) Team collaboration

146. Which method allows disputing parties to present their case to a neutral third party for a binding decision?

a) Employee recognition

b) Positive work environment

c) Arbitration

d) Team collaboration

147.Grievances may be resolved through informal methods, such as:

a) Effective communication

b) Formal investigations

c) Positive work environment

d) Mediation or counselling

148. The process of addressing grievances in a step-bystep manner is known as:

a) Effective communication

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b) Team collaboration

c) Progressive discipline

### d) Grievance procedure

149.In grievance resolution, what does the term "conciliation" refer to?

a) Employee recognition

## b) Facilitating agreement between conflicting parties

c) Ignoring employee concerns

d) Promoting absenteeism

150. What is the purpose of a grievance committee?

a) Ignoring employee feedback

## b) Reviewing and resolving complex or escalated grievances

- c) Encouraging favouritism
- d) Bypassing due process

151.A method involving a meeting between the aggrieved employee and the immediate supervisor to resolve the issue is known as:

a) Employee recognition

- b) Positive work environment
- c) Counselling or discussion

d) Team collaboration

152. What method involves an impartial third-party making recommendations to resolve a grievance?

- a) Effective communication
- b) Team collaboration

## c) Fact-finding

d) Employee recognition

153.Grievances can be addressed through methods such as:

- a) Employee recognition
- b) Positive work environment
- c) Open-door policy
- d) Ignoring employee concerns

154.A method where an outside expert investigates and makes recommendations on a grievance is known as:

a) Employee recognition

- b) Positive work environment
- c) External inquiry
- d) Team collaboration

155. What method involves reviewing and resolving grievances at higher levels of management?

- a) Employee recognition
- b) Positive work environment
- c) Escalation to higher authorities
- d) Team collaboration

156.Grievances can be resolved through methods such as:

a) Employee recognition

b) Positive work environment

## c) Ombudsman services

d) Ignoring employee concerns

157.A method involving a neutral third-party facilitating communication and resolution without imposing a decision is known as:

a) Employee recognition

b) Positive work environment

## c) Conciliation

d) Team collaboration

158. What method involves addressing grievances through collaborative problem-solving and decision-making?

a) Effective communication

b) Team collaboration

c) Employee recognition

d) Consensus building

159. What is a method where an employee brings a grievance to the attention of management through written communication?

a) Employee recognition

b) Positive work environment

#### c) Formal written complaint

d) Team collaboration

160. What is the first step in the grievance redressal process?

a) Mediation

**b)** Investigation

c) Counselling

d) Filing a lawsuit

161. Which of the following is NOT a typical grievance resolution method?

a) Arbitration

b) Termination

c) Conciliation

d) Negotiation

162. Who is responsible for handling informal grievances in an organization?

a) CEO

b) HR manager

c) Team leader

d) Union representative

163. In grievance handling, what does the term "conciliation" refer to?

a) Formal investigation

b) Mutual agreement between parties

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c) Filing a complaint

d) Employee termination

164. Which principle emphasizes resolving grievances at the lowest possible organizational level?

a) Subsidiarity

- b) Hierarchy
- c) Centralization
- d) Delegation

165. What is the primary goal of a grievance redressal procedure?

a) Punishing employees

b) Ignoring employee concerns

## c) Resolving workplace issues

d) Increasing workload

166. What role does mediation play in the grievance redressal process?

a) Making final decisions

## b) Facilitating communication and resolution

- c) Representing the employer
- d) Ignoring employee grievances

167. What should an organization promote to prevent grievances?

## a) Open communication

b) Secrecy and hierarchy

c) Avoiding employee feedback

d) Imposing strict rules

168. Which step follows a formal investigation in the grievance redressal process?

a) Arbitration

- b) Termination
- c) Counselling
- d) Mediation

169. What is the purpose of a grievance redressal committee?

- a) Ignoring employee concerns
- b) Mediating disputes
- c) Punishing employees
- d) Encouraging workplace conflicts

170.What is a grievance in the context of Human Resource Management?

a) Employee satisfaction

## b) Employee complaint

- c) Employee appraisal
- d) Employee training

171. Which step is usually the first in a formal grievance redressal procedure?

- a) Mediation
- b) Investigation

#### c) Informal discussion

d) Arbitration

172. What is the purpose of a grievance redressal procedure?

a) To punish employees

b) To ignore employee concerns

c) To resolve employee issues

d) To increase employee workload

173. Who is typically involved in the mediation stage of grievance redressal?

a) Senior management

b) Neutral third party

c) Line manager

d) HR manager

174. Which principle ensures that the grievance redressal process is unbiased and fair?

a) Confidentiality

b) Impartiality

c) Favoritism

d) Exclusivity

175.What is the purpose of an ombudsman in grievance redressal?

a) To represent the employer

b) To represent the employee

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- c) To conduct investigations
- d) To maintain records

176. Which step involves a formal hearing with both parties presenting their cases?

- a) Mediation
- b) Arbitration
- c) Investigation
- d) Conciliation

#### 177. What does the term "collective grievance" refer to?

a) Individual employee complaint

#### b) Grievance shared by a group of employees

- c) Employer complaint
- d) External grievance

178.In which stage does a written grievance typically occur?

#### a) Informal discussion

- b) Mediation
- c) Formal hearing
- d) Investigation

179. Which type of resolution involves finding a middle ground between the parties?

- a) Mediation
- b) Arbitration

### c) Conciliation

d) Investigation

180. What is the purpose of having a time frame for grievance resolution?

a) To prolong the process

b) To expedite resolution

c) To discourage resolution

d) To ignore complaints

181. Which step involves a third party making a binding decision?

a) Mediation

b) Arbitration

c) Conciliation

d) Investigation

182. What is the role of HR in the grievance redressal process?

a) Employee advocate

#### b) Neutral mediator

c) Disciplinary authority

d) Ignoring employee concerns

183. Which approach emphasizes resolving grievances at the lowest organizational level?

### a) Bottom-up approach

b) Top-down approach

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c) Hierarchical approach

d) Centralized approach

184. What should be the goal of grievance redressal for an organization?

a) Ignoring employee concerns

b) Suppressing grievances

c) Resolving issues promptly and fairly

d) Encouraging grievances

185. Which term refers to a situation where an employee is dissatisfied but has not yet expressed the grievance formally?

a) Informal complaint

b) Latent grievance

c) Arbitration

d) Collective grievance

196 In which store does the UD department play a



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b) To document and track grievances

c) To delay resolution

d) To encourage grievances

188. What is the last resort in the grievance redressal process?

a) Informal discussion

b) Mediation

c) Arbitration

d) Conciliation

189. Which principle ensures that details of the grievance are not disclosed without consent?

- a) Transparency
- b) Impartiality
- c) Confidentiality
- d) Openness



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## UNIT - V

1. What is organizational conflict?

- a) Agreement among employees
- b) Cooperation within teams
- c) Disagreement among individuals or groups
- d) Employee satisfaction

2. Which type of conflict is related to differences in personal values and beliefs?

a) Task conflict

- b) Relationship conflict
- c) Process conflict
- d) Values conflict
- 3. What is the potential positive aspect of task conflict?
  - a) Improved relationships

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## b) Enhanced creativity and innovation

c) Decreased productivity

) Reduced communication

4. Which level of conflict is considered healthy for organizational performance?

a) Low conflict

b) Moderate conflict

c) High conflict

d) No conflicts

## 5. What is the role of a mediator in conflict resolution?

a) Taking sides in the conflict

b) Intensifying the conflict

## c) Facilitating communication and resolution

d) Ignoring the conflict

6.In which stage of conflict does tension build up, but the issue is not yet addressed?

### a) Latent conflict

b) Manifest conflict

c) Conflict aftermath

d) Resolution phase

7. Which conflict-handling style involves giving in to the other party's concerns?

a) Avoiding

b) Collaborating

c) Accommodating

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d) Competing

8. What is the primary focus of distributive negotiation?

- a) Expanding the pie
- b) Finding common ground
- c) Maximizing individual gains
- d) Building relationships
- 9. Which factor contributes to intergroup conflict?
  - a) Shared goals
  - b) Collaborative communication
  - c) Limited resources
  - d) Trust among groups
- 10.What is the purpose of a grievance redressal procedure in the context of organizational conflict?
  - a) Ignoring conflicts
  - b) Resolving conflicts promptly and fairly
  - c) Escalating conflicts
  - d) Avoiding conflicts

11. Which conflict-handling style is characterized by a win-win approach?

- a) Avoiding
- b) Competing
- c) Collaborating
- d) Compromising

12. What is the potential negative impact of relationship conflict?

a) Improved teamwork

b) Decreased morale and satisfaction

c) Enhanced communication

d) Increased productivity

13.In which conflict-handling style do both parties give up something to reach a solution?

a) Competing

b) Avoiding

c) Compromising

d) Collaborating

14. What is the role of HR in managing organizational conflict?

a) Ignoring conflicts

b) Intensifying conflicts

c) Facilitating resolution and promoting a positive work environment

d) Avoiding conflicts

15. Which type of conflict is related to disagreements about how work tasks should be accomplished?

a) Task conflict

b) Relationship conflict

c) Process conflict

d) Values conflict

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16. What is the primary goal of integrative negotiation?

a) Maximizing individual gains

b) Finding common ground and mutually beneficial solutions

c) Ignoring the other party's concerns

d) Escalating the conflict

17. Which conflict-handling style involves asserting one's own needs at the expense of others?

a) Avoiding

b) Competing

c) Collaborating

d) Accommodating

18. What is the main drawback of avoiding conflict?

a) Quick resolution

b) Escalation of issues

c) Improved relationships

d) Enhanced communication

19. What is the significance of effective communication in conflict resolution?

a) Intensifying conflicts

b) Fostering understanding and finding common ground

c) Ignoring conflicts

d) Decreasing awareness of issues

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20. Which stage of conflict involves addressing the issue and finding a resolution?

a) Latent conflict

b) Manifest conflict

c) Conflict aftermath

d) Resolution phase

21. What is organizational conflict in the context of organizational behaviour?

a) Agreement among employees

b) Cooperation within teams

c) Disagreement among individuals or groups

d) Employee satisfaction

22. Which type of conflict is detrimental to team relationships and hampers collaboration?

a) Task conflict

b) Relationship conflict

c) Process conflict

d) Values conflict

23. How does task conflict differ from relationship conflict?

a) Task conflict involves personal values, while relationship conflict involves work tasks.

b) Task conflict is beneficial, while relationship conflict is detrimental.

c) Task conflict is about individual preferences, while relationship conflict is about team goals.

d ) Task conflict is irrelevant to organizational behaviour.

24. What role does effective communication play in managing organizational conflict?

a) Escalating conflicts

b) Fostering understanding and resolution

c) Ignoring conflicts

d) Decreasing awareness of issues

25. Which conflict-handling style involves seeking a winwin solution by addressing the concerns of both parties?

a) Avoiding

b) Competing

c) Collaborating

d) Accommodating

26. What is the potential positive outcome of constructive conflict in organizational behaviour?

a) Decreased creativity

b) Improved team cohesion

c) Reduced productivity

d) Ignored employee concern

27.In which stage of the conflict process do parties become aware of the conflict?

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a) Latent conflict

#### b) Manifest conflict

- c) Conflict aftermath
- d) Resolution phase

28. How can organizational culture contribute to managing conflict?

## a) By promoting open communication and constructive conflict resolution

- b) By discouraging any form of conflict
- c) By avoiding conflict resolution mechanisms
- d) By ignoring employee concerns

29. Which factor can contribute to reducing intergroup conflict in organizational behaviour?

a) Limited resources

#### b) Shared goals

- c) Trust among groups
- d) Ignored differences

30. What is the role of HR in managing conflict within an organization?

- a) Ignoring conflicts
- b) Intensifying conflicts
- c) Facilitating resolution and promoting a positive work environment
- d) Avoiding conflicts

31. Which conflict resolution approach focuses on expanding the options available to both parties?

a) Distributive negotiation

## b) Integrative negotiation

c) Avoidance

d) Accommodation

32. What is the potential negative impact of dysfunctional conflict in organizational behaviour?

a) Enhanced creativity

b) Decreased productivity and morale

- c) Improved teamwork
- d) Increased job satisfaction

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a) Ignoring conflicts

b) Intensifying conflicts

c) Facilitating resolution and promoting a positive work environment

d) Avoiding conflicts

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b) Integrative negotiation

c) Avoidance

d) Accommodation

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b) Decreased productivity and morale

c) Improved teamwork

d) Increased job satisfaction

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### a) Latent conflict

b) Manifest conflict

c) Conflict aftermath

d) Resolution phase

46. What is the main drawback of avoiding conflict in organizational behavior?

a) Quick resolution

b) Escalation of issues

c) Improved relationships

d) Enhanced communication

47. What is the significance of power dynamics in organizational conflict?

a) Ignoring conflicts

b) Fostering understanding and resolution

c) Reinforcing conflict

d) Decreasing awareness of issues

48. Which type of conflict is related to differences in how work tasks should be accomplished?

a) Task conflict

b) Relationship conflict

c) Process conflict

d) Values conflict

49. What is the role of a mediator in organizational conflict resolution?

a) Taking sides in the conflict

b) Intensifying the conflict

c) Facilitating communication and resolution

d) Ignoring the conflict

50. Which conflict-handling style involves asserting one's own needs at the expense of others?

a) Avoiding

b) Competing

c) Collaborating

d) Accommodating

51. How can a supportive organizational climate contribute to conflict resolution?

a) By discouraging communication

## b) By fostering an environment where conflicts are addressed constructively

c) By avoiding conflict resolution mechanisms

d) By escalating conflicts

52. What is the role of emotional intelligence in managing organizational conflict?

a) Ignoring emotions

b) Intensifying emotions

c) Acknowledging and managing emotions for constructive conflict resolution

d) Avoiding emotional awareness

53. How do individual differences contribute to conflict in the workplace?

a) By promoting harmony

b) By fostering understanding

c) By creating diversity of perspectives

d) By eliminating differences

54. What role does perception play in individual conflict?

a) Reducing awareness

## b) Shaping how individuals interpret situations

c) Ignoring conflicts

d) Minimizing differences

55.How can personality differences contribute to workplace conflict?

a) By fostering collaboration

b) By minimizing disagreements

## c) By influencing individual reactions and responses

d) By discouraging communication

56. What is the impact of stress on individual conflict?

a) Decreasing conflict

b) Enhancing communication

## c) Increasing the likelihood of conflict

d) Resolving conflicts quickly

57.In what way does individual communication style influence conflict?

a) By discouraging communication

- b) By escalating conflicts
- c) By shaping how messages are conveyed

d) By minimizing differences

58. How can cultural differences contribute to individual conflict in a diverse workplace?

- a) By fostering collaboration
- b) By promoting understanding
- c) By influencing perceptions and expectations
- d) By eliminating cultural diversity

59. What is the role of emotions in individual conflict?

- a) Ignoring emotions
- b) Intensifying emotions

## c) Acknowledging and managing emotions for constructive conflict resolution

d) Avoiding emotional awareness

60. How does individual motivation impact conflict resolution?

a) By hindering resolution efforts

b) By promoting avoidance

- c) By influencing the desire to resolve conflicts
- d) By reducing awareness

61. What is the significance of individual values in conflict management?

a) By discouraging communication

- b) By promoting alignment
- c) By shaping individual preferences and

## priorities

d) By minimizing individual differences

62. How can cognitive differences contribute to individual conflict?

## a) By limiting perspectives

b) By fostering collaboration

- c) By encouraging open communication
- d) By minimizing disagreements

63. What is the role of individual power in workplace conflict?

a) By promoting equality

b) By minimizing influence

## c) By shaping interactions and decisionmaking

d) By discouraging communication

64.How does individual conflict resolution style impact workplace dynamics?

a) By hindering resolution efforts

b) By promoting avoidance

## c) By influencing the approach to resolving conflicts

d) By reducing awareness

65.In what way does individual accountability affect conflict resolution?

a) By fostering blame

b) By encouraging avoidance

c) By promoting responsibility and resolution

d) By minimizing differences

66.How can individual perception of fairness impact conflict outcomes?

a) By escalating conflicts

## b) By influencing perceptions of justice and satisfaction

c) By discouraging communication

d) By avoiding emotional awareness

67. What is the role of trust in individual conflict resolution?

a) By hindering resolution efforts

b) By promoting avoidance

## c) By facilitating open communication and collaboration

d. By minimizing individual differences

68. How does individual conflict-handling effectiveness contribute to organizational success?

a) By hindering success

b) By promoting avoidance

c) By positively impacting conflict resolution outcomes

d) By reducing awareness

69. What is the impact of individual conflict management skills on team dynamics?

a) By hindering teamwork

b) By promoting avoidance

## c) By improving collaboration and team effectiveness

d) By discouraging communication

70. How can individual conflict avoidance negatively affect organizational culture?

a) By promoting a positive culture

b) By fostering open communication

c) By creating an atmosphere of unresolved tension

d) By minimizing individual differences

71. What is the significance of individual negotiation skills in conflict resolution?

a) By hindering negotiation efforts

b) By promoting avoidance

c) By positively influencing the negotiation process

d) By reducing awareness

72.How can individual conflict resolution contribute to employee well-being?

a) By hindering well-being

b) By promoting avoidance

## c) By reducing stress and enhancing job satisfaction

d) By discouraging communication

- 73. What is organizational conflict?
  - a) Agreement among employees
  - b) Cooperation within teams

## c) Disagreement among individuals or groups

d) Employee satisfaction

74. Which type of conflict is related to differences in personal values and beliefs?

- a) Task conflict
- b) Relationship conflict
- c) Process conflict
- d) Values conflict
- 75. What is the potential positive aspect of task conflict?
  - a) Improved relationships
  - b) Enhanced creativity and innovation
  - c) Decreased productivity
  - d) Reduced communication

76. Which level of conflict is considered healthy for organizational performance?

a) Low conflict

b) Moderate conflict

c) High conflict

d) No conflict

77. What is the role of a mediator in conflict resolution?

- a) Taking sides in the conflict
- b) Intensifying the conflict
- c) Facilitating communication and resolution
- d) Ignoring the conflict

78.In which stage does a written grievance typically occur?

## a) Informal discussion

b) Mediation

c) Formal hearing

d) Investigation

79. What is the purpose of an ombudsman in grievance redressal?

a) To represent the employer

## b) To represent the employee

- c) To conduct investigations
- d) To maintain records

80. Which step involves a formal hearing with both parties presenting their cases?

a) Mediation

b) Arbitration

c) Investigation

d) Conciliation

- 81. What does the term "collective grievance" refer to?
  - a) Individual employee complaint
  - b) Grievance shared by a group of employees
  - c) Employer complaint
  - d) External grievance

82.In which stage does the HR department play a more active role in addressing the grievance?

- a) Informal discussion
- b) Mediation
- c) Investigation
- d) Arbitration

83. Which approach emphasizes resolving grievances at the lowest organizational level?

## a) Bottom-up approach

- b) Top-down approach
- c) Hierarchical approach
- d) Centralized approach

84. What should be the goal of grievance redressal for an organization?

a) Ignoring employee concerns

b) Suppressing grievances

c) Resolving issues promptly and fairly

d) Encouraging grievances

85. Which term refers to a situation where an employee is dissatisfied but has not yet expressed the grievance formally?

a) Informal complaint

b) Latent grievance

c) Arbitration

d) Collective grievance

86.In which step does a third party help the disputing parties reach a voluntary agreement?

## a) Mediation

b) Arbitration

c) Investigation

d) Conciliation

87.What is the purpose of a "grievance log" in the redressal process?

a) To ignore complaints

b) To document and track grievances

c) To delay resolution

d) To encourage grievances

88. Which term refers to resolving a grievance by addressing the underlying issue?

a) Arbitration

b) Mediation

c) Conciliation

### d) Substantive resolution

89. What is the purpose of a "step-by-step" approach in grievance redressal?

## a) To expedite resolution

- b) To discourage resolution
- c) To prolong the process
- d) To ignore complaints

90. Which step involves a neutral third-party making recommendations for resolution?

a) Arbitration

b) Mediation

c) Conciliation

d) Investigation

91. What principle emphasizes that the grievance resolution process should be transparent and accountable?

a) Confidentiality

b) Impartiality

## c) Openness

d) Fairness

92. Which term refers to a dispute resolution method where a third party's decision is binding?

a) Mediation

b) Conciliation

c) Arbitration

d) Investigation

## 93. What is transformational leadership focused on?

- a) Maintaining the status quo
- b) Inspiring and motivating followers
- c) Strict rule enforcement
- d) Micromanaging tasks

94.In situational leadership, what does the leader adjust based on followers' readiness levels?

a) Communication style

- b) Decision-making authority
- c) Leadership style
- d) Vision and mission

95. What leadership style emphasizes making decisions with minimal input from subordinates?

## a) Autocratic leadership

- b) Democratic leadership
- c) Laissez-faire leadership
- d) Transformational leadership

96. Which leadership theory suggests that effective leaders possess certain inherent traits?

a) Contingency theory

b) Trait theory

- c) Transformational theory
- d) Situational theory
- 97. What is the primary focus of servant leadership?
  - a) Power and authority
  - b) Serving and empowering others
  - c) Strict control over subordinates
  - d) Personal achievement

98. What does the acronym SMART represent in the context of leadership goals?

## a) Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, Time-bound

b) Strategic, Motivating, Adaptive, Resultoriented, Timeless

c) Simple, Meaningful, Actionable, Relevant, Timely

d) Structured, Meaningful, Attainable, Realistic, Time-sensitive

99.According to the Path-Goal theory, what does a leader do to enhance subordinates' motivation?

a) Set challenging goals

### b) Provide rewards and recognition

- c) Simplify tasks
- d) Avoid goal-setting

100. Which leadership style involves giving employees significant control over their work?

a) Transactional leadership

b) Transformational leadership

c) Laissez-faire leadership

d) Charismatic leadership

101.According to the Great Man Theory, who is more likely to be a great leader?

a) Anyone with proper training

# b) Individuals born with inherent leadership qualities

c) Those with extensive work experience

d) Followers who become leaders

102. What leadership style involves a leader who is highly directive and controlling?

a) Laissez-faire leadership

b) Charismatic leadership

c) Transactional leadership

d) Servant leadership

103. According to the Contingency Theory, what should a leader's style depend on?

a) Inherent traits

b) Followers' readiness and the situation

c) Vision and mission

d) Time of day

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104. Which leadership style emphasizes building strong relationships and collaboration?

a) Autocratic leadership

b) Democratic leadership

c) Transformational leadership

d) Charismatic leadership

105. What is the primary characteristic of authentic leadership?

a) Emphasizing personal success

b) Being true to oneself and others

c) Relying on charisma

d) Avoiding vulnerability

106.In the context of leadership, what is emotional intelligence focused on?

a) Task accomplishment

b) Understanding and managing emotions

c) Rigid decision-making

d) Micromanagement

107.What does the Vroom-Yetton-Jago Decision Model help leaders determine?

a) Leadership style

b) Employee satisfaction

c) Decision-making processes

d) Time management

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108. Which leadership style involves inspiring followers through charisma and vision?

- a) Transactional leadership
- b) Laissez-faire leadership

#### c) Charismatic leadership

d) Situational leadership

109. What is the essence of authentic leadership?

- a) Focusing on personal interests
- b) Building a facade for leadership

## c) Leading with genuine self-awareness and ethical behaviour

d) Avoiding transparency

110. What leadership style emphasizes collaboration and shared decision-making?

a) Autocratic leadership

#### b) Democratic leadership

- c) Laissez-faire leadership
- c) Transformational leadership

111.According to the Full Range Leadership Model, what are the three main leadership styles?

a) Autocratic, Democratic, and Laissez-faire

b) Transactional, Transformational, and Laissez-faire

c) Charismatic, Servant, and Authentic

d) Trait, Behavioural, and Contingency

112. What is the purpose of the Hersey-Blanchard Situational Leadership Model?

a) To identify leadership traits

b) To determine the effectiveness of leadership styles

## c) To match leadership style with followers' readiness

d) To establish rigid leadership structures

113. According to Trait Theory, what is the focus when identifying effective leaders?

a) Situational factors

### b) Inherent characteristics

c) Leadership styles

d) Group dynamics

114. Which leadership theory suggests that effective leaders possess a set of identifiable traits?

a) Contingency Theory

b) Transformational Leadership Theory

c) Trait Theory

d) Situational Leadership Theory

115. What is the main concept of Behavioural Leadership Theory?

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a) Leadership is determined by situational factors

b) Leadership is inherent and cannot be learned

c) Leadership effectiveness is based on specific behaviours

d) Leadership is dependent on follower characteristics

116.According to Contingency Theory, what should leaders do to be effective?

a) Exhibit specific traits

b) Adapt their leadership style to the situation

c) Focus on specific behaviours

d) Possess inherent skills

117. Which theory proposes that leadership effectiveness is contingent upon the match between leadership style and situational factors?

a) Trait Theory

b) Behavioural Leadership Theory

c) Contingency Theory

d) Transformational Leadership Theory

118. What does the Transformational Leadership Theory emphasize?

a) Specific traits of leaders

b) Adaptation to situational factors

c) Inspiring and motivating followers

d) Contingent leadership styles

119. According to Path-Goal Theory, what is a leader's primary role?

a) Adaptation to situational factors

## b) Providing a clear path for followers to achieve goals

- c) Demonstrating specific traits
- d) Focusing on specific behaviours

120.What does the Hersey-Blanchard Situational Leadership Model propose?

a) Leadership is determined by situational factors

b) Leadership effectiveness is based on specific behaviours

# c) Leaders should match their style to followers' readiness

d) Leadership is inherent and cannot be learned

121. Which leadership theory focuses on the relationship between leader behavior and follower satisfaction and performance?

a) Contingency Theory

## b) Leader-Member Exchange (LMX) Theory

- c) Transformational Leadership Theory
- d) Trait Theory

122. What does the Fiedler Contingency Model consider in determining leadership effectiveness?

### a) Leader characteristics

b) Situational factors

- c) Group dynamics
- d) Specific behaviors

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# a) Transactional, Transformational, and Laissez-faire

b) Autocratic, Democratic, and Laissez-faire

- c) Charismatic, Servant, and Authentic
- d) Trait, Behavioral, and Contingency

124. Which theory suggests that leaders develop exchange relationships with their followers, leading to in-groups and out-groups?

- a) Transformational Leadership Theory
- b) Contingency Theory
- c) Leader-Member Exchange (LMX) Theory
- d) Behavioral Leadership Theory

125.What is the core concept of the Leader-Member Exchange (LMX) Theory?

a) Leadership traits

b) Transformational behaviors

c) Development of exchange relationships between leaders and followers

d) Contingent leadership styles

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d) Avoiding transparency

129.In the context of leadership theories, what does Situational Leadership Theory propose?

a) Leadership effectiveness is contingent on specific behaviors

b) Leaders should adapt their style to the

#### situation and follower readiness

c) Inherent traits determine leadership effectivenessd) Leaders should focus on transactional behaviors

130. What is Machine Learning (ML)?

a) The autonomous acquisition of knowledge through the use of manual programs

b) The selective acquisition of knowledge through the use of computer programs

c) The selective acquisition of knowledge through the use of manual programsd) The autonomous acquisition of knowledge through the use of computer programs.



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