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Subject Code: 15202251

Subject Name: Fundamental Considerations in Language Testing

Date: 08/05/2018

Time: 10:30AM TO 01:00PM

Total Marks: 60

Instructions:

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
3. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
4. Start new question on new page.

Q.1 Do as directed.**(08)****A. Multiple choice type questions. (Each of 0.5 mark)**

1. Which of the following tests are used to identify students' weakness and strengths?

(a) Achievement Tests	(c) Diagnostic Tests
(b) Proficiency Tests	(d) Placement Tests
2. Direct testing is used to measure.....

(a) The receptive skills	(c) The underlie skills
(b) The productive skills	(d) None of these
3. Which of the following testing is used to measure the abilities which underlie the skills in which we are interested?

(a) Direct testing	(c) Neutral testing
(b) Indirect testing	(d) None of these
4. Which of the following tests are used to assign students to classes at different levels?

(a) Achievement Tests	(c) Diagnostic Tests
(b) Proficiency Tests	(d) Placement Tests
5. There aremain sources of inaccuracy.

(a) Two	(c) Four
(b) Three	(d) Five
6. One of the sources of inaccuracy is

(a) Lack of technique	(c) Lack of reliability
(b) Lack of content	(d) None of these
7.are designed to measure the people's ability in a language.

(a) Achievement Tests	(c) Diagnostic Tests
(b) Proficiency Tests	(d) Placement Tests
8. Which of the following is the one of the kind of Achievement Tests?

(a) First Achievement Tests	(c) Delay Achievement Tests
(b) Progress Achievement Tests	(d) All of the above
9. Impressionistic Scoring means.....

(a) Polistic scoring	(c) Holistic scoring
(b) Realistic Scoring	(d) None of these
10. Validity Coefficients are like.....

(a) Standard Coefficients	(c) Reliability Coefficient
(b) True Coefficients	(d) None of these
11. Dictation was popular in.....

(a) 1950s	(c) 1960s
(b) 1970s	(d) None of these
12. Which of the following is one of the kinds of Criterion-related Validity?

(a) Concurrent	(c) Unproductive
(b) Face	(d) None of these
13. Norm-referenced testing relates to.....

- (a) The ability of performance (c) The score of performance
 (b) Candidates performance (d) None of these
 14. Integrative testing requires.....of a language in the completion of a task.

- (a) Mono element (c) Multiple elements
 (b) Bi-element (d) None of these
 15. The difference between objective testing vs. Subjecting testing is

- (a) The method of scoring (c) The method of judging
 (b) The method of testing (d) None of these
 16. Which of the following testing is to classify the ability of performance?

- (a) The purpose of Criterion Referenced testing (c) Norm-referenced testing
 (b) Indirect testing (d) None of these

B. Terms/ Short notes/ Case study/ Charts/ Graphs/ Tables, etc. (Each of 01 mark) (07)

1. What do you mean by 'proficient'?
2. Define 'Final Achievement Tests'.
3. Why do we need the knowledge of Vocabulary?
4. What does the word 'construct' refer?
5. Define 'content validity'.
6. Define 'face validity'.
7. Which are the two origins of unreliability?

Q.2 Answer the following.

- A. Discuss briefly kinds of criterion related validity. (04)
 B. Discuss briefly The C-Test. (04)
 C. Discuss briefly the reliability coefficient. (04)

OR

- C. Discuss briefly Final Achievement Tests. (04)

Q.3 Answer the following.

- A. Discrete point versus Integrative testing and CLT. (05)
 B. The Standard error of measurement and true score. (05)
 C. Proficiency Tests. (05)

OR

- C. Discuss techniques for testing reading skills. (05)

Q.4 Essay Type Question.

- A. Discuss techniques for testing listening skills. (06)
 B. Write a detailed note on Validity. (06)
 C. Discuss kinds of tests in detail. (06)

OR

- C. Discuss Norm-referenced testing versus Criterion referenced testing in detail. (06)