



M.A. III Semester Degree Examination, April/May - 2024

LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE

Research Methodology

(NEP)

Time : 1 Hour

Maximum Marks : 30

Note : Answer *all* Questions.

1. Concepts are _____ of Research.
(A) Guide (B) Tools (C) Methods (D) Variables
2. Who is responsible for assessing ISBN in India ?
(A) National Library, Kolkata
(B) Imperial Library, Kolkata
(C) Raja Ram Mohan Roy Foundation, Kolkata
(D) National Book Trust, New Delhi
3. APA style stands for _____.
(A) American Psychological Association
(B) American Psychological Associates
(C) Association of Psychological of Americans
(D) American Psychologist Association
4. How to judge the depth of any research ?
(A) By research title
(B) By research duration
(C) By research objectives
(D) By total expenditure on research
5. Which of the following is **not** the method of Research ?
(A) Survey (B) Historical (C) Observation (D) Philosophical
6. What do you mean by Unit of Analysis ?
(A) Main parameter (B) Variables
(C) Sample (D) Constructs



7. Research is _____.
- (A) Searching again and again
 - (B) Finding solution to any problem
 - (C) Working in a scientific way to search for truth of any problem
 - (D) None of the above
8. Why do you need to review the existing literature ?
- (A) To make sure you have a long list of reference
 - (B) Because without it, you could never reach the required word-count
 - (C) To find out what is already known about your area of interest
 - (D) To help in your general studying
9. Survey is a _____ Study.
- (A) Descriptive
 - (B) Fact finding
 - (C) Analytical
 - (D) Systematic
10. Questionnaire is filled by _____.
- (A) Respondent
 - (B) Everybody
 - (C) Enumerator
 - (D) None of the above
11. A complete list of all the sampling units is called :
- (A) Sampling design
 - (B) Sampling frame
 - (C) Population frame
 - (D) Cluster
12. Which test is the part of the parametric test ?
- (A) Sign Test
 - (B) Run Test for Randomness
 - (C) Kruskal-Willis Test
 - (D) t-test
13. SPSS is an acronym of which of the following ?
- (A) Statistical Predictions for Social Sciences.
 - (B) Sexual Preferences for the Sixties and Seventies.
 - (C) Statistical Package for the Social Sciences.
 - (D) Sexual Performance and SAD Syndrome.
14. The first page of the research report is :
- (A) Appendix
 - (B) Bibliography
 - (C) Index
 - (D) Title Page
15. In SPSS, what is the "Data Viewer" ?
- (A) A table summarizing the frequencies of data for one variable
 - (B) A spreadsheet into which data can be entered
 - (C) A dialog box that allows you to choose a statistical test
 - (D) A screen in which variables can be defined and labelled



16. What type of chart is useful for comparing values over categories ?
(A) Pie Chart (B) Column Chart
(C) Line Chart (D) Dot Graph
17. What type of chart is useful for showing trends or changes over time ?
(A) Pie Chart (B) Column Chart
(C) Line Chart (D) Dot Graph
18. Cluster sampling, stratified sampling and systematic sampling are types of :
(A) Direct sampling (B) Indirect sampling
(C) Random sampling (D) Non-random sampling
19. Final stage in the Research Process is :
(A) Problem formulation (B) Data collection
(C) Data Analysis (D) Report Writing
20. The _____ feature of MS Excel quickly completes a series of data.
(A) Auto Complete (B) Auto Fill
(C) Fill Handle (D) Sorting
21. ANOVA is _____
(A) A Government body which collects social statistics.
(B) The name of a statistical software package.
(C) A one-way analysis of variance.
(D) A two-way analysis of variance.
22. Which one of the following is a data collection method ?
(A) Questionnaire (B) Interview Schedule
(C) Observation (D) All of the above
23. The research objectives will help you to :
(A) Describe the experiences (B) Define the focus of your study
(C) Report the stories (D) Should be wide and narrow
24. Which of the following is plagiarism detecting software ?
(A) Zotero (B) URKUND (C) Mendley (D) EndNote
25. The functions of social science research are _____.
(A) Prediction (B) Diagnosis of problems and their analysis
(C) Development of planning (D) All of the above



- 26.** Which one is the true example of primary data from the following options ?
(A) Journal (B) Book
(C) Census Report (D) Newspaper
- 27.** In conclusion, a researcher cannot :
(A) Add new ideas that did not fit in research.
(B) Use Key words.
(C) Give his own opinion.
(D) Summarize his research
- 28.** What is the purpose of doing research ?
(A) To identify the problem (B) To find the solution
(C) Both (A) and (B) (D) None of the above
- 29.** Bibliography means _____.
(A) Foot note (B) Questionnaire
(C) List of books referred (D) Biography
- 30.** Information is a :
(A) Processed data (B) Raw data
(C) Input data (D) Organized data

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