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Multiple Choice Questions on Critical Thinking.

Choose the correct option for each question.

1. What is the origin of the term "critical"?

- a. Latin
- b. Greek
- c. Sanskrit
- d. French

Ans: b. Greek

2. Which term indicates the ability to judge or discern?

- a. Analytical thinking
- b. Critical thinking
- c. Imaginative thinking
- d. Creative thinking

Ans: b. Critical thinking

3. What does critical thinking mean?

- a. Looking at physical objects closely
- b. Coming up with creative ideas
- c. Thinking carefully and evaluating information
- d. Socialising and interacting with others

Ans: c. Thinking carefully and evaluating information

4. Information can be gathered from _____, experience, reasoning or communication.

- a. imagination
- b. observation
- c. intuition
- d. reflection

Ans: b. observation

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5. How do you primarily get information through communication?

- a. Seeing
- b. Interacting
- c. Doing
- d. Guessing

Ans: b. Interacting

6. Arrange the following methods of gathering information in the correct sequence:

- a. observation, experience, reasoning, communication
- b. experience, reasoning, communication, observation
- c. reasoning, experience, communication, observation
- d. communication, experience, reasoning, observation

Ans: a. observation, experience, reasoning, communication

7. The key aspect of critical thinking is _____.

- a. distraction
- b. talking continuously
- c. questioning
- d. being aggressive

Ans: c. questioning

8. Which action is NOT associated with critical thinking?

- a. Evaluating
- b. Analysing
- c. Interpreting
- d. Watching

Ans:d. Watching



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9. In critical thinking, what do you do to assess the value or importance of information?

- a. Argue
- b. Interpret
- c. Evaluate
- d. Experience

Ans: c. Evaluate

10. What type of thinking involves making judgments about what you read, hear, say or write?

- a. Creative thinking
- b. Critical thinking
- c. Logical thinking
- d. Imaginative thinking

Ans: b. Critical thinking

11. In which profession is critical thinking NOT a key requirement?

- a. Accountant
- b. Teacher / Educator
- c. Data Entry Operator
- d. Business Analyst

Ans: c. Data Entry Operator

12. What type of thinking occurs when someone is too focused on themselves and doesn't consider other's perspectives?

- a. Team thinking
- b. Egocentric thinking
- c. Open-minded thinking
- d. Objective thinking

Ans: b. Egocentric thinking



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13. What can be a barrier to critical thinking ?

- a. Smart reasoning
- b. Questioning
- c. Unwarranted assumptions
- d. Analysing

Ans: c. Unwarranted assumptions

14. Which communication skill is essential for effective critical thinking?

- a. Dominating conversations
- b. Active listening
- c. Interrupting
- d. Assertiveness

Ans: b. Active listening

15. Which step is crucial in the problem-solving process?

- a. Ignoring the issue
- b. Jumping to conclusions
- c. Analysing the problem
- d. Avoiding collaboration

Ans: c. Analysing the problem

16. What does creativity in critical thinking involve?

- a. Strictly following guidelines
- b. Generating new ideas
- c. Practising known techniques
- d. Following traditional methods

Ans: b. Generating new ideas



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17. Why is it important to gather unbiased information in critical thinking?

- a. To create stories
- b. To misunderstand
- c. To enhance decision-making
- d. To argue

Ans: c. To enhance decision-making

18. What is the first step in critical thinking?

- a. Research
- b. Identify the problem
- c. Ask for help
- d. Present a solution

Ans: b. Identify the problem

19. What does critical thinking require in terms of data?

- a. Ignoring data
- b. Determining irrelevant data
- c. Collecting relevant data
- d. Avoiding data analysis

Ans: c. Collecting relevant data

20. What is the goal when identifying the best solution in critical thinking?

- a. Selecting the easiest solution
- b. Identifying multiple solutions
- c. Choosing the most practical solution
- d. Avoiding solutions

Ans: c. Choosing the most practical solution



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21. What does becoming more self-aware in critical thinking involve?

- a. Ignoring personal beliefs
- b. Considering thought processes, values, and ethics
- c. Avoiding mental processes
- d. Eliminating self-reflection

Ans: b. Considering thought processes, values, and ethics

22. What is a key aspect of improving critical thinking?

- a. Avoiding foresight
- b. Developing foresight
- c. Ignoring the future
- d. Ignoring consequences

Ans: b. Developing foresight

23. What is a recommended approach to enhance critical thinking skills?

- a. Avoiding self-awareness
- b. Dismissing values and beliefs
- c. Having a closed mindset
- d. Becoming more self-aware

Ans: d. Becoming more self-aware

24. What is one suggested activity to enhance critical thinking skills?

- a. Avoid playing games
- b. Play games without thinking
- c. Play games that require critical thinking skills
- d. Ignore gaming activities

Ans: c. Play games that require critical thinking skills



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25. How can you prepare your mind for critical thinking?

- Avoid engaging in mental activities
- Play mindless games
- Develop technical skills
- Ignore problem-solving

Ans: c. Develop technical skills

27. What is a proactive step to encourage critical reflection?

- Accepting assumptions unquestionably
- Avoiding self-reflection
- Questioning your own assumptions
- Disregarding technical skills

Ans: c. Questioning your own assumptions

28. What is a recommended approach for improving critical thinking in a structured manner?

- Ignoring professional coaching
- Dismissing guidance
- Seeking professional coaching
- Avoiding skill development

Ans: c. Seeking professional coaching

29. What is recommended before taking an action in the context of critical thinking?

- Ignoring consequences
- Acting without consideration
- Weighing the consequences of different actions
- Ignoring personal values

Ans: c. Weighing the consequences of different actions



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30. Which thinking skill is more likely to involve "Classifying"?

- a. Creative thinking
- b. Critical thinking
- c. Negative Thinking
- d. Reflective Thinking

Ans: b. Critical thinking

31. Which thinking skill is more closely associated with "Analysis"?

- a. Invention
- b. Critical thinking
- c. Negative Thinking
- d. Reflective Thinking

Ans: b. Critical thinking