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Topic 1, Service Management as a practice

Question No : 1 - (Topic 1)

Which one of the following is the BEST definition of the term 'service management'?

- **A.** A set of specialized organizational capabilities for providing value to customers in the form of services
- **B.** A group of interacting, interrelated, or independent components that form a unified whole, operating together for a common purpose
- C. The management of functions within an organization to perform certain activities
- **D.** Units of organizations with roles to perform certain activities

Answer: A

Question No : 2 - (Topic 1)

Which is the correct definition of a customer facing service?

- **A.** One which directly supports the business processes of customers
- **B.** A service that cannot be allowed to fail
- **C.** One which is not covered by a service level agreement
- **D.** A service not directly used by the business

Answer: A

Question No : 3 - (Topic 1)

Which of the following is NOT a source of best practice?

- A. Standards
- **B.** Technology
- C. Academic research
- D. Internal experience

Answer: B



Question No: 4 - (Topic 1)

Why are public frameworks, such as ITIL, attractive when compared to proprietary knowledge?

- **A.** Proprietary knowledge may be difficult to adopt, replicate or transfer since it is often undocumented
- **B.** Public frameworks are always cheaper to adopt
- **C.** Public frameworks are prescriptive and tell you exactly what to do
- **D.** Proprietary knowledge has been tested in a wide range of environments

Answer: A

Question No : 5 - (Topic 1)

Which of the following are sources of best practice?

- 1. Academic research
- 2. Internal experience
- 3. Industry practices
- A. All of the above
- B. 1 and 3 only
- **C.** 1 and 2 only
- **D.** 2 and 3 only

Answer: A

Question No: 6 - (Topic 1)

Which one of the following is the BEST definition of the term 'service management'?

- **A.** A set of specialized organizational capabilities for providing value to customers in the form of services
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- C. The management of functions within an organization to perform certain activities



D. Units of organizations with roles to perform certain activities

Answer: A

Question No: 7 - (Topic 1)

Which reason describes why ITIL is so successful?

- A. The five ITIL volumes are concise
- **B.** It is not tied to any particular vendor platform
- C. It tells service providers exactly how to be successful
- **D.** It is designed to be used to manage projects

Answer: B

Question No:8 - (Topic 1)

What are customers of IT services who do NOT work in the same organization as the service provider known as?

- A. Strategic customers
- B. External customers
- C. Valued customers
- D. Internal customers

Answer: B

Question No:9 - (Topic 1)

What is the act of transforming resources and capabilities into valuable service better known as?

- **A.** Service management
- **B.** Incident management
- C. Resource management
- D. Service support



Answer: A

Question No : 10 - (Topic 1)

Which of the following is best definition of IT service management?

- A. An internal service provider that is embedded within a business unit
- **B.** A complete set of all the documentation required to deliver world class services to customers
- C. Technical implementation of supporting IT infrastructure components
- D. The implementation and management of quality IT services that meet business needs

Answer: D

Question No: 11 - (Topic 1)

Which one of the following is NOT a characteristic of a process?

- A. It is measurable
- B. It delivers specific results
- C. It responds to specific events
- **D.** It structures an organization

Answer: D

Question No: 12 - (Topic 1)

Which of the following is the best definition of service management?

- **A.** The ability to keep services highly available to meet the business needs
- **B.** A set of specialized organizational capabilities for providing value to customers in the form of services
- **C.** A complete set of all the documentation required to deliver world class services to customers
- **D.** An internationally recognized methodology to provide valuable services to customers

Answer: B



Question No : 13 - (Topic 1)

Which of the following is an enabler of best practice?

- A. Standards
- B. Technology
- C. Academic research
- **D.** Internal experience

Answer: B

Question No: 14 - (Topic 1)

What type of services are NOT directly used by the business but are required by the service provider to deliver customer facing services?

- A. Business services
- **B.** Component services
- C. Supporting services
- D. Customer services

Answer: C

Question No: 15 - (Topic 1)

What is a service delivered between two business units in the same organization known as?

- A. Strategic service
- B. Delivered service
- C. Internal service
- D. External service

Answer: C



Question No: 16 - (Topic 1)

Which of the following are reasons why ITIL is successful?

- 1. ITIL is vendor neutral
- 2. It does not prescribe actions
- 3. ITIL represents best practice
- A. All of the above
- B. 1 and 3 only
- C. 1 and 2 only
- **D.** 2 and 3 only

Answer: A

Question No: 17 - (Topic 1)

What would you call the groups of people who have an interest in the activities, targets, resources and deliverables from service management?

- A. Employers
- **B.** Stakeholders
- C. Regulators
- D. Accreditors

Answer: B

Question No: 18 - (Topic 1)

Which of the following are classed as stakeholders in service management?

- 1. Customers
- 2. Users
- 3. Suppliers



- A. All of the above
- B. 1 and 3 only
- C. 1 and 2 only
- **D.** 2 and 3 only

Answer: A

Question No: 19 - (Topic 1)

Which one of the following would NOT be defined as part of every process?

- A. Roles
- **B.** Inputs and outputs
- C. Functions
- D. Metrics

Answer: C

Question No : 20 - (Topic 1)

What should a service always deliver to customers?

- A. Applications
- **B.** Infrastructure
- C. Value
- D. Resources

Answer: C

Question No : 21 - (Topic 1)

Which of the following are sources of best practice?

- 1. Academic research
- 2. Internal experience
- 3. Industry practices



- A. All of the above
- B. 1 and 3 only
- **C.** 1 and 2 only
- **D.** 2 and 3 only

Answer: A

Question No: 22 - (Topic 1)

Which of the following is the best definition of IT service management?

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- C. Technical implementation of supporting IT infrastructure components
- **D.** The implementation and management of quality IT services that meet business needs

Answer: D

Question No : 23 - (Topic 1)

What are customers of IT services who work in the same organization as the service provider known as?

- A. Strategic customers
- B. External customers
- C. Valued customers
- D. Internal customers

Answer: D

Question No : 24 - (Topic 1)

What type of services are NOT directly used by the business but are required by the service provider to deliver customer facing services?

A. Business services