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Question 1 **True/False** **0 points**

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Question A project is a temporary endeavor undertaken to create a unique product, service or result.

Answer
 True
 False

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Question 2 **True/False** **0 points**

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Question A project is a lasting endeavor undertaken to maintain a reliable product or service.

Answer
 True
 False

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Question 3 **True/False** **0 points**

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Question Most projects are conducted with constraints on the amount of time and funding available to the project manager.

Answer
 True
 False

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Question 4 **True/False** **0 points**

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Question Project plans and goals usually become more specific as early work is completed.

Answer
 True
 False

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Question Projects consist of the ongoing work needed to ensure the organization continues to function effectively.

Answer
 True
 False

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Question Customers may need to sacrifice expectations related to cost or schedule in order to realize their expectations for scope or quality.

Answer
 True
 False

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Question An important factor used to determine the phases in a project life cycle are the control needs of the organization(s) involved in the project.

Answer
 True
 False

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Question Generally, project life cycle stages are designed so that the amount of money spent in each of the stages is nearly equivalent.

Answer
 True
 False

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Question Project customers can be either internal or external to the organization.

Answer
 True
 False

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Question Different project life cycle models are used for different types of projects.

Answer
 True
 False

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Question 11 **True/False** **0 points**

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Question All projects go through a common project life cycle that includes four stages: concept, development, production and close-out.

Answer

True
✓ False

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Question 12 **True/False**

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Question The name and number of phases in a project life cycle are determined by the organization(s) involved in the project.

Answer

✓ True
False

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Question 13 **True/False**

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Question Integration management represents the processes and activities needed to define, combine, unify and coordinate the various processes and project management activities.

Answer

✓ True
False

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Question 14 **True/False**

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Question Scope management generally entails defining, sequencing and estimating the duration of project activities.

Answer

True
✓ False

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Question 15 **True/False**

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Question Quality management generally entails risk identification, analysis and response planning.

Answer

True
✓ False

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Question 16 **True/False**

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Question Human Resource management is comprised of the processes that organize, manage and lead the project team.

Answer

✓ True
False

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Question 17 **True/False**

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Question Cost management processes are involved in estimating, budgeting and controlling costs so that the project can be completed within the approved budget.

Answer

✓ True
False

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Question 18 **True/False**

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Question The most critical measures of project success are completing the project on schedule and on budget.

Answer

True
✓ False

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Question 19 **True/False**

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Question Some projects are considered successful if they reap business benefits like increased profitability, even if completed late or over budget.

Answer

✓ True
False

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Question 20 **True/False**

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Question In reality, many projects are fully successful in some ways, but less successful in others.

Answer

✓ True
False

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Question 21 **True/False**

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Question The project manager is normally directly accountable for the project results, schedule and budget.

Answer

✓ True
False

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Question 22 **True/False**

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Question The project manager is typically the person or group that provides the financial resources, in cash or kind, for the project.

Answer

True
✓ False

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Question 23 **Multiple Choice**

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Question Which of the following examples is NOT a typical or appropriate situation to employ project management?

- Answer**
- improving an existing work process
 - installing a new computer system
 - ✓ conducting a routine, standard customer service operation
 - developing a new product

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Question 24 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

Question Which of the following examples is NOT a typical or appropriate situation to employ project management?

- Answer**
- improving a soldering process in an assembly line
 - ✓ processing deposits and withdrawals in a bank
 - installing a new accounting application on to a server
 - developing a new medical device for use by clinics

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Question 25 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

Question All of the following factors have influenced the increased reliance upon project management in recent years EXCEPT:

- Answer**
- rapid growth and changes in the information technology and telecommunications industries
 - realization that methods for large projects can be modified and used for small projects
 - increased international competition and its influence on consumer demands
 - ✓ the decreased demands of ongoing operational work

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Question 26 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

Question Projects often require tradeoffs among all of the following EXCEPT:

- Answer**
- scope (size)
 - cost
 - schedule
 - ✓ programs

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Question 27 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

Question Once projects are completed, they will typically yield all of the following results EXCEPT:

- Answer**
- a unique product, service or result
 - ✓ make or buy decisions
 - stakeholders whose interests are affected by the outcome
 - a primary deliverable along with supporting deliverables

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Question 28 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

Question Project management involves the development of project plans that:

- Answer**
- should never change once the project begins.
 - are frequently discarded once the actual work begins.
 - ✓ become more specific as early work is completed.
 - become less clear as the project progresses

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Question 29 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

Question Which of the following statements correctly describes project management?

- Answer** ✓
- Project management applies knowledge, skills, tools and techniques to project activities.
 - Project management should not involve tradeoffs between scope, schedule and cost.
 - Project management only relies upon checklists to plan and execute the work.
 - all of these

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Question 30 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

Question Which of the following statements regarding project life cycles is most accurate?

- Answer**
- All research and development organizations rely upon a four-stage project life cycle that includes initiating, planning, executing and closing.
 - The project life cycle is the same regardless of the type of projects managed by an organization.
 - ✓ The control needs of an organization determine the name and number of phases in the project life cycle that it adopts.
 - All project life cycles are the same across every industry

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Question 31 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

Question Scope management typically involves which of the following processes?

- Answer**
- acquiring, developing and managing the project team
 - ✓ ensuring that the project includes all the work required and only the work required, to complete the project successfully
 - collecting, disseminating and storing appropriate project information
 - identifying, analyzing and controlling project risks

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Question 32 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

Question When applied to project management, human resource management typically involves which of the following activities?

- Answer**
- determining the work necessary for project completion
 - estimating, budgeting and controlling project costs
 - identifying, analyzing and controlling project risks
 - ✓ organizing, managing and leading the project team

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Question 33 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

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Question Which of the nine knowledge areas defined in the Project Management Body of Knowledge includes the activities of generating, collecting, distributing, storing, retrieving and disposing of timely and appropriate project information?

- Answer**
- Scope management
 - Quality management
 - ✓ Communications management
 - Procurement management

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Question 34 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

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Question Which of the nine knowledge areas defined in the Project Management Body of Knowledge includes the activities of purchasing or acquiring products, services or results from outside the project team?

- Answer**
- Scope management
 - Quality management
 - Communications management
 - ✓ Procurement management

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Question 35 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

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Question Achieving project success is determined by all of the following EXCEPT:

- Answer**
- creating deliverables that include all required features
 - ✓ involving only important key stakeholders
 - completing the project on schedule and on budget
 - providing outputs that please the project's customers

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Question 36 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

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Question Projects are considered successful for all of the reasons below EXCEPT:..

- Answer**
- members of the team learn new skills working on the project.
 - the organization captures lessons learned for future projects.
 - ✓ the team has demonstrated heroics to meet project objectives
 - the organization reaps business level benefits.

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Question 37 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

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Question Which of the following actions will likely cause a project to fail?

- Answer**
- dedicating valuable team member time to identify risk events
 - spending project funding to procure needed tools and spare parts
 - ✓ failing to adequately plan the project
 - conducting a project audit to evaluate performance

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Question 38 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

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Question Project failure can result from all of the following causes EXCEPT:

- Answer** ✓
- support of senior management
 - changes in scope are not agreed upon by all parties involved.
 - too little time is allowed for project completion.
 - project expectations are unclear.

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Question 39 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

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Question Typically, the person or group that provides the financial resources, in cash or in kind for a project is the project...

- Answer**
- benefactor.
 - ✓ sponsor.
 - manager.
 - treasurer.

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Question 40 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

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Question Typically, a steering team or leadership team is responsible for all of the following project related roles EXCEPT:

- Answer**
- selecting, prioritizing and resourcing projects
 - ✓ providing rigid policies, procedures, standards and guidelines
 - ensuring accurate progress is reported and adjustments made
 - aligning projects with the organization's strategic plans

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Question 41 **Multiple Choice** **0 points**

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Question Which of the following roles is typically associated with the project manager?

- Answer** ✓
- the person assigned by the performing organization to achieve the project objectives
 - the person with management authority over a unit within a functional organization
 - the person responsible for project methods, standards and training
 - the person responsible for providing the financial resources for the project

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Question 42 **Multiple Choice**

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Question Typically, the senior customer representative is responsible for which of the following project roles?

- Answer**
- develops the project schedule and budget
 - determines how the project work will be accomplished
 - ✓ ensures the needs of the customer's organization are identified and prioritized
 - helps the project manager with running meetings and providing status reports

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Question 43 **Essay**

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Question Contrast project management with operations management. How do these differences impact the approach required to manage a project successfully?

Answer Answers will vary.

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Question 44 **Essay**

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Question Project managers frequently face competing constraints. Identify these common constraints and describe approaches that project managers can use to make the trade-offs required to succeed.

Answer Answers will vary.

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Question 45 **Essay**

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Question The Project Management Body of Knowledge published by the Project Management Institute identifies five process groups. Briefly identify and describe each of these five process groups.

Answer Answers will vary.

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Question 46 **Essay**

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Question Describe the relationship between portfolios, programs, projects and sub-projects.

Answer Answers will vary.

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Question 47 **Essay**

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Question The leadership of top management is often cited as a factor that is critical to project success. Describe the key project related activities of the steering team, chief projects officer and sponsor.

Answer Answers will vary.

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