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CORRECT ANSWERS ARE LOCATED IN THE 2ND HALF OF THIS DOC.
MULTIPLE CHOICE - Choose the one alternative that best completes the statement or answers the question.

- 1) At the beginning of the chapter, the stories of the three children are told to
 - A) highlight issues surrounding sibling conflicts.
 - B) show how food insecurities impact children across the world.
 - C) emphasize how children's cultures may impact their development.
 - D) demonstrate how different parenting styles may impact children's personalities.

- 2) The behavior, patterns, beliefs, and all other products of a particular group of people that are passed on from generation to generation defines
 - A) race.
 - B) ethnicity.
 - C) culture.
 - D) origins.

- 3) Culture is manifested in parents'
 - A) beliefs.
 - B) values.
 - C) goals for their children.
 - D) All answer choices are correct.

- 4) What is the term used in the text to describe a study that compares a culture with one or more other cultures, provides information about other cultures, and examines the role of culture in children's development?
 - A) ethnicity digging
 - B) cross-cultural studies
 - C) egotistical analysis
 - D) transnational culturism

- 5) Laura is conducting research comparing the manners of American children with those of Peruvian children. This is an example of a _____ study.
 - A) cross-sectional
 - B) longitudinal
 - C) cross-cultural
 - D) cross-national

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- 6) A comparison of a culture with one or more other cultures that provides information about the degree to which children's development is similar, or universal, across cultures and the degree to which it is culture-specific is an example of a _____ study.
- A) case
 - B) cross-sectional
 - C) cross-cultural
 - D) longitudinal
- 7) To determine whether Piaget's stages are universal, Brad and Greg conduct a research project in which 20 children in the United States and 20 children in Ireland complete several conservation tasks. They are conducting a _____ study.
- A) longitudinal
 - B) cross-sectional
 - C) cross-cultural
 - D) case
- 8) What best describes the U.S. culture?
- A) authority-oriented
 - B) family-centered
 - C) individualistic-oriented
 - D) fashion-oriented
- 9) According to Oyserman (2017) and Hofstede Insights (2021), giving priority to personal goals rather than to group goals is called
- A) independence.
 - B) individualism.
 - C) collectivism.
 - D) interdependence.
- 10) Giving priority to personal goals rather than to group goals, with an emphasis on values that serve the self, defines
- A) pluralism.
 - B) assimilation.
 - C) individualism.
 - D) collectivism.

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- 11) Among the nations described as individualistic is
- A) China.
 - B) Japan.
 - C) India.
 - D) the United States.
- 12) Which of the following nations is NOT considered individualistic?
- A) United States
 - B) Canada
 - C) Great Britain
 - D) India
- 13) Which of the following cultures is said to be individualistic?
- A) India
 - B) Japan
 - C) Great Britain
 - D) Thailand
- 14) A person from which country would most likely emphasize the individual over the group?
- A) Mexico
 - B) Japan
 - C) the United States
 - D) India
- 15) Which is a nation described as collectivistic?
- A) India
 - B) Canada
 - C) Great Britain
 - D) the Netherlands
- 16) Collectivism emphasizes values that serve the group by subordinating personal goals to
- A) preserve group integrity.
 - B) promote the interdependence of members.
 - C) foster harmonious relationships.
 - D) All answer choices are correct.

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- 17) Which culture is said to be collectivistic?
- A) China
 - B) United States
 - C) Great Britain
 - D) the Netherlands
- 18) Which is(are) included in the values reflecting the beliefs of parents in collectivistic cultures?
- A) connectedness to family and friends
 - B) orientation to a larger group
 - C) respect and obedience
 - D) All answer choices are correct.
- 19) Most of a person's friends have college degrees, wait tables for a living, and make around \$25,000 a year. This suggests that the person's friends are of similar
- A) socioeconomic status.
 - B) moral values.
 - C) ethnicity.
 - D) cultural backgrounds.
- 20) Which of the following terms is NOT used to describe the middle class?
- A) middle-income
 - B) managerial
 - C) working class
 - D) white-collar
- 21) Most research on SES delineates two categories:
- A) lower and middle class.
 - B) middle and upper class.
 - C) upper and wealthy class.
 - D) lower and wealthy class.

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- 22) In America and most other Western cultures, what difference in child rearing is seen among families of different socioeconomic statuses?
- A) Lower-SES parents place a high value on conformity to society, whereas higher-SES parents place a high value on internal characteristics.
 - B) Lower-SES parents place a high value on internal characteristics, whereas higher-SES parents place a high value on external characteristics.
 - C) Lower-SES parents use authoritative parenting, whereas higher-SES use permissive parenting.
 - D) Lower-SES parents use permissive parenting, whereas higher-SES parents use authoritarian parenting.
- 23) Reginald comes from a lower-SES family. Based on this information, Reginald's parents are most likely to discipline using
- A) verbal punishment.
 - B) authoritarian parenting style.
 - C) reasoning and physical punishment.
 - D) physical punishment only.
- 24) Like their parents, children from low-SES backgrounds are more likely to experience
- A) mental health problems.
 - B) improvements in self-esteem. TBEXAM.COM
 - C) less juvenile delinquency than children from high-SES families.
 - D) high self-confidence.
- 25) Which of the following does NOT fit in with children growing up in poverty?
- A) physical punishment
 - B) lack of home structure
 - C) nonviolent settings
 - D) domestic violence in their buildings
- 26) Some children are _____ and cope with the challenges of poverty without any major setbacks, but too many struggle unsuccessfully.
- A) resilient
 - B) aggressive
 - C) juvenile delinquents
 - D) None of the answer choices are correct.

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- 27) In 2021, according the Children's Defense Fund, nearly _____ of children and adolescents were living in families below the poverty line.
- A) 7 percent
 - B) 14 percent
 - C) 20 percent
 - D) 33 percent
- 28) In 2021, according the Children's Defense Fund, nearly _____ of Black children and adolescents were living in families below the poverty line.
- A) 82 percent
 - B) 50 percent
 - C) 25 percent
 - D) 15 percent
- 29) In which of the following ways does the immigrant paradox model differ from the immigrant risk model?
- A) It takes a more nuanced and optimistic view of the resiliency of immigrant children.
 - B) It concludes that immigrant children are at higher risk for problems than native children.
 - C) It estimates a lower rate of immigration.
 - D) It considers a broader range of social dangers that may result from a large influx of immigration.
- 30) According to research, children in poor families experience
- A) less risk than their middle-income counterparts.
 - B) greater risks than their middle-income counterparts.
 - C) no difference in the risks they face, as compared with their middle-income counterparts.
 - D) immeasurable risk.
- 31) A divorced mother is struggling to make ends meet. From her perspective, two things that would really improve her life would be a higher-paying job and consistent child-support payments from her ex-spouse. The mother's experience reflects
- A) the rites of passage.
 - B) acculturation.
 - C) the high percentage of single mothers in poverty.
 - D) maternalization.

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- 32) Which of the following is true of current conditions for single parents in poverty?
- A) Far more single fathers than mothers live in poverty.
 - B) Far more single mothers than fathers live in poverty.
 - C) Men tend to handle poverty better than women.
 - D) Women tend to handle poverty better than men.
- 33) Research shows that children raised in poverty experience widespread environmental inequities, as seen in
- A) family turmoil.
 - B) dangerous neighborhoods.
 - C) less social support.
 - D) All answer choices are correct.
- 34) What are goals of two-generation anti-poverty programs?
- A) bridging generational divides by increasing dialogue about culture and traditions between parents and children
 - B) improving children's lives by providing services and aid to both parents and children
 - C) providing aid to low-SES children, and then helping those same children once they become parents
 - D) conducting cohort studies that assess the effects of poverty on multiple generations simultaneously
- 35) As assessment of the New Hope Project found that African American male participants, aged 9 to 19, were
- A) more optimistic about job and career possibilities.
 - B) more optimistic about marriage.
 - C) more fearful of job opportunities.
 - D) more accepting of divorce.
- 36) A mentoring program called Quantum Opportunities was put in place for students in high school and funded by what corporation?
- A) Heinz
 - B) Folger
 - C) Ford
 - D) Microsoft

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- 37) Ethnicity is based on all of the following, EXCEPT
- A) race.
 - B) religion.
 - C) gender.
 - D) language.
- 38) Relatively high rates of minority_____ are contributing to the growth in the proportion of ethnic minority adolescents and young adults in the U.S. population.
- A) emigration
 - B) immigration
 - C) acculturation
 - D) assimilation
- 39) The fastest-growing group of adolescent immigrants are_____ Americans.
- A) Latino
 - B) African
 - C) European
 - D) Asian
- 40) A child who has immigrated to the United States and is fluent in the English language is likely to become the cultural_____ for this non-English speaking family.
- A) speaker
 - B) broker
 - C) mediator
 - D) aid
- 41) In the United States, previous findings on the effects of ethnic minority status are being challenged because
- A) numerous researchers have been identified as being racists.
 - B) past research often failed to consider the fact that ethnicity and SES are confounding.
 - C) new culture-free intelligence tests have been developed.
 - D) most previous research on ethnicity utilized Native Americans as subjects, and today this group is one of the smaller ethnic minority groups.
- 42) Of the following, the person most likely to experience the double disadvantage is the one who is
- A) poor and experiencing racial discrimination.
 - B) poor and a female.
 - C) elderly and poor.
 - D) experiencing racial discrimination and prejudice.

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- 43) How is perspective taking related to ethnicity?
- A) Perspective taking is positively correlated with increased prejudice.
 - B) The stronger a person's ethnicity, the greater his or her ability to take another individual's perspective.
 - C) Members of ethnic minority groups capable of perspective taking typically deny their own ethnicity.
 - D) Individuals capable of taking the perspective of a person from a different ethnic group are more likely to be able to demonstrate empathy for that group.
- 44) An Asian American can be a person whose family originates from which country?
- A) Japan
 - B) Korea
 - C) the Philippines
 - D) All answer choices are correct.
- 45) Which of the following is true of Latinos in the United States?
- A) Their families have been most resistant to adopting a bicultural identity.
 - B) Latino youth have shown the most dramatic reductions in dropout rates over the past two decades.
 - C) Divorce rates for Latino families are much higher than for non-Latino White families of similar socioeconomic status.
 - D) Latino families have largely turned away from U.S. systems of education.
- 46) An unjustified negative attitude toward an individual because of this individual's membership in a group is called
- A) bias.
 - B) prejudice.
 - C) stereotype.
 - D) discrimination.
- 47) When a person has an unjustified negative attitude toward another person due to that person's Roman Catholic beliefs, this is considered an illustration of
- A) ethnic gloss.
 - B) prejudice.
 - C) assimilation.
 - D) acculturation.

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- 48) Which of the following involves an unjustified negative attitude toward an individual because of the individual's membership in a group?
- A) discrimination
 - B) prejudice
 - C) acculturation
 - D) stereotyping
- 49) Which concept does NOT belong?
- A) prejudice
 - B) assimilation
 - C) negative bias
 - D) discrimination
- 50) Before meeting someone, you hear a friend say "I already know that I am going to dislike that person because of the person's religious beliefs." Your friend's statement illustrates
- A) ethnicity.
 - B) marginalization.
 - C) socioeconomic status.
 - D) prejudice.
- 51) Max says to a coworker, "Lois is a woman, so there's no way she will be as good a welder as I am." This is an example of
- A) diversity.
 - B) ethnicity.
 - C) racism.
 - D) prejudice.
- 52) What are the two official languages of Canada?
- A) English and Spanish
 - B) English and French
 - C) German and French
 - D) Spanish and French
- 53) According to research, Black American and Latino adolescents who encountered more discrimination also experienced
- A) decreases in negative affect.
 - B) decreases in family cohesion.
 - C) increases in violent behavior.
 - D) increases in depressive symptoms.

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- 54) A teen is simultaneously watching television, text messaging, and listening to music. This activity is called
- A) multitexting.
 - B) multimessaging.
 - C) multitasking.
 - D) multimedia.
- 55) According to the text, how many hours of television has the average American adolescent watched by the time they graduate from high school?
- A) 1,000
 - B) 5,000
 - C) 10,000
 - D) 20,000
- 56) Which is NOT a positive influence of television on children's development?
- A) motivating educational programming
 - B) increasing information about the world that is beyond the immediate environment
 - C) models of prosocial behavior
 - D) presenting unrealistic views of the world
- 57) According to a literature review, which of the following is said to be impacted negatively as a result of from extensive screen viewing?
- A) impulse control
 - B) interpersonal relations
 - C) sleep and wake-time habits
 - D) concentration
- 58) In a research study, one group of children watched violent cartoons on television while another group did not, and their interactions on the playground were observed. What would you expect from the children who watched more violence?
- A) There was no difference between the two groups.
 - B) The children who did not watch the violent cartoons did not show aggressive behaviors.
 - C) The children who watched the violent cartoons did not show aggressive behaviors.
 - D) The children who watched the violent cartoons showed aggressive behaviors.

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- 59) What was a key conclusion of Emory University English Professor Mark Bauerlein's book about the interaction of technology and youth?
- A) that technology has helped youth gain access to modes of thought not readily available before
 - B) that the prevalence of violence across all forms of media is bound to produce similar behaviors as today's youth grow up
 - C) that immersion in technology has caused youth to prioritize information retrieval over information formation
 - D) that instead of bringing people closer together, technology and media have enhanced awareness of differences
- 60) What has research demonstrated about the relationship between television viewing and creativity?
- A) The children who became extremely creative had often watched creativity on television.
 - B) Television is negatively related to children's creativity.
 - C) No relationship was found between creativity and volume of television viewing.
 - D) None of the answer choices are correct.
- 61) Enhanced creativity in high school has been identified in those who as preschoolers watched certain television shows, such as TBEXAM.COM
- A) *Two and a Half Men*.
 - B) *Sesame Street*.
 - C) *Happy Days*.
 - D) None of the answer choices are correct.
- 62) What has been the biggest marker of the change that is inherent to culture?
- A) demographic shifts
 - B) the technological revolution
 - C) decline in civility
 - D) greater levels of prejudice
- 63) Which of the following was shown to be a result by Dutch researchers looking at elementary and middle-school students who played friendly and competitive but nonviolent video games?
- A) lower capacity for concentration
 - B) more prosocial behavior
 - C) a more competitive nature
 - D) greater tendency toward introversion

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- 64) At what age are children able to begin learning from electronic media, if said media uses effective strategies?
- A) infancy
 - B) 2 years of age
 - C) 3 years of age
 - D) 5 years of age
- 65) A frequent component of adolescent communication is
- A) photosharing.
 - B) email.
 - C) social media.
 - D) All answer choices are correct.
- 66) What is meant by *displacement* as a possible reason for lower school achievement by children who spend time watching screens?
- A) Having a television on while doing homework can distract children.
 - B) Time spent on screens takes away from time that could be spent on achievement-related tasks.
 - C) Television tends to attract children to entertainment, sports, commercials, and other activities that capture their interest more than school achievement.
 - D) Children's own attitudes are displaced by the ones presented as exciting or engaging among fictional characters.
- 67) A term used to define bullying over the Internet is
- A) photoshopping.
 - B) cyberbullying.
 - C) intermeanism.
 - D) mediattacking.
- 68) Which of the following is a positive impact the Internet has had on children recently?
- A) During the COVID-19 pandemic, it allowed for continuation of learning and interaction with schools through online classes.
 - B) Children who spend more time on the Internet are typically better socializers later in life.
 - C) Adolescents who spend more time on the Internet find inspiration by watching sports and, thus, engage in greater levels of physical activity versus adolescents who spend less time on the Internet.
 - D) Lower levels of depression in teens is linked to higher levels of daily Internet usage.

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69) According to a survey noted in the text, what percentage of children living in poverty were exposed to violence?

- A) 36 percent
- B) 48 percent
- C) 60 percent
- D) 73 percent

SHORT ANSWER. Write the word or phrase that best completes each statement or answers the question.

70) When looking at SES, what are some particular challenges that researchers have identified as being linked to a high socioeconomic status?

71) As researchers have conducted cross-cultural investigations in recent years, the most elaborate search for traits has focused on the dichotomy between individualism and collectivism. Explain this dichotomy and how it impacts the cultures within the United States.

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72) In the textbook's discussion of individualistic and collectivist cultures, it was found that members of an individualistic culture have higher rates of certain phenomena. Identify four of them.

73) Identify four different areas included in the definition of socioeconomic status.

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74) Research has found that parents and children of lower-SES backgrounds are at high risk for what problems?

75) The research project called New Hope was formed to increase employment and reduce family poverty. What outcomes for the participants were later seen?

76) *Ethnicity* refers to several different characteristics. Please list four of these.

77) Immigrants experience special stressors. According to research, what are these stressors?

78) Define the term *prejudice* and provide one example.

79) List five positives and five negatives of technology in children and adolescent development today.

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80) What behavior or mental state would you be more likely to see from a boy who watches many hours of violent television shows than from one who does not?

81) Describe some of the special concerns that have emerged regarding children's and adolescents' use of the Internet and Internet-related technologies.

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Answer Key

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- 1) C
- 2) C
- 3) D
- 4) B
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- 18) D
- 19) A
- 20) C
- 21) A
- 22) A
- 23) B
- 24) A
- 25) C
- 26) A
- 27) B
- 28) C
- 29) A
- 30) B
- 31) C
- 32) B
- 33) D
- 34) B
- 35) A
- 36) C
- 37) C

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38) B

39) D

40) B

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42) A

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59) C

60) B

61) B

62) B

63) B

64) C

65) D

66) B

67) B

68) A

69) D

70) Short Answer

Adolescents from wealthy families are vulnerable to high rates of drug abuse. Adjustment difficulties can also be common, especially for boys. Some higher rates of delinquency, anxiety, and depression were linked to adolescents in wealthy neighborhoods.

71) Short Answer

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In cross-cultural research, the search for basic traits has focused on the dichotomy between individualism and collectivism. Individualism involves giving priority to personal goals rather than to group goals. It emphasizes values that serve the self, such as feeling good, personal distinction, and achievement. Collectivism emphasizes values that serve the group by subordinating personal goals to preserve group integrity.

72) Short Answer

suicide, drug abuse, crime, teenage pregnancy, divorce, child abuse, and mental disorders

73) Short Answer

- 1) status of occupation
- 2) level of education
- 3) economic resources
- 4) level of power

74) Short Answer

depression, low self-confidence, peer conflict, and juvenile delinquency

75) Short Answer

improved reading, school performance, social skills, better psychological well-being, and self-efficacy

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76) Short Answer

- 1) nationality
- 2) race
- 3) religion
- 4) language

77) Short Answer

language barriers, separation from social support networks, changes in SES, struggles to preserve ethnic identity, and adaption to the majority culture

78) Short Answer

Prejudice is an unjustified negative attitude toward an individual because of his or her group membership. Students' examples will vary.

79) Short Answer

Students' answers will vary.

80) Short Answer

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Research has shown that children and adolescents who watch large amounts of violent media are more likely to see the world as a dangerous place and to view aggression as more acceptable than their counterparts who see media violence less frequently.

81) Short Answer

Youth can access adult sexual material, instructions for making bombs and weapons, and other information that is inappropriate for them. Another concern is peer bullying and harassment on the Internet. There is also some concern that the advent of smartphones and the Internet has created too many opportunities for “cyber-slacking”—such as multitasking with entertainment and communications while taking notes or studying.

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