



GROUP – D

Answer **any 2** questions. **Each** questions carry a weightage of **4**. Answers not to exceed **500** words :

29. Critically evaluate Kant's ethical theory.
 30. Elaborate the principles of Utilitarianism of J. S. Mill.
 31. Give an account of Bentham's quantitative dimensions of pleasure.
 32. Examine the significance of study of Ethics in the contemporary society.
- (2×4=8 Weightage)



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GROUP – A

Choose the correct answer. A bunch of **4** questions carries a weightage of **1** :

1. The term ethics comes from *ethos* which means _____.
 a) Customs b) Thoughts c) Emotions d) Desires
2. That which moves one to act in a particular way is referred as _____.
 a) Desire b) Wish c) Will d) Motive
3. _____ is the settled habit of will.
 a) Conduct b) Character c) Wish d) Motive
4. The term right comes from the Latin *rectus* which means _____.
 a) According to the rule b) Secret
 c) Open d) According to instinct
5. _____ morality is largely based on rational thinking.
 a) Judicial b) Reflective c) Customary d) Logical
6. According to _____ rightness and wrongness are inherent qualities of action.
 a) Hedonism b) Utilitarianism
 c) Rationalism d) Intuitionism



7. _____ regarded conscience as the highest principle in human nature.
a) Mill b) Kant c) Bentham d) Butler
8. According to _____ pleasure is the standard of morality.
a) Spiritualism b) Formalism
c) Materialism d) Hedonism
9. 'The greatest happiness of the greatest number' is the fundamental principle of _____
a) Utilitarianism b) Egoism
c) Intuitionism d) Formalism
10. Ethical ideas of Kant is seen in his critique of _____
a) Judgement b) Pure reason
c) Practical reason d) Thinking
11. Which one of the following is the concept of Kant ?
a) Conscience b) Pleasure
c) Hypothetical imperative d) Categorical imperative
12. *Eudemonia* is a Greek word for _____
a) Deism b) Wish c) Happiness d) Will
13. Aesthetics is to beauty as Ethics is to _____
a) Reason b) Instinct c) Custom d) Conduct
14. Find the odd one out.
a) Socrates b) Kant c) Aristotle d) Plato
15. Which one of the following thinkers is associated with the Utilitarianism ?
a) Bentham b) Hegel c) Kant d) Plato
16. According to T. H. Green, the characteristic part of human nature is _____ principle.
a) Material b) Value
c) Virtue d) Spiritual

(1/4×16=4 Weightage)

GROUP – B

Answer **any 4** questions. **Each** questions carry a weightage of **1**. Answers not to exceed **20** words :

Write short notes :

17. Normative science.
18. Willed action.
19. Character and conduct.
20. Conscience.
21. Categorical imperative.
22. Eudaemonia.

(4×1=4 Weightage)

GROUP – C

Answer **any four** questions. **Each** questions carry a weightage of **2**. Answers not to exceed **100** words :

23. Discuss the subject matter of Ethics.
24. Examine the features of instinctive level of morality.
25. Write a short account on Bishop Butler's account of moral theory.
26. Distinguish between Psychological hedonism and Ethical hedonism.
27. Examine the features of F. H. Bradley theory of Ethics.
28. Evaluate T. H. Green's contribution to Ethical theory.

(4×2=8 Weightage)