

CSS Political Science Topic 1 Western Political Thought

Sr	Questions	Answers Choice
1	Bourdieu's best know book is	<p>A. Distinction : A Social Critique of the Judgment of Taste</p> <p>B. Homo Academicus</p> <p>C. Essays toward a Reflective Sociology</p> <p>D. None of these</p>
2	What all existentialists have in common, according to Sartre, is the view that	<p>A. God does not exist, and so everything is permitted</p> <p>B. All humans share a common nature</p> <p>C. existence precedes essence</p> <p>D. essence precedes existence</p>
3	According to Marx, which one of the following is the principle of distribution in the socialist State?	<p>A. From each according to his ability to each according to his needs</p> <p>B. From each according to his ability to each according to his work</p> <p>C. That property should be equally distributed among all</p> <p>D. That merit alone should be the basis of distribution</p>
4	Who among the following described democracy as the 'tyranny of the majority'?	<p>A. J.Rousseau</p> <p>B. De Tocqueville</p> <p>C. John Dunning</p> <p>D. James Madison</p>
5	An individual who believes that humans and animals are fundamentally different would most likely agree with the viewpoint of	<p>A. Clark Hull</p> <p>B. Ivan Pavlov</p> <p>C. Rene Descartes</p> <p>D. B. F. Skinner</p>
6	Kant's political thought can be summarized as republican government and	<p>A. International Community</p> <p>B. International organization</p> <p>C. Globalization</p> <p>D. None of these</p>
7	Kierkegaard opposed himself to:	<p>A. the Lutheran Church</p> <p>B. Hegelian philosophers</p> <p>C. middle-class society</p> <p>D. Both of A and B</p> <p>E. All of these</p>
8	" A thinking man is depraved animal." This veiw of man was propounded by	<p>A. Hobbes</p> <p>B. Herder</p> <p>C. Vico</p> <p>D. Rousseau</p>
9	In Kant's essay "Answering the Question: What is Enlightenment as an age shaped by the Latin motto	<p>A. Ab antiquo</p> <p>B. Salva veritate</p> <p>C. Sapere aude</p> <p>D. None of these</p>
10	Derrida calls 'preference for presence over absence ' as	<p>A. Illusion</p> <p>B. Prejudice</p> <p>C. Metaphysics of presence</p> <p>D. First principle</p>
11	Mao Zedong ruled as an autocrat styled the Chairman of the Communist Party of China from its establishment in 1949, until his death in	<p>A. 1974</p> <p>B. 1975</p> <p>C. 1976</p> <p>D. None of these</p>
12	In January 1958, Mao launched the second Five-Year Plan, known as the	<p>A. Guideline</p> <p>B. Socialist market economy</p> <p>C. Great Leap Forward</p> <p>D. None of these</p>
13	According to Sartre, the existentialist finds the fact that God does not exist	<p>A. Liberating</p> <p>B. Clarifying</p> <p>C. Very distressing</p> <p>D. Unimportant</p>
		<p>A. America at the Crossroads</p>

14	Samuel P. Huntington wrote a 1993 essay, "The Clash of Civilizations", in direct response to	B. I he End of History C. The Origins of Political Order D. Political Order and Political Decay
15	Who among the following used the expression with the notion of liberty of the individual?	A. Rousseau B. Locke C. Green D. Hobhouse
16	Modern Political thought begins with	A. Machiavelli B. Montesquieu C. Mill D. None of these
17	"A person is both a physical being and a spiritual being." The person whose philosophical assumptions are most in agreement with this statement is	A. Aristotle B. Locke C. Descartes D. Skinner
18	What would Jacques Derrida say about the essential meaning of a text?	A. It means whatever the author intended for it to mean B. It means whatever the reader understands it to mean C. It means whatever the majority of experts take it to mean D. A trick question, since he rejects the whole notion of essential meaning
19	Which one of the following is the correct sequence in the political philosophy of John Locke?	A. State of nature- Civil society- Natural rights_ contract B. Natural rights - contract- state of nature- civil society C. State of nature- Contract- Civil society- Nature rights D. Natural rights - State of nature- contract - Civil society
20	What symbolic role does the executioner perform?	A. The King's champion B. The servant of God C. The link between power and knowledge D. The embodiment of discipline