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1. What percentage of legal adoptions are by relatives, usually stepparents or grandparents?
 - A. 20
 - B. 50
 - C. 60
 - D. 70

2. A child with high self-esteem would
 - A. accept decisions of parents and teachers without challenge.
 - B. usually disregard the feelings of others.
 - C. volunteer to help someone else.
 - D. try hard to please everyone.

3. Research has provided considerable evidence that children do better when raised in families with two biological parents or two parents who adopted the child in infancy. This type of family is a _____ family.
 - A. nontraditional
 - B. traditional
 - C. blended
 - D. reconstituted

4. Angela thinks it is important to be pretty and smart, and knows that she is both. She also values her popularity at the high school. However, Angela's self-esteem is likely to suffer if
 - A. her physical appearance begins to change.
 - B. she has trouble in any of her classes.
 - C. she does not feel valued by the important people in her life.
 - D. she has trouble in athletics.

5. During the school years children may choose a friend because they
 - A. like what toys the other child has.
 - B. feel comfortable with the other child.
 - C. feel more popular than the other child.
 - D. can manipulate the other child.

6. Mary Beth, age 10, finds excuses not to sleep overnight at her friends' homes and shows no interest in going back to camp this summer. When she went on a weekend trip with her school chorus, she became nauseated and had to come home. This sort of thing has been going on for several weeks, ever since her pet cat died.
Mary Beth
 - A. may be suffering from separation anxiety disorder.
 - B. is regressing to infantile separation anxiety.
 - C. is probably just feeling sorry for herself and should not be indulged.
 - D. is almost certain to "get over it" within a month or so.

7. Teachers can significantly prevent or reduce bullying by doing which of the following?
 - A. providing better supervision and monitoring at recess and lunch time
 - B. ignoring bullying when it occurs
 - C. not giving in to the attention-seeking bullying behaviors
 - D. physically punishing the bullies

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8. A child caring for him- or herself at home without adult supervision is engaged in
- A. self-control.
 - B. self-care.
 - C. self-esteem.
 - D. self-discipline.
9. Global self-worth means essentially the same thing as
- A. self-awareness.
 - B. self-recognition.
 - C. self-esteem.
 - D. self-consciousness.
10. Resilient children are most likely to be all of the following EXCEPT
- A. a good student.
 - B. close to at least one adult, who may not necessarily be a parent.
 - C. attending an effective school.
 - D. experiencing a challenging situation or frustrating problem for the first time.
11. A child with low self-esteem would
- A. accept criticism.
 - B. challenge people in authority.
 - C. cope with obstacles.
 - D. worry about doing the right thing.
12. According to your text, the subject of a majority of children's poetry was their
- A. parents.
 - B. brothers.
 - C. sisters.
 - D. animals.
13. Children become more empathetic and more inclined to prosocial behavior during the period of
- A. young childhood.
 - B. middle childhood.
 - C. early adolescence.
 - D. later adolescence.
14. Jeremy is picked on and bullied by his classmates on a daily basis. Jeremy probably demonstrates the characteristic of
- A. defenselessness.
 - B. popularity.
 - C. uncontrolled aggression.
 - D. high self-esteem.
15. Which of the following is NOT a type of nontraditional family structure referred to in the textbook?
- A. two-parent families
 - B. single-parent families
 - C. gay and lesbian families
 - D. grandparent-headed families

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16. Katherine cries a great deal, is often tired, seems unable to concentrate or have fun, has no friends, and is doing poorly in school. She probably has
- A. separation anxiety disorder.
 - B. school phobia.
 - C. childhood depression.
 - D. acting-out disorder.
17. Brad knows that he sometimes loses his temper and gets angry at his friends. What aspect of self-definition is he developing?
- A. an ideal self
 - B. a real self
 - C. self-regulation
 - D. self-awareness
18. A strong predictor of later adjustment is _____ during middle childhood.
- A. intelligence
 - B. having a two-parent family
 - C. being well liked by peers
 - D. good grades in school
19. The long-term influence of televised violence is greatest in
- A. early childhood.
 - B. middle childhood.
 - C. early adolescence.
 - D. later adolescence.
20. Negative attitudes toward certain groups are referred to as
- A. prejudice.
 - B. discrimination.
 - C. segregation.
 - D. hatred.
21. Which of the following terms does Elkind use to describe a child who is expected to grow up too soon?
- A. accelerated
 - B. hurried
 - C. resilient
 - D. maltreated
22. The major contributor to self-esteem is
- A. self-denial.
 - B. social support from parents, peers, and teachers.
 - C. coordination of personal and social demands.
 - D. physical appearance.
23. Children living in persistent poverty have demonstrated in research that they
- A. have low self-esteem.
 - B. do not get along well with peers.
 - C. have behavior problems.
 - D. achieve well in school.

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24. Compared to children of divorced parents who have distant relationships with their nonresident fathers, those who are close to their fathers, and whose fathers use an authoritative parenting style, show which of the following?
- A. better academic performance
 - B. more behavior problems
 - C. fathers who avoid involvement in school activities
 - D. more fear about the future
25. Nick has recently married a divorced woman with a 9-year-old son. What should Nick do to increase his chances of being accepted by his stepson?
- A. make friends with the boy slowly
 - B. assume a parental role as quickly as possible
 - C. buy the boy many expensive toys
 - D. remain distant and wait for the boy to approach him first
26. Which of the following is NOT a tradition of African American extended families?
- A. living with or near family members
 - B. frequent contact with relatives
 - C. strong sense of family obligation
 - D. strong male figure in the home
27. Monica, who is 8, describes herself as very good at math and science, but average in reading and art. She also says that she is good at basketball but a terrible baseball player. According to the neo-Piagetian view of self-concept development, Monica is using
- A. identification processes.
 - B. representational systems.
 - C. centration schemes.
 - D. scaffolding.
28. The most important protective factor, which seems to help children overcome stress and be resilient, is good
- A. family relationships.
 - B. cognitive functioning.
 - C. neither of these.
 - D. both of these.
29. In recent years, the use of drug therapy to treat children has _____ in the United States.
- A. been legalized
 - B. greatly increased
 - C. diminished
 - D. largely been eliminated because of concern about abuse
30. Studies of school achievement of children from single-parent homes
- A. have produced mixed findings.
 - B. seem to indicate that these children are at some risk of having problems in school.
 - C. suggest that family income may be more critical than the number of parents at home.
 - D. all of these.

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1. (p. 364) C
2. (p. 359) C
3. (p. 364) B
4. (p. 358) C
5. (p. 374) B
6. (p. 382) A
7. (p. 380) A
8. (p. 362) B
9. (p. 358) C
10. (p. 396) D
11. (p. 359) D
12. (p. 370) D
13. (p. 359) B
14. (p. 379 - 380) A
15. (p. 363) A
16. (p. 383) C
17. (p. 357) B
18. (p. 373) C
19. (p. 379) B
20. (p. 372) A
21. (p. 384) B
22. (p. 358) B
23. (p. 362) D
24. (p. 366) A
25. (p. 369) A
26. (p. 360) D
27. (p. 357 - 358) B
28. (p. 386) D
29. (p. 384) B
30. (p. 369) D