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## GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

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Subject Code:3150004

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Subject Name:Contributor Personality Development Program

Time:02:30 PM TO 05:00 PM

Total Marks: 70

Instructions:

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.
5. There are 29 questions (in 4 sections) in this question paper.

### Section A

*Instructions: This section has a scenario. Read carefully before answering the subsequent questions. There are 4 questions in this section. All questions are compulsory. Each question has 3 or 2 options. Choose ONLY ONE option which you consider the most appropriate and mark it on the answer sheet given to you.*

**Marks: 10**

Anand Kumar, a highly capable Mathematician, started his own coaching institute, Ramanujan School of Mathematics. In 2003, he started “Super 30” to provide free coaching to 30 talented students from underprivileged background to get admission to the Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs), India’s premier educational institutions. Out of 510 students, 422 students made it to the IITs by 2018.

Source: <https://madfamouspeople.com/> (date unknown)

1. Which career pathway did Anand Kumar choose?
  - a] Changemaker
  - b] Entrepreneur
  - c] Researcher & Knowledge Builder
2. If you are one of the students selected in “Super 30”, what thinking will be the most beneficial in helping you get admission into a premier educational institution?
  - a] If I try to understand the subjects under the guidance of our mentor, I have a high chance of getting admission.
  - b] I have to work systematically and consistently throughout the year to get admission.
  - c] If I sincerely follow the strict schedule prepared for us here, my place will be guaranteed.
3. Which of these two would you agree with the most?
  - a] It is most satisfying as a teacher when your students are able to master the subject you teach.
  - b] It is most satisfying as a teacher when your students get admission in premier colleges.

4. If you did not get admission to the IITs even after being a part of such kind of training, what would you think?
- a] I need to be strong enough to accept what is not in my control. I will try harder next year.
  - b] With the competition increasing each year, there is never any guarantee of admission, whether you are a topper or a Super 30 batch member.

### Section B

*Instructions: There are 10 questions in this section. All questions are compulsory. Each question has 2 statements. Select ONLY ONE statement that you feel is closest to your thinking and mark it on the answer sheet given to you.*

**Marks: 20**

5. Which of the following students is focused on the roots of success?
- a] Patty: "I am satisfied that this semester I scored higher marks in the examinations as compared to the previous semester."
  - b] Sweety: "During this semester, I found out a way to study my subjects efficiently and in a disciplined way, which was not the case in my previous semester."
6. Which of them is demonstrating a growth identity?
- a] Della: "As a freelance journalist, I am willing to write articles on any area even though I may not have any knowledge of it."
  - b] Ana: "I am a sweeper. I work in a building complex. I was asked to also water the plants in the complex. They should hire a gardener for it rather than ask me."
7. A contributor friend is one who —
- a] Makes himself/ herself available for friends when they need support.
  - b] Remembers their friend's birthday and wishes him on time.
8. Identify the 'creator' response -
- a] A student: I have been irresponsible and failed some exams. I must now clear these backlogs and complete my course.
  - b] An IT professional: I lost my job due to recession. The best thing for me now would be to wait, because there are no jobs available in my field.
9. Sarko wants to become a climate change expert. Which pathway is open to her to realize her aspirations?
- a] She can develop as a Professional Achiever only.
  - b] She can develop on any of the career pathways.
10. Which of these taxi drivers has the widest understanding of their role?
- a] "I take passengers who pay me to take them to their destination."
  - b] "I ensure that passengers who ride with me reach their destination on time, and safely."
11. You are interested in a job for which you don't have the relevant qualifications. You think —
- a] I should apply for it. What if they recognize how capable I can be?

- b] I should apply for it. What if I get lucky?
12. Identify the Contributors —
- Ram, a ward boy, who spreads the word about good sanitation habits to people in his community.
  - Gonsalves, an honest government official who works sincerely during his 8-hour shift.
13. Identify the fruit that the leader has gained —
- The leader is recognized for her efforts in pulling out the company from economic crisis.
  - The leader builds a dedicated team of employees who support her in the time of the crisis.
14. Opportunities to contribute are open even to those who don't have clear career plans —
- True, we can contribute in any role, not only in our career/ work roles.
  - False, unless we get a job, it is not possible to contribute.

### Section C

*Instructions: This section has 5 questions. All questions are compulsory. Each question has 4 statements. Rank the statements in order of **most Contributive to least Contributive**. Choose **ONLY ONE** option (out of the 4 given) that is closest to your ranking and mark it on the answer sheet given to you.*

**Marks: 10**

15. A cleanliness drive is started by your local authorities. These are the responses of some of your neighbors. (*Rank the different responses in the order of most contributive option to least contributive option.*)
- Anuj: "I will use this opportunity to get my neighbors involved in the cleanliness of our locality."
  - Manoj: "I too want to participate whole-heartedly in the drive and contribute as a dutiful citizen."
  - Raju: "I will support the drive - talk about it, spread awareness through the internet, etc. so that everyone knows about it."
  - Roy: "I am sure that the local authorities will live up to its promise and will clean our neighborhood soon."
- a] 3-2-1-4      b] 3-1-2-4      c] 1-3-2-4      d] 3-4-1-2

16. Your close friend John does well in his exams despite not having studied. How would a Contributor interpret this situation? (*Rank the different responses in the order of most contributive option to least contributive option.*)
1. "I'm glad he got good marks. But if he had studied, he would have learnt the subject well and ensured long-term success."
  2. "If he gets good marks over the whole year, he can show that it is not just a one-off success."
  3. "Finally, what really matters is that he got good marks in the exams, so he has been successful."
  4. "He is intelligent so he could do well and succeed, despite not having studied."
- a] 1-4-2-3      b] 1-2-4-3      c] 2-4-3-1      d] 4-2-3-1
17. Sakshi works in a telecom company which is establishing business in an African country. The company wants Sakshi to move to Africa. Which one of these should she consider to take a decision? (*Rank in order of most contributive to least contributive option.*)
1. Is this an opportunity to challenge myself?
  2. Is it important to consider my job security in the long run?
  3. Do I take this opportunity to go to a new place?
  4. How can I take such a risk?
- a] 1-3-2-4      b] 1-2-3-4      c] 1-4-2-3      d] 2-1-3-4
18. Senior citizens are actively involved in Swachh Bharat Abhiyan. Which one of the senior citizens has the most power to contribute to their communities? (*Rank in order of most contributive to least contributive option.*)
1. Mrs. Tarapore takes responsibility to educate people in the locality about segregating garbage.
  2. Mr. Munim has pledged never to use plastic bags.
  3. Mrs. Swamy takes responsibility to get the Municipality to unclog gutters as and when required.
  4. Mr. Sundar takes responsibility to inform the building authorities about clearing debris near the building.
- a] 4-1-3-2      b] 4-1-2-3      c] 1-3-4-2      d] 1-2-4-3
19. Sanjib is working in a construction materials company producing eco-friendly bricks. He volunteers to design a new model of bricks that has the option to regulate the temperature of the walls. However, his final product did not reach the market due to budget constraints. Despite this failure, if he was focused on building an engine of success, what fruits would he have focused on? (*Rank in order of most contributive option to least contributive option.*)
1. An opportunity for Sanjib to get recognized and appreciated by the management.
  2. This gives Sanjib a higher chance to lead the production of this new model of bricks whenever the company has the budget for it.
  3. Sanjib can build on his new skills learnt during the project to contribute to the growth of the organization.
  4. An opportunity for Sanjib to command a better salary from a competitor company.
- a] 2-3-1-4      b] 3-2-1-4      c] 3-2-4-1      d] 1-3-2-4

## Section D

*Instructions: There are 10 questions in this section. All questions are compulsory. Each question has 3 options. Select ONLY ONE option that you feel is the most appropriate and mark it on the answer sheet given to you.*

**Marks: 30**

20. In the given statements, pick which of these companies has expanded their power to contribute the most.
- a] Company M, where women stitch readymade clothes, has opened a day care center for not only its employees but for nearby companies also.
  - b] Company Y, which manufactures latest gadgets, has created a forum where customers can ask their doubts about use/ precautions/ maintenance of the gadgets.
  - c] Company S gave away free holidays to ten lucky customers during Diwali sale. The chosen customers were delighted.
21. A road which is used to travel to the top of a mountain is being repaired. There are many men who are working on this road. Which work man thinks like a contributor?
- a] "I repair the road so that I am able to earn money to take care of my family."
  - b] "I repair the road so that travelers can reach the top of the mountain safely."
  - c] "I repair the road because I was asked to do so by the supervisor."
22. A researcher is part of the team for a new vaccine. This vaccine is proving to be very tricky to develop. However, he believes that if they persist through this challenging phase and find a way out, the benefits will be worth the effort and can impact so many lives. This kind of creator thinking is valuable because —
- a] It will make the team avoid giving up.
  - b] It will make the team members learn to develop persistence and patience.
  - c] It will make the team believe that they can take more challenges in the future.
23. Which of the below statements indicate an intent to grow one's I-can zone?
- a] My Hindi is weak so I can at least listen to the news in Hindi daily and keep adding to my vocabulary.
  - b] My Hindi is weak so I can participate regularly in the Hindi debate competition and see how to better myself.
  - c] My Hindi is weak so I will try to converse with my mother in Hindi. Over time my abilities will improve.
24. Identify the sportsperson in the runner-up team who is likely to have sustainable success —
- a] Abrar: "Performance in one match does not define me. Our team still managed to reach the finals. We have to understand the strength of the opposing team and raise ourselves to that level."
  - b] Jonesh: "I am part of a team which lost a game that we should have won. This will affect my personal ratings. This means I have to work harder to maintain my ratings."
  - c] Fareen: "It is unfortunate that we lost a game when we were so close to winning. We can reflect and decide how to improve as a team in the future."

25. Which is the 'secret' of a contributor? Choose only one option.
- A contributor has the right skills and talent necessary to contribute properly.
  - A contributor wants to make a difference in every situation to the people around.
  - A contributor is always polite while interacting with people.
26. Sarathi is a mountaineer who climbs high mountains. She is invited to participate in an Antarctic expedition. She starts thinking of how difficult this expedition will be, and how it is best not to take it up. If Sarathi has a growth identity, how would she think?
- She may think of the first step to take which is likely to challenge her & push her own limits.
  - She may want to remind herself to remain positive and not keep thinking of the difficulties.
  - She may think about the extremely cold environment she will have to face if she decides to go.
27. Sarek is a freelance scriptwriter. He is constantly looking for new ways to present his narratives and storyline and pushing the standards set up by other scriptwriters in his field. He is developing as a –
- Professional Achiever
  - An Innovator & Creator
  - An Entrepreneur
28. Which of these candidates has truly expanded their power to contribute as a Class Representative?
- "I want to make sure that I fairly and transparently represent students' concerns to the Management of the college."
  - "I hope to find solutions to challenges faced - not just by students, but also the teachers, non-teaching staff, and the college overall."
  - "My aim is to ensure that students and teachers don't face any problem while doing their duties in the college."
29. Shaze is now in Class 12 and he has to make some decisions regarding his career. He thinks that whatever decisions he takes, he will never be able to meet his family's expectations. It is better to relax and let them make decisions. After all, their decision will be the best for him. What can help him move out of such caged thinking?
- If his parents are supportive then he can tell them what decision he wants them to make.
  - He can think through to decide on what to do on his own.
  - He can negotiate with his family and arrive at a decision together.