Layton Youth Court Bar exam

NAME:_____DATE:_____

Circle the correct answer.

1. What is the name of our program?
a. Layton Youth Court b. Layton Literacy Council c. Layton Teen Court
d. Layton Peer Court e. None of the above f. Layton City Youth Court

2. Where can we get referrals from?
a. The schools b. The Police Department c. Resource officers
d. Parents e. All of the above f. None of the above

3. You get one quarter of school credit for every _____hours of service doing an internship..
a. 30 b. 36 c. 40 d. 46
e. You don't get school credit.

4. You can earn a Presidential Service Award for _____hours of service in 12 months.
a. 50 b. 100 c. 150 d. 200
e. You can't earn a Presidential Service Award for Youth Court hours.

5. The Youth Court's telephone number is:
a. 444-1746 b. 896-4151 c. 444-1476 d. 444-1764
e. None of the above

6. Youth Court is what type of program?
a. Criminal b. Diversionary c. Civil d. Guilt
e. None of the above

7. Youth Court sees which of the following cases?
a. Felonies b. Status offenses c. Traffic d. Infrictions
e. All of the above f. None of the above

8. L.C.A.C. stands for:
a. Layton Commitment Agency b. Layton Community Action Council
c. Layton Citizens for Aging Citizens d. Listen, Communicate, Act and Commit
e. None of the above

9. The offender is required by statute to come to Youth Court
a. By themselves b. With the school principal or counselor
c. With their parent(s) or guardian d. With an older brother or sister
e. With any adult who knows them

10. To qualify for Youth Court the offender's plea must be:
a. Not guilty b. Guilty c. No contest d. None of the above

11. Layton Youth Court is a _____based intervention prevention program.
a. Community b. School c. Government d. None of the above
e. All of the above

12. To become a member of the Layton Youth Court, you must be in the _____grades. (Unless Karlene has made other arrangements)
a. 7-12 b. 8-12 c. 9-12 d. 10-12 e. 11-12

13. The Layton Youth Court charges a _____administration fee. (not counting the refund)
a. $20 b. $25 c. $30 d. $35 e. $40 f. None

14. Youth Court is a/an _____from the normal procedure.
a. Reduction b. Diversion c. Addition d. Distraction
e. None of the above.

15. When the offender goes to Youth Court, he/she may receive a
a. Diversion Police record b. Juvenile Court record
c. Juvenile Police record d. all of the above
e. None of the above

16. The best way to maintain confidentiality is to
a. Never talk b. Only talk to the offender c. Not talk at school
d. Not discuss the matter outside of the court area
e. Only discuss the matter outside of the court room
f. None of the above g. All of the above

17. Court cases normally start at:
a. 4:00 p.m. b. 5:15 p.m. c. 5:30 p.m. d. 6:00 p.m.
e. None of the above

18. What is given out to each judge to use during the hearing?
a. A manual b. A docket c. A bench book d. A cheat sheet
e. Nothing

19. Who is assigned to most of the Youth Court offenders?
a. Judge b. Senior judge c. Clerk d. Secretary
e. Contact f. Bailiff

20. A lens through which we view, filter and evaluate the world is called a
a. Telescope b. Consensus c. Paradigm d. Glasses
e. None of the above

21. The principle ground rules for team work are
a. Agree to disagree b. Respect others= opinion
c. All team members are on equal ground
d. All of the above e. None of the above

22. Consensus means
a. Everyone agrees to accept the decision b. 50% of the group will accept the decision
c. 75% of the group will accept the decision d. No one will accept the decision
e. None of the above

23. A good mentor/contact will call their mentee at least
a. Once a week b. Once a month c. One a year
d. Twice a month e. None of the above

25. When the offender is sentenced to attend the CHOICES class, they must go __times.
a. One b. Two c. Three d. Four e. Eight

26. We give the offender a sentence or disposition to
a. Hold them accountable b. To build skills c. To protect the community
d. To rehabilitate e. All of the above f. To punish them severely
g. None of the above

27. What is the main difference between the offender and the Youth Court members?
a. Their grades b. Their income c. Drugs and alcohol
d. Personal hygiene e. Attitude f. Choices they made
g. All of the above h. None of the above

28. A person may possess tobacco at age____.
a. 18 b. 19 c. 20 d. 21

29. Types of cases the Youth Court can see are
a. Tobacco b. DUI c. Murder d. Second alcohol ticket
e. All of the above f. None of the above

30. Layton City curfew states a youth under 18 has to be home or with parents/guardian during what hours?
a. 12-6 a.m. b. 11-6 a.m. c. 12-5 a.m. d. 11-5 a.m.

31. Perjury means giving_____testimony while under oath.
a. Too much b. False c. True d. Not enough

32. Effective communication involves
a. Listening b. Expanding c. Asking questions
d. Verbal and non verbal communication e. All of the above
f. None of the above

33. In CHOICES classes, we
a. Play games b. Visit c. Read to the offender d. Talk to ourselves
e. Have Lessons f. All of the above g. None of the above

34. A _____is the form we use to schedule court cases.
a. Case log b. Sentencing log c. Docket
d. Secretary log e. None of the above

35. What is given to the offenders and parents when they complete the program?
a. A hug b. An evaluation form
c. An asset survey d. A risk assessment

36. Cell phones are allowed to be turned on during the hearings
a. Always b. Never c. Under special circumstances
d. All of the above e. None of the above

37. Hats can be worn during the court hearings
a. Whenever someone has a bad hair day b. When the Senior Judge says it is alright
c. When the hat is cute d. Never

38. Youth Court should keep the offender's records
a. For 6 months b. For one year c. For 10 years d. Forever

40. More than ___% of prisoners today are school dropouts.
a. 50 b. 75 c. 82 d. 90 e. 100

43. The sentence we give to the offender is called
a. The disposition b. The sentence c. The contract d. The requirements

44. Community Service is also called
a. Labor contract b. Slave agreement c. Work assignment
d. Community Restitution e. Service assignment

48. A minimum G.P.A. of _____is required of a member of the Layton Youth Court.
a. 2.0 b. 2.5 c. 3.0 d. 3.5 e. All of the above
f. None of the above

50. An adult is as person ___years of age and older.
a. 17 b. 18 c. 19 d. 20 e. 21

51. Youth Court members take a _____oath before the hearing.
a. Truth b. Promise c. Confidentiality d. Loyalty
e. Local

52. The primary goal(s) of the Youth Court program is to
a. Turn around the first time offender b. Involve youth volunteers
c. Educate youth about the justice system d. All of the above
e. None of the above

53. A Youth Court member can date their mentee
a. Whenever they want b. As long as their parents say it is alright
c. Never d. Once a month
e. When the case is over

54. A Youth Court member needs to
a. Doesn't matter what they do b. Be same as youth offenders
c. Be perfect d. Set a higher standard for themselves

55. The Layton Youth Court is modeled after the_____Youth Court.
a. American Fork b. Syracuse c. Ben Lomond
d. West Bountiful e. All of the above f. None of the above

57. Criminal trespass is when a person
a. unlawfully takes property not theirs
b. Intends to enter property not theirs
c. Enters or remains unlawfully on property not theirs
d. Unlawfully enters a car not theirs

59. Criminal mischief is
a. Any time a youth is mischievous
b. When a youth intentionally tampers with property of another
c. Defaces his own property d. Not a crime

61. The Layton Youth Court holds their court hearings at
a. The Court house b. The Community Center c. The City Center
d. The Police station e. The Conference Center

65. When the disposition has been filled out and explained, who should take it to the offender to get signed?
a. The bailiff b. The Senior Judge c. The clerk d. The contact
e. No one, the offender doesn't sign anything

68. During the court hearing, parents should be asked questions
a. Always b. Never c. Only when the offender is lying
d. Only when the offender is out of the room

69. New cases are scheduled every ____minutes.
a. 15 b. 30 c. 45 d. 60

70. To track the cases, the Youth Court uses the_____
a. Docket b. Case log c. Record log d. Disposition log
e. None of the above

71. When an offender does not complete their sentence, they are _____referred to Juvenile Court.
a. Always b. Sometimes c. Never

72. The Layton Youth Court is a sub committee from the
a. Layton Literacy Action Council b. Layton Community Action Council
c. Layton Youth City Council d. Layton City Council

74. The Mayor of Layton is
a. Jerry Stevenson b. Joy Petro c. Jerry Stevens
d. Steve Curtis e. Bob Stevenson d. None of the above

75. The Governor of Utah is
a. Michelle Leavitt b. Gary Herbert c. Spencer Cox
d. Olene Leavitt e. Michelle Heward f. Olene Walker

The following are answered with T for True or F for False.

76. Youth Court is mandatory for first time offenders.
T F

77. There is no dress code for Youth Court.
T F

79. The Layton Youth Court has a completion rate of 90%.
T F

80. Youth Court not is based on the Restorative Justice model.
T F

82. Violation of confidentiality may result in the member being sent to Juvenile Court.
T F

83. The historian is in charge of all the secretaries.
T F

84. Truancy may results from an excused absence from school.
T F

85. A mentor is a therapist to help save the offender.
T F

86. The bailiff is the one who is in charge of the court hearing.
T F

88. We can always see offenders if they have cases pending in Juvenile Court.
T F

89. Offenders are required to complete their sentences.
T F

90. When a case is closed, either completed or not completed, the referring agency is never contacted about the outcome.
T F

91. Victims of the crime cannot come and give a statement in Youth Court.
T F

93. Once you graduate from high school, you can't come back to be an adult advisor.
T F

94. We cannot order restitution to be paid.
T F

95. Open ended questions can be answered with a yes or no answer.
T F

96. You can only give out specific sentences to the offender.
T F

97. You can not give out more than 30 hours of community service at one time to the offender.
T F

98. Nicotine is not addictive.
T F

99. Layton Youth Court members have to live in Layton City.
T F

100. There is a Utah Youth Court Act which is part of Utah law.
T F

102. Youth Court may decline to accept a youth for any reason and may terminate a youth from Youth Court participation at any time.
T F

103. A Youth Court member should get acquainted and be familiar with the forms used in Court.
T F

104. When you are the Senior Judge, it is not a good idea to sit on a case which involves your closet of friends.
T F

105. You should be quiet when you are in halls during the hearings.
T F

107. When you are the Senior Judge, you should let others ask questions.
T F

109. It is in the state statute that the offender has to have their parents/guardian with them on new cases.
T F

110. The offender should never take their papers and hand them personally to the Senior Judge.
T F

111. When an essay has been assigned, the offender should always read the essay out loud to the court. If they refuse to do so, a member of the court should then read it out loud.
T F

112. The Senior Judge should never hurry the case through so we can get done with court as early as possible.
T F

114. The Contact should be assigned and the offender told and introduced to the contact at the end of the case always.
T F

115. The outside bailiff is the one who decides who comes into court next. (When there are several in the hall waiting to come in.)
T F

116. The panel should not send the offender and parents out of the court room as often as they wish.
T F

118. The court oaths are to be administered on the original case.
T F

119. According to state statute, Youth Court can only keep the youth offender in the Youth Court process for 180 days.
T F

120. When you are a judge, you should not take everything the offender and their parents say personal and hold grudges.
T F

Match the answers, every answer is used just once.

121.	First to welcomes the offender and parents.	_____Contact
122.	Adjourns the case.	_____clerks
123.	Also signs the completion certificate.	_____outside bailiff
124.	Fills out the receipt for payment	_____outside bailiff
126.	Keeps a book of important things about the year.	_____historian
127.	Is the main youth spokesperson for the Youth Court.	_____Senior Judge
128.	Gives the lessons in CHOICES.	_____outside bailiff
129.	Is the first contact with the court and explains the procedures	_____outside bailiff
	to the offender and parent.	_____Youth Instructors
130.	Collects the administration fee.	_____inside bailiff
131.	Swears in the panel members.	_____President
132.	Helps with the typing of the disposition.	

Circle the correct answer.

133. The Layton Youth Court's leadership consists of the Presidency, which includes:
a. President b. 2 Vice presidents c. Chief Secretary
d. Historian e. Peer Counselor coordinator f. Mentor coordinator
g. CHOICES expert h. Computer Web Master i. Activities coordinator
j. All of the above k. None of the above

134. Panel members should arrive for court
a. ½ to 1 hour before it starts b. 2 hour before it starts
c. 5 minutes before it starts d. After it has started

135. Panel members should wear their Youth Court shirts
a. Always b. During all Youth Court proceedings
c. Only in the court room d. Never

136. Youth Courts have jurisdiction over
a. Everyone b. Only 12 to 17 year Olds c. No one
d. Youth under the age of 18, except for school violations e. Age does not matter

137. Youth Courts can charge
a. Any fee they want to b. Only a $20 fee
c. No fee d. A fee not to exceed $50

138. During Youth Court procedures, panel members should wear
a. Anything they want to b. Their Youth Court shirts and pants (skirts)
c. anything as long as their Youth Court shirt is on
c. Their Youth Court shirts and shorts d. There is nothing they should not wear

139. When the case is dismissed, the offender should have all of his papers in
a. A mess b. His hands c. A folder
d. Nothing, his won=t have any papers e. None of the above

140. Youth Court should be a _____ experience for the offender.
a. Frustrating b. Intimidating c. Shameful d. Learning
e. Perfect f. All of the above g. None of the above
h. Doesn't matter, we don't care as long as they do what we want them to do.

141. In the Layton Youth Court case number 26/03/85, the 03 stands for:
a. The year b. The month we received the case
c. The number of cases received so far this year. d. None of the above

142. In the LYC# from the above question, the 85 stands for:
a. The year b. The month we saw the cases
c. The number of cases received so far this year. d. None of the above

143. In the LYC# from the above question, the 26 stands for:
a. The year b. The month we received the cases
c. The number of cases received so far this year. d. None of the above

144. At the end of the school year, an awards program is held for:
a. Only the seniors leaving b. The new members in training c. No one
d. All of the members of the court e. Only the adult advisors

SCORE_____out of 145. (should score at least 115 out of the 145)

140 is 96%	120 is 83%
135 is 93%	115 is 80%
130 is 90%	110 is 75%
125 is 86%	100 is 69%