## Orientation to School Nutrition Management Pre/Post-Assessment with Answers

- 1. Which of the following is **NOT** required in food production records?
  - a. Age group of students
  - b. Raw food cost per serving
  - c. Portion or serving size
  - d. Amount of food used
- 2. Nutrition accountability deals with
  - a. Meeting the USDA nutrition requirements that are based on the *Dietary Guidelines* and the RDA
  - b. Providing accurate information on meals to support reimbursement from USDA
  - c. Ensuring every household has the opportunity to apply for reduced or free meals
  - d. Providing information on goal for nutrition education
- 3. Characteristics of food that are acceptable to consumers are referred to as
  - a. Food Quality Standards
  - b. Culinary Techniques
  - c. Food Presentation Principles
  - d. Nutrient Standards
- 4. Which of the following is a *false* statement about factors that influence student eating habits?
  - a. Adolescent customers have strong social needs and are often influenced by their peers.
  - b. The age of a child has no influence on their food likes and dislikes.
  - c. The beliefs of parents about food customs influence student eating patterns.
  - d. The environment of the dining room can have an effect on a student's desire to participate in the school nutrition program.
- 5. Schools can serve
  - a. Commercially prepared tofu and soy product as part of a reimbursable meal
  - b. More fruit and vegetable servings than the weekly requirement
  - c. More grain servings than the weekly ranges
  - d. All of the above

- 6. Which of the following is **NOT** a common menu modification?
  - a. Texture
  - b. Sodium content
  - c. Calories
  - d. Consistency of liquids
- 7. Which of the following is **NOT** a recommended action for a child with a disability?
  - a. Offering foods as a reward
  - b. Longer than normal eating time
  - c. Assistance with grasping and releasing eating utensils
  - d. Placing children who are easily distracted behind a screen
- 8. Which of the following statements about leadership and the role of the School Nutrition Director is *false*?
  - a. The superintendent is the leader of the school district, but leadership for the school nutrition program is assigned to the School Nutrition Director.
  - b. The state school nutrition office is accountable for the district school nutrition program.
  - c. School Nutrition Directors cooperate and work with the state office.
  - d. Leadership encompasses both accountability and responsibility.
- 9. Most school nutrition programs have the goal of marketing healthy food choices, quality diet/nutritious food, and more nutrient dense foods to meet nutrient standards. These are examples of which principle of the marketing campaign?
  - a. Product
  - b. Price
  - c. Policy
  - d. Promotion
- 10. Which is **NOT** a benefit of a marketing campaign for school nutrition programs?
  - a. It helps administrators and faculty see the value of child nutrition programs.
  - b. It helps achieve nutrition-related education.
  - c. It helps curtail disciplinary issues.
  - d. It helps resolve issues some children face such as obesity and diabetes.

- 11. Which of the following is **NOT** a key step for effective inventory management?
  - a. Knowing where and how much food you have on hand
  - b. Controlling waste, loss and theft
  - c. Maintaining only as much food as you need
  - d. Utilizing Offer versus Serve
- 12. All of the following must be identified in RFP's **EXCEPT** 
  - a. All parties being solicited
  - b. Goods, products, and/or services needed
  - c. Evaluation Factors
  - d. How the needs will be met
- 13. All of the following key information should be included in product description specifications **EXCEPT** 
  - a. Case Pack/weight
  - b. Minimum and Maximum Size and Pieces
  - c. Quality Indicators
  - d. Price
- 14. Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) must contain all of the following EXCEPT
  - a. How to handle an accident using a chemical or toxic substance
  - b. Ingredients in the chemical or toxic substance
  - c. Possible side effects of exposure
  - d. Emergency contact information
- 15. Offer versus Serve is
  - a. Intended to reduce food waste
  - b. Mandatory for senior high schools in the National School Lunch Program
  - c. Mandatory for the School Breakfast Program and for the National School Lunch program at lower grades
  - d. A and B
- The conditions that favor the growth of most foodborne microorganisms (excluding viruses) are
  - a. Food, acidity, temperature, time, oxygen, and moisture
  - b. Food, time, and temperature
  - c. Food, temperature, and moisture
  - d. Food, acidity, and time

- 17. Which of the foods listed below would **NOT** be considered a potentially hazardous food?
  - a. Lemon
  - b. Sliced Melon
  - c. Baked potato
  - d. Cooked rice
- 18. When cooling a hot food from 135°F down to 41°F, it must be reheated immediately to 165°F for 15 seconds if it has not reached 70°F within
  - a. 1 hours
  - b. 2 hours
  - c. 3 hours
  - d. 4 hours
- 19. Which of the following describes food biosecurity?
  - a. Limits cross contamination
  - b. Limits presence of naturally occurring food contaminants
  - c. Prevents grown of organisms caused by time/temperature abuse
  - d. Prevents product tampering
- 20. It is imperative in an emergency situation that the director
  - a. Understands the chain of command
  - b. Establishes and communicates plans and procedures
  - c. Monitors the inventory of food, equipment and supplies
  - d. All of the above

Answers: 1(b); 2(a); 3(a); 4(b); 5(d); 6(b); 7(a); 8(b); 9(a); 10(c); 11(d); 12(a); 13(d); 14(c); 15(d); 16(a); 17(a); 18(b); 19(d); 20(d)