# The Interview

# Question 1.

What kind of a novel was The Name of The Rose?

- (a) hilarious
- (b) fiction
- (c) non-fiction
- (d) a serious one

# **▼** Answer

Answer: (d) a serious one

### Ouestion 2.

In what way interviews have become a commom place of journalism?

- (a) because of its power, influence and medium of communication
- (b) because of its pomp
- (c) because of its glory
- (d) because of its rapport

### **▼** Answer

Answer: (a) because of its power, influence and medium of communication

# Ouestion 3.

Who has written Alice in Wonderland?

- (a) Christopher
- (b) Mukand
- (c) Rudyard Kripling
- (d) Lewis Caroll

#### **▼** Answer

Answer: (d) Lewis Caroll

### Question 4.

Why does Eco call the success of his book a mystery?

- (a) because of its success
- (b) because of its popularity
- (c) because of many factors
- (d) because of many factors and many other books were written on the same medieval period

### **▼** Answer

Answer: (d) because of many factors and many other books were written on the same medieval period

### Question 5.

According to Umberto what will happen to the world if we eliminate empty spaces from the universe?

- (a) The world will become beautiful
- (b) The world will be completely ours
- (c) The world will shrink and will become as big as a fish.
- (d) The world will be round

### **▼** Answer

Answer: (c) The world will shrink and will become as big as a fish.

# Question 6.

What ideas do you form of Umberto's personality after his interview with Mukand?

- (a) a very rigid person
- (b) a boastful and arrogant
- (c) an illusionary vision
- (d) an academician with philosophical and ethical interest

#### **▼** Answer

Answer: (d) an academician with philosophical and ethical interest

#### Question 7.

How many scholarly works are to his credit?

- (a) more than 5
- (b) more than 10
- (c) more than 20
- (d) more than 40

#### **▼** Answer

Answer: (d) more than 40

# Question 8.

While interview being interviewed by Mukand, Umberto speaks about his philosophy and novel, What does he point out at ?

- (a) he loves writing
- (b) he loves to be in spotlight
- (c) at the universe and its workings
- (d) at empty spaces in the universe- Interstices

#### ▼ Answer

Answer: (d) at empty spaces in the universe- Interstices

# Question 9.

What impression is formed of Umberto after reading the lesson- The Interview?

- (a) A person of substance
- (b) a person of character
- (c) a person of words
- (d) A person of vision and firm convictions

### **▼** Answer

Answer: (d) A person of vision and firm convictions

# Question 10.

What is an interview?

- (a) a medium of talking to the people
- (b) a medium to spread rumours
- (c) a medium to be the talk of the town
- (d) a medium of interaction and introspection

#### **▼** Answer

Answer: (d) a medium of interaction and introspection

# Question 11.

What does writing novels on Sundays signify?

- (a) writing novels- his passion
- (b) writing novels- his need
- (c) writing novels- his casual job
- (d) writing novels- his interest

### **▼** Answer

Answer: (c) writing novels- his casual job

### Question 12.

What in today's world our main source of information?

- (a) social media
- (b) newspapers
- (c) short screens
- (d) Interviews and interactions

#### **▼** Answer

Answer: (d) Interviews and interactions

### Question 13.

What is the primitive view about being photographed?

- (a) person's soul is stolen
- (b) part of personality is lost
- (c) person can be commanded
- (d) All these

#### ▼ Answer

Answer: (d) All these

# Question 14.

What days did he used to write novels?

- (a) Saturday night
- (b) Friday night
- (c) every evening
- (d) Sundays

# **▼** Answer

Answer: (d) Sundays

# Ouestion 15.

At what age was Eco's book published?

- (a) at the age of 20
- (b) at the age of 25
- (c) at the age of 22
- (d) at the age of 26

### **▼** Answer

Answer: (c) at the age of 22

### Ouestion 16.

What are some of the positive traits of interviews?

- (a) brings out the truth and gives vivid impression of contemporaries
- (b) helps finding hidden talents
- (c) useful medium of communication
- (d) All these

### **▼** Answer

Answer: (d) All these

# Question 17.

What was distinctive (special) about Eco's academic writing style?

- (a) His realistic narrative style with trial and errors
- (b) his interrogative style
- (c) his monotonous unrealistic style
- (d) fictitious imaginative style

### ▼ Answer

Answer: (a) His realistic narrative style with trial and errors

# Question 18.

According to an old saying what happens when perceptions are made about a person?

- (a) Person feels happy
- (b) person becomes popular
- (c) Person feels irritated
- (d) The original identity of his soul is lost

### **▼** Answer

Answer: (d) The original identity of his soul is lost

### Question 19.

The excerpt -The Interview has been taken from which book?

- (a) Christopher's introduction to The Penguin Book of Interviews
- (b) Features for Vanity Fair
- (c) The name of the Rose
- (d) none

### **▼** Answer

Answer: (a) Christopher's introduction to The Penguin Book of Interviews

### Ouestion 20.

What does V.S. Naipaul feel about interviews?

- (a) horror
- (b) happy
- (c) wounded
- (d) none

#### **▼** Answer

Answer: (c) wounded