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I. CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION

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- The use of ritual, formulas and actions to compel or influence supernatural powers to act in certain ways for good or evil purposes is
 - Common in most religions
 - A definition of magic
 - Rare in most religions
 - Both A & B
- "Like produces like" is the basic principle of _____ magic.
 - Sympathetic
 - Contagious
 - Both
 - None
- If someone discovers some of your old clothes in the trash and they use them in a magical act that results in you becoming forgetful and accident prone, they are practicing _____ magic.
 - Sympathetic
 - Contagious
 - Imitative
 - None
- Which of the following statements is true concerning witchcraft in societies that believe in it?
 - Witchcraft may be an explanation for illness
 - Witchcraft may be used as a means of social control
 - The existence of witchcraft cannot be easily refuted with logical arguments.
 - All of the above are true
- The belief that a magical practice performed on one object can have an effect upon another object is called
 - Repetitive magic
 - Black magic
 - Sympathetic magic
 - White magic
- The system under which if magic injures a person, the person who believes in that also feels injured is known as
 - Imitative magic
 - Contagious magic
 - Positive magic
 - Animatism
- Which of the following is not a characteristic of magic?
 - Magic rituals are performed for attaining an immediate, definite and private end by invoking the supernatural power.
 - The aim of magic is to respect and devote to the supernatural power
 - Magic manipulates the supernatural powers to bring favour to one's own self
 - Magic is superficial and used for a particular purpose
- Which of the following is not a characteristic of religion?
 - Belief in the supernatural force
 - Belief in salvation
 - Use of symbols
 - Experiments, observes and verifies facts
- In which book did Emile Durkheim define religion?
 - Suicide
 - The Division of Labour in Society
 - Elementary Forms of Religious Life
 - The Rules of Sociological Method
- Which of the following is a similarity between magic and religion?
 - Both invokes the supernatural force
 - Both have spells and rituals as an important component of their operation
 - Both are based on the supernatural relation between man and the supernatural surroundings
 - All
- The Elementary Forms of Religious Life is written by
 - Karl Marx
 - Emile Durkheim
 - Auguste Comte
 - George Simmel
- According to Durkheim the central characteristic of religion was
 - Sacred-profane dichotomy
 - Highly superstitious
 - Life after death
 - Elimination of all forms of discrimination

- 13. The belief that a magical practice performed on one object can have an effect upon another object is called**
- a. Repetitive magic
 - b. Black magic
 - c. Sympathetic magic
 - d. White magic
- 14. Which of the following statements comes closest to Malinowski's understanding of the preliterate society?**
- a. Religion, magic and science are incompatible with each other
 - b. Religion, magic and science are integral parts of the preliterate society
 - c. Magic and religion have no objective consequences since they are purely imaginary
 - d. Science plays no part in the lives of preliterate people
- 15. Who wrote the book "Golden Bough"?**
- a. Malinowski
 - b. James G. Frazer
 - c. Durkheim
 - d. Anderson and Park

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