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True / False – CHAPTER 1

1. The most common personal digital assistant (PDA) is a smartphone.

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a. True	
b. False	
ANSWER:	True
RATIONALE:	Correct The most common PDA is a smartphone (such as an iPhone, Galaxy, Droid, or a Blackberry). See 1-1: Computers and Information Systems in Daily Life
POINTS:	1
DIFFICULTY:	Easy
REFERENCES:	Discuss common applications of computers and information systems.
QUESTION TYPE:	True / False
HAS VARIABLES:	False
LEARNING OBJECTIVES:	MIS9.BIDG.19.01.01
TOPICS:	Information systems Information systems importance
KEYWORDS:	Remember
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2. Information systems are broader in scope than information technologies.

a. True	· ·
b. False	
ANSWER:	True
RATIONALE:	Correct Information systems are broader in scope than information technologies, but the two overlap in many areas. Both are used to help organizations be more competitive and to improve their overall efficiency and effectiveness. See 1-1: Computers and Information Systems in Daily Life
POINTS:	1
DIFFICULTY:	Moderate
REFERENCES:	Discuss common applications of computers and information systems.
QUESTION TYPE:	True / False
HAS VARIABLES:	False
LEARNING OBJECTIVES:	MIS9.BIDG.19.01.01
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3. In a management information system (MIS) application, processes are usually methods for performing a task.

a. True

True
Correct
In an MIS application, processes are usually methods for performing a task. See 1-4:
Management Information Systems
1
Moderate
Define management information systems.
True / False
False
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4. In designing a management information system (MIS), the first task is to collect data and analyze it.

a. True	
b. False	
ANSWER:	False
RATIONALE:	Correct
	In designing an MIS, the first task is to clearly define the system's objectives. See 1-4: Management Information Systems
POINTS:	1
DIFFICULTY:	Moderate
REFERENCES:	Define management information systems.
QUESTION TYPE:	True / False
HAS VARIABLES:	False
LEARNING OBJECTIVES:	MIS9.BIDG.19.01.04
TOPICS:	Management information systems
KEYWORDS:	Understand
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5. An information system should collect data from both external and internal sources, although organizational objectives and the type of application also determine what sources to use.

a. True	
b. False	
ANSWER:	True
RATIONALE:	Correct The information that users need affects the type of data that is collected and used. An information system should collect data from both external and internal sources, although organizational objectives and the type of application also determine what sources to use. See 1-5: Major Components of an Information System
POINTS:	1
DIFFICULTY:	Moderate

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REFERENCES:	Describe the four major components of an information system.
QUESTION TYPE:	True / False
HAS VARIABLES:	False
LEARNING OBJECTIVES:	MIS9.BIDG.19.01.05
TOPICS:	Information system components
KEYWORDS:	Understand
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6. Customers, competitors, and suppliers are examples of internal data sources of an information system.

a. True	
b. False	
ANSWER:	False
RATIONALE:	Correct
	Customers, competitors, and suppliers are examples of external data sources of an information system. See 1-5: Major Components of an Information System
POINTS:	1
DIFFICULTY:	Easy
REFERENCES:	Describe the four major components of an information system.
QUESTION TYPE:	True / False
HAS VARIABLES:	False
LEARNING OBJECTIVES:	MIS9.BIDG.19.01.05
TOPICS:	Information system components
KEYWORDS:	Remember
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7. In a management information system (MIS), the quality of information is determined by its usefulness to users, and its usefulness determines the success of the information system.

a. True	
b. False	
ANSWER:	True
RATIONALE:	Correct
	In an MIS, the quality of information is determined by its usefulness to users, and its usefulness determines the success of the information system. See 1-5: Major Components of an Information System
POINTS:	1
DIFFICULTY:	Moderate
REFERENCES:	Discuss the differences between data and information.
QUESTION TYPE:	True / False
HAS VARIABLES:	False
LEARNING OBJECTIVES:	MIS9.BIDG.19.01.06
TOPICS:	Information system components
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8. To be useful, information must be able to integrate with other data and information.

a. True	
b. False	
ANSWER:	True
RATIONALE:	Correct
	To be useful, information must be able to integrate with other data and information. See 1- 5: Major Components of an Information System
POINTS:	1
DIFFICULTY:	Moderate
REFERENCES:	Discuss the differences between data and information.
QUESTION TYPE:	True / False
HAS VARIABLES:	False
LEARNING OBJECTIVES:	MIS9.BIDG.19.01.06
TOPICS:	Information system components
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9. When solving problems, the users of an information system must avoid using informal information.

a. True	
b. False	
ANSWER:	False
RATIONALE:	Correct In addition to the formal information that an information system generates, users need to be able to make use of informal information-such as rumors, unconfirmed reports, and stories- when solving problems. See 1-5: Major Components of an Information System
POINTS:	1
DIFFICULTY:	Moderate
REFERENCES:	Discuss the differences between data and information.
QUESTION TYPE:	True / False
HAS VARIABLES:	False
LEARNING OBJECTIVES	MIS9.BIDG.19.01.06
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10. The main difference between an intranet and the Internet is that intranets are public and the Internet is private.

a. True	
b. False	
ANSWER:	False
RATIONALE:	Correct The main difference between an intranet and the Internet is that intranets are private and the Internet is public. See 1-6: Using Information Systems and Information Technologies