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CHAPTER 2 (Cultural and Demographic Variation) -- Test-item bank for *Journeys through Emerging Adulthood: An Introduction to Development from Ages 18-30 Around the World* by Alan Reifman

1. According to one study, for immigrants to the US from _____ countries, an EA-type lifestyle (e.g., living with parents, delayed marriage) took hold relatively quickly, whereas immigrants from _____ nations adopted an EA lifestyle only after a longer time in the US.

A. Latin; Asian
B. European; Asian
C. Asian; Latin
D. Latin; Canadian

Answer: C

2. Which of the following is/are true of the Philadelphia study, which initially surveyed "at risk" 11-15 year-olds and then conducted follow-up interviews with each person eight years later to see how they were doing?

A. The authors developed a system for classifying youth as "off track" when having difficulties with educational and work transitions
B. The poorest areas with predominantly White residents were not as severely deprived as the poorest areas with mostly minority residents
C. Minority women did just as well on the education/work success measure as white women
D. All of the above

Answer: D

3. The term "WEIRD" (Western, Educated, Industrialized, Rich, Democratic) refers to:

A. The kinds of populations most participants in social science research come from
B. The kinds of college students who get involved in extracurricular activities
C. The kinds of populations in which the age at first marriage is getting younger
D. None of the above

Answer: A

4. Among the nations studied in the book *The Accordion Family*, the one where parents are most supportive of their children remaining at home during their 20s and 30s is _____, whereas the one where parents are most opposed is _____:

A. Italy; Japan
B. United States; Spain
C. Japan; Denmark
D. Sweden; United States

Answer: A

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5. One criterion for considering someone an adult that was commonly stated in some African and Asian nations, but was not among the leading criteria found initially in the US, is:

A. Getting married
B. Controlling one's emotions
C. Serving as a mentor to younger relatives
D. Having a nice car

Answer: B

6. According to *Guyland* author Michael Kimmel, young men exceed young women during the transition to adulthood in:

A. College academic performance
B. Preparation for a successful career
C. Preparation for a successful marriage
D. Heavy drinking, viewing of pornography, and sexual hookups

Answer: D

7. According to Silva's qualitative interviews with working-class individuals in the US, their experiences in trying to take on adult roles (e.g., education, work, relationships) led them to adopt an extreme attitude of :

A. Optimism
B. Compassion
C. Individualism
D. Trust in government and institutions

Answer: C

8. In studies of the five features of Arnett's theory of emerging adulthood:

A. Men tend to score higher on most of the features
B. Women tend to score higher on most of the features
C. Men and women tend to show roughly equal levels of each feature
D. No studies of this kind have been done

Answer: B

9. The terms "red" and "blue" states in the US:

A. Describe only whether a state tends to vote Republican (conservative) or Democratic (liberal)
B. Describe differences in marriage age, as well as political leanings
C. Describe differences in identity formation, as well as political leanings
D. Describe differences in career goals, as well as political leanings

Answer: B

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10. The study of how combinations of demographic characteristics (e.g., being a Black woman, as opposed to a Black man or White woman) affects someone's life opportunities is known as:

A. Paired vulnerability
B. Cross-sectionality
C. Intersectionality
D. Double jeopardy

Answer: C