# The PQ Test

## 1. Which smile is real?



- 2. Where is the best place to stand at a networking event?
  - A. Near the entrance to the event
  - B. At the food table so you can sit with people
  - C. Where people exit the bar
  - D. Next to someone you know
- 3. What does this face mean?



- A. Amused
- B. Sad
- C. Bored
- D. Contemptuous

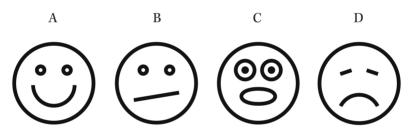
- 4. Which saying about people is most true?
  - A. "Opposites attract."
  - B. "Birds of a feather flock together."
  - C. "One bad apple spoils the bunch."
  - D. "Never bite the hand that feeds you."
- 5. How much of our personality comes from our genes?
  - A. Very little. Our personality is mostly formed by how we are raised.
  - B. 35 percent to 50 percent
  - C. 55 percent to 75 percent
  - D. A lot. Our personality is mostly formed by our genetics and DNA.
- 6. The best way to show someone you care about them is to:
  - A. Tell them all the reasons they are awesome
  - B. Get them a gift
  - C. Do their to-do list for them
  - D. All of the above
  - E. It's different for each person
- 7. Which phrase corresponds best with this facial expression?



- A. It smells weird in here.
- B. This makes me angry.
- C. I'm confused.
- D. I'm afraid.

8. Which emoticon would best represent this face?





9. If this man walked into your office, what would you guess about him? (Hint: Only one of these personality assessments is correct.)



- A. He is an introvert.
- B. He is an extrovert.
- C. He is laid-back.
- D. He is quiet.
- 10. Our brains are most active when we are chatting about:
  - A. Our crush
  - B. The latest juicy gossip
  - C. Ourselves
  - D. The latest thriller
- 11. What does this face mean?



- A. Excitement
- B. Giddiness
- C. Interest
- D. Surprise
- 12. In the average conversation, people typically hold eye contact what percent of the time in a conversation?
  - A. 31 percent
  - B. 51 percent
  - C. 61 percent
  - D. 91 percent

- 13. The best way to get someone on the same page as you is to:
  - A. Tell them a story
  - B. Pay them a compliment
  - C. Make them laugh
  - D. Say something surprising
- 14. What does this face mean?



- A. Surprise
- B. Hatred
- C. Fear
- D. Confusion
- 15. Which of these habits tends to annoy people the most?
  - A. People who are too talkative
  - B. People who are too quiet
  - C. People who are fake
  - D. People who show off
- 16. People will pay more for something that:
  - A. Their friends have also bought
  - B. A doctor recommends
  - C. Matches their personality
  - D. They customized
- 17. When you first meet someone, you are LEAST likely to be able to accurately guess:

- A. How extroverted they are
- B. How much they worry
- C. If they are open to new ideas
- D. Their IQ
- E. How organized they are
- 18. The easiest way to know if your new colleague is neurotic is if they:
  - A. Put up inspirational posters
  - B. Show up early to every meeting on the first day
  - C. Introduce themselves to you immediately
  - D. Wait for you to introduce yourself
- 19. What does this face mean?



- A. Embarrassment
- B. Confusion
- C. Irritation
- D. Disgust

20. Making someone feel \_\_\_\_\_ is the best way to improve their mood.

- A. Flattered
- B. Attractive
- C. Valued
- D. Powerful

## Answer Key:

Whew! Now it's time to check your answers. Go through and give yourself 0 points for every wrong answer and 10 points for every right answer:

- 1. C \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 6)
- 2. C \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 1)
- 3. D \_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 6)
- 4. B \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 5)
- 5. B \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 7)
- 6. E \_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 8)
- 7. B \_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 6)
- 8. D \_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 6)
- 9. B \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 7)
- 10. C \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 4)
- 11. D \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 6)
- 12. C \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 2)
- 13. A \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 10)
- 14. C \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 6)
- 15. C \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 1)
- 16. D \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 11)
- 17. B \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 7)
- 18. A \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 7)
- 19. D \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 6)
- 20. C \_\_\_\_\_ Points (Chapter 9)

Add up the total to get:

Your PQ Score = \_\_\_\_\_

Take note of this score. By the end of the book, we will blow it out of the water.

### 0 to 50 points

I'm so excited you're here! Let me tell you, this is exactly where I was when I first started, and I couldn't be more thrilled to start you on this adventure. Get ready, big change is a comin'.

#### 51 to 100 points

You got this. In fact, this is the range for most people. But you and I both know you are not average. You're exceptional; it's time to show it.

#### 101 to 150 points

You're well on your way. You already have good interpersonal intelligence, but good is never enough. Let's make it great!

#### 151 to 200 points

Well, well smarty-pants. You're a natural! Hey, if you're already this good with people, imagine where this book can take you. Say it with me: "total world domination."