

Chapter 2

1. **T** **F** Planning is necessary for systematic searching of a crime scene.
2. **T** **F** Each individual piece of evidence must be logged separately at a crime scene.
3. **T** **F** Crimes are only discovered by police.
4. **T** **F** The first step for a police officer arriving at a crime scene is to secure the scene.
5. **T** **F** PMI is short for Pre Meditated Investigation.
6. **T** **F** Probative value of evidence refers to the significance of evidence.
7. **T** **F** Outside photography of a residential crime needs only to document the entrance to the home.
8. **T** **F** The first duty of the first officer at a crime scene is to secure the scene.
9. Which of the following is not one of the major steps of evidence collection?
 - a. collection
 - b. packaging
 - c. preservation
 - d. recognition
 - e. **all are major steps of evidence collection**
10. The amount of evidence collected at a crime scene should be:
 - a. as little as possible
 - b. **as much as possible**
 - c. just enough to substantiate probable cause
 - d. none of the above
11. Authentication in evidence collection refers to
 - a. there must be a record of who is in possession of evidence
 - b. there must be clear chain of custody of evidence
 - c. documentation must exist as to who collected evidence
 - d. **all of the above**
 - e. none of the above
12. Evidence must be packaged in

- a. plastic bags for all types of evidence
- b. tamper evident packaging**
- c. paper bags for all types of evidence
- d. all of the above

13. The most important elements of evidence collection are:

- a. tamper evident packaging
- b. custody form
- c. opinions of the defense attorney
- d. all of the above
- e. a and b, but not c**

14. Marijuana plants should be packaged in

- a. Breathable containers**
- b. Plastic baggies
- c. Airtight containers
- d. Envelopes

15. Small dry paint chips should be packaged

- a. in a piece of paper using a druggist's fold within an envelope**
- b. on tape within an envelope
- c. in a loosely sealed container or envelope
- d. all the above
- e. none of the above

16. Fire residues should be put in a

- a. in an airtight container**
- b. in a breathable container
- c. in a paper bag
- d. in a perforated plastic bag
- e. any of the above

17. A freehand sketch of a crime scene is always made after measurements are taken.

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18. A more recent development in documenting crime scenes is:

- a. videotaping the scene
- b. using traditional photography to document the scene

- c. using a digital camera to document the scene
- d. a and c**
- e. b and c, but not a

19. Which of the following is not an example of an exemplar?

- a. a ten print fingerprint card from a suspect
- b. a voice print from a suspect
- c. a soil sample from a suspect shoe**
- d. a hair sample from a suspect
- e. an athletic shoe from a suspect

20. Which of the following is not a crime search method?

- a. zone method
- b. spiral method
- c. line searching
- d. quad searching**
- e. grid method