

Chapter 3– Financial Accounting, 3rd Edition by Dyckman, Magee & Pfeiffer

Solutions to Practice Quiz

Topic: Accounting Cycle

LO: 1

1. In the accounting cycle, preparing financial statements comes before which of the following steps?
 - a. Analyzing transactions
 - b. Recording deferrals
 - c. Preparing an unadjusted trial balance
 - d. Prepare a post-closing trial balance

Answer: D

Rationale: After financial statements are prepared, temporary accounts are closed and a post-closing trial balance is prepared to make sure that ledger accounts are in balance and ready to start the next accounting period.

Topic: Review of Accounting Procedures

LO: 2

2. The process of entering transactions in a general journal is called:
 - a. Posting
 - b. Journalizing
 - c. Charting accounts
 - d. Transaction analysis

Answer: B

Rationale: Journalizing means to record a transaction in a general journal.

Topic: Preparing Financial Statements from Adjusted Accounts

LO: 3

3. Which of the following is the best explanation of the purpose of adjusting entries?
- a. To correct errors made during the accounting period.
 - b. To update the retained earnings for the changes that had been recorded in revenue and expense accounts throughout the period.
 - c. To prepare revenue and expense accounts for the next accounting period.
 - d. To allow matching for the period by recording certain revenue and expenses that are not properly measured during routine daily transactions.

Answer: D

Rationale: Accrual and deferral adjusting entries allow expenses of the period to be matched against revenues, for those transactions that are not typically recorded in daily routine transactions.

Topic: The Adjusting Process

LO: 3

4. Mayfair Company has four employees who earn \$750 per week for a five-day work week ending on Friday. If the last day of 2010 falls on Wednesday, the company should make which of the following adjusting entries to accrue the wages for 2010?

- a.
- | | | |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Wage Expense (+E, -SE) | 1,800 | |
| Wages Payable (+L) | | 1,800 |
- b.
- | | | |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Wage Expense (+E, -SE) | 3,000 | |
| Cash (-A) | | 3,000 |
- c.
- | | | |
|------------------------------|-----|-----|
| Wages Payable (-L) | 450 | |
| Wage Expense (+E, -SE) | | 450 |
- d.
- | | | |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Wages Payable (-L) | 1,800 | |
| Wage Expense (+E, -SE) | | 1,800 |

Answer: A

Rationale: \$ 750 x 3/5 x 4 = \$1,800

Wage Expense (+E, -SE)	1,800	
Wages Payable (+L)		1,800

Topic: Inferring Transactions from Financial Statements

LO: 2

5. For the year ended December 31, 2010, Joe's Sporting Goods, Inc. purchased merchandise inventory costing \$1,965,427. Assume that all purchases were made on account. The following T-accounts reflect information contained in the company's 2009 and 2010 balance sheets:

+	Inventories (A)	-	-	Accounts Payable (L)	+
12/31/2009 Bal	457,618			211,685	12/31/2009 Bal
12/31/2010 Bal	535,698			253,395	1/28/2010 Bal

What amount did Joe's pay in cash to its suppliers for the year ended December 31, 2010? Assume that Accounts Payable is affected only by transactions related to inventory.

- a. \$1,965,427
- b. \$1,923,717
- c. \$2,007,137
- d. \$1,845,637

Answer: B

Rationale: $\$211,685 + \$1,965,427 - \$253,395 = \$1,923,717$

Topic: Inferring Transactions from Financial Statements

LO: 2

6. For the year ended December 31, 2010, Barney's Books purchased inventory costing \$3,572,428. Assume that all purchases were made on account. The following T-accounts reflect information contained in the company's 2009 and 2010 balance sheets:

+	Inventories (A)	-	-	Accounts Payable (L)	+
12/31/2009 Bal	1,274,578			745,073	12/31/2009 Bal
12/31/2010 Bal	1,313,997			828,852	12/31/2010 Bal

What amount did Barney's record as cost of goods sold for 2010?

- a. \$3,572,428
- b. \$3,449,230
- c. \$3,533,009
- d. \$3,611,847

Answer: C

Rationale: $\$1,274,578 + \$3,572,428 - \$1,313,997 = \$3,533,009$

Below is the adjusted trial balance for Yang Service Company. Use this information to answer questions 7-10.

Yang Service Company Adjusted Trial Balance December 31, 2010		
Cash	\$17,750	
Accounts receivable	16,375	
Office equipment	7,500	
Accumulated Depreciation		\$ 3,000
Accounts payable		6,375
Common Stock		11,250
Retained earnings (1/1/10)		10,000
Service Revenue		52,750
Salaries expense	18,000	
Advertising expense	11,625	
Depreciation expense	12,125	
	<u>\$83,375</u>	<u>\$83,375</u>

Topic: The Closing Process

LO: 5

7. Based on Yang's adjusted trial balance, the entry to close Advertising Expense will:

- a. Include a credit to Retained Earnings
- b. Include a debit to Common Stock
- c. Include a credit to Cash
- d. Include a credit to Advertising Expense

Answer: D

Rationale: When expenses are closed to Retained Earnings, expenses, such as Advertising Expense will be credited and Retained Earnings will be debited.

Topic: The Closing Process

LO: 5

8. Based on Yang's adjusted trial balance, the entry to close Service Revenue will:

- a. Include a credit to Retained Earnings
- b. Include a debit to Common Stock
- c. Include a debit to Cash
- d. Include a credit to Service Revenue

Answer: A

Rationale: When revenues are closed to Retained Earnings, revenues, such as Service Revenue will be debited and Retained Earnings will be credited.

Topic: Financial Statements from Adjusted Accounts

LO: 4

9. Based on Yang's adjusted trial balance, Net Income for the period equals:

- a. \$32,250
- b. \$52,750
- c. \$11,000
- d. \$0

Answer: C

Rationale: $\$52,750 - 18,000 - 11,625 - 12,125 = \$11,000$

Topic: Financial Statements and the Closing Process

LO: 4, 5

10. Based on Yang's information, the balance of Retained Earnings after closing on December 31, 2010 will be:

- a. \$21,000
- b. \$10,000
- c. \$62,750
- d. \$42,250

Answer: A

Rationale: $\$10,000 + 11,000 = \$21,000$