Perception, Self and Communication - Choose the best responses from those listed.

1. Perception checks include all EXCEPT

A description of behavior observed
A request for clarification
A statement of intent – how you will treat the person in the future
The use of objective words to describe behavior
Appropriate nonverbal behavior

perception check. perceived self. significant other. reflected appraisal. self-serving bias.

- 2. "When I see the crumbs all over the counter and dishes stacked in the sink, I don't know if you've got a big exam and have been too busy studying to clean up or if you have time but are hoping that I'll just clean up. What's the reason?" This is an example of a
- 3. In many Asian cultures being very talkative, speaking directly even when you disagree with a person, and not allowing much silence in a conversation would likely be regarded as
- a very positive sign of a cultured person. a sign of a very intelligent, knowledgeable person. both a and b.

someone who is insincere, lacking knowledge, impolite. a sign of belonging to the group.

Favoring negative impressions
Being influenced by the most obvious stimuli
Judging ourselves more charitably
Assuming others are similar to us
Clinging to first impression

4. When Tim's car was stolen after being left unlocked in front of his home, Jenny said, "He should have known better. He should lock his car." When Jenny's car was subsequently stolen after being left unlocked in front of her home, Jenny said, "The police aren't doing their job protecting us. We should be safe in our own neighborhoods. They need to be tougher on crime." Jenny's statements about the two thefts indicate which perceptual error?

5. Practicing empathy appears to

make communication more difficult between people.
help persons see more possible reasons for another's behavior.
help others be more tolerant of another.
both b and c.

All of the above.

All of the above.

intense.
repetitious.
contrasting.
in line with our motives.
All of the above.

- 6. The perceptual error of being influenced by the most obvious stimuli refers to stimuli that is
- 7. Culture often influences people's perception of:

the amount of talk considered appropriate. the value placed on silence. whether direct disagreement is seen as positive or negative. whether eye contact is considered polite and respectful.