

SOCIETY - MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

Which of the statements might a humanist be most likely to agree with?

<input type="radio"/>	1a) Everything that is wrong with the world will be made better in the next life.
<input type="radio"/>	1b) Prayer can help to make the world a better place.
<input type="radio"/>	1c) It is the responsibility of human beings to make the world a better place in the here and now.

<input type="radio"/>	2a) There are too many problems in the world - I can't possibly help.
<input type="radio"/>	2b) By taking action we can all make a difference, even if it is only in a small way.
<input type="radio"/>	2c) Everybody can change the world if they want to.

<input type="radio"/>	3a) We should treat people who are similar to us better than those who are different.
<input type="radio"/>	3b) We should treat people equally, regardless of their gender, skin colour, sexuality, or religion or belief.
<input type="radio"/>	3c) People are fundamentally different - some are better than others and so should be treated differently.

<input type="radio"/>	4a) Human rights can help support people to live free and fulfilling lives.
<input type="radio"/>	4b) Human rights cause nothing but trouble.
<input type="radio"/>	4c) Human rights are not natural so we should ignore them.

<input type="radio"/>	5a) Freedom is dangerous - society is better when everyone thinks and acts the same.
<input type="radio"/>	5b) We should support people's freedom to form their own beliefs and live how they wish - education can support that.
<input type="radio"/>	5c) Everyone is completely free - we cannot have our freedoms taken away.

<input type="radio"/>	6a) The one true religion should have a special place in society and the state should promote it.
<input type="radio"/>	6b) All religions should be banned - the state should promote atheism.
<input type="radio"/>	6c) The state should support secularism and allow freedom of religion and belief.

<input type="radio"/>	7a) We should support secularism because it supports freedom, fairness, and peace.
<input type="radio"/>	7b) We should support secularism because it will destroy all religions.
<input type="radio"/>	7c) We should support secularism because our leaders tell us we must.

<input type="radio"/>	8a) Making progress is impossible - human beings only make things worse.
<input type="radio"/>	8b) Things are worse today than they were in the past - we need to return to the way things used to be.
<input type="radio"/>	8c) We have made great progress - but there is still much work to be done.

<input type="radio"/>	9a) Humanists can be found supporting many different causes.
<input type="radio"/>	9b) Humanists are only interested in the work and campaigns of humanist organisations.
<input type="radio"/>	9c) Humanists don't believe in charity.

<input type="radio"/>	10a) Looking at the Earth from space can only make us feel insignificant and lonely.
<input type="radio"/>	10b) Looking at the Earth from space reminds us that we are the centre of the universe.
<input type="radio"/>	10c) Looking at the Earth from space can remind us how important it is to us and how we need to take care of it and each other.

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Answers

- 1) C
- 2) B
- 3) B
- 4) A
- 5) B
- 6) C
- 7) A
- 8) C
- 9) A
- 10) C