

***Ethics Theory and Contemporary Issues Concise
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TRUE/FALSE

1 : According to the divine command theory of ethics, certain actions are right because God wills them for us. We therefore have a duty to find out exactly what God wills and distinguish it from what is merely a fallible human wish or interpretation of what Gods will might be.

A : true

B : false

Correct Answer : A

2 : Secular ethics are only for atheists.

A : true

B : false

Correct Answer : B

3 : Value pluralism argues that there are multiple and conflicting goods in the world, which cannot be reduced to some other good.

A : true

B : false

Correct Answer : A

4 : The Divine Command Theory states that certain actions are sins, based on their moral and ethical value.

A : true

B : false

Correct Answer : B

5 : The idea of ahimsa was originally developed by Aristotle.

A : true

B : false

Correct Answer : B

6 : The concept of a single moral community that is not bound to cultural or religious traditions is known as cosmopolitanism.

A : true

B : false

Correct Answer : A

7 : A theodicy is an argument that seeks to discredit belief in a deity.

A : true

B : false

Correct Answer : B

8 : John Locke believed in toleration of religious dissenters.

A : true

B : false

Correct Answer : A

9 : The paradox of toleration is no longer relevant to today's global culture.

- A : true
- B : false

Correct Answer : B

10 : According to Habermas, fundamentalism is incongruous with democratic society.

- A : true
- B : false

Correct Answer : A

11 : The Golden Rule is followed by most of the world's major religions.

- A : true
- B : false

Correct Answer : A

MULTIPLE CHOICE

12 : Which amendment of the US Constitution proclaims religious liberty?

- A : First.
- B : Second.
- C : Third.
- D : Fourth.

Correct Answer : A

13 : After which major international conflict was the United Nations formed?

- A : World War I.
- B : The Boer War.
- C : The Civil War.
- D : World War II.

Correct Answer : D

14 : Which approach is aimed at finding common ground between world religions and cultural traditions?

- A : Religious pluralism.
- B : The Golden Rule.
- C : The Golden Mean.
- D : Value Pluralism.

Correct Answer : A

15 : Which thinker did not promote civil disobedience as a method for protesting and reforming law systems?

- A : Thoreau.

B : Kant.
C : Gandhi.
D : King Jr.

Correct Answer : B

16 : In which society did tolerance and pluralism originate?

A : Western Europe, during the enlightenment.
B : Ancient Greece.
C : Ancient Rome.
D : Many societies across the world, throughout history.

Correct Answer : D