

Foundations of Ethics

Ethics · Answer Key · 18 Questions

1. Which of these is defined as the quality of being honest and having strong moral principles?

A) Integrity

B) Jealousy

C) Laziness

D) Impatience

2. What is the term for the requirement to be accountable for one's own actions?

A) Negligence

B) Responsibility

C) Avoidance

D) Indifference

3. What does it mean to treat people with fairness and impartiality?

A) Favoritism

B) Justice

C) Exclusion

D) Selfishness

4. Which virtue involves showing kindness and concern for others?

A) Cruelty

B) Compassion

C) Rudeness

D) Apathy

5. What is the act of telling the truth called?

A) Deception

B) Honesty

C) Exaggeration

D) Secrecy

6. Which term describes the practice of respecting the rights and property of others?

A) Vandalism

B) Respect

C) Carelessness

D) Disruption

7. What do we call a set of rules that a group or society agrees to follow?

- A) Chaos
- B) Laws**
- C) Opinions
- D) Suggestions

8. Which action is considered a breach of trust?

- A) Keeping a promise
- B) Being punctual
- C) Breaking a promise**
- D) Helping a friend

9. What is the term for the fair distribution of resources and opportunities?

- A) Inequality
- B) Equity**
- C) Hoarding
- D) Exclusion

10. Which term describes a person who helps others in their community without being paid?

- A) Volunteer**
- B) Employee
- C) Customer
- D) Spectator

11. What is the opposite of 'being a bully'?

- A) Intimidation
- B) Harassment
- C) Kindness**
- D) Mockery

12. Which of these is a key part of resolving a disagreement peacefully?

- A) Shouting
- B) Listening**
- C) Ignoring
- D) Fighting

13. What is a 'golden rule' often associated with ethical conduct?

- A) Treat others as you want to be treated**
- B) Always look out for yourself
- C) Rules are only for adults
- D) Winning is the most important thing

14. What describes the act of giving credit to someone else for their work?

- A) Plagiarism
- B) Theft
- C) Honesty**
- D) Concealment

15. Which quality involves not giving up when a task is difficult?

- A) Perseverance**
- B) Impulsiveness
- C) Quitting
- D) Laziness

16. What is it called when you consider how your actions affect the natural environment?

- A) Sustainability**
- B) Wastefulness
- C) Neglect
- D) Pollution

17. Which term describes the act of saying 'sorry' when you have done something wrong?

- A) Defiance
- B) Apologizing**
- C) Denial
- D) Blaming

18. What does it mean to show 'tolerance' toward someone?

- A) Excluding them
- B) Accepting differences**
- C) Mocking beliefs
- D) Ignoring others