Year 9 Ethics home learning project

Lesson 2: Utilitarianism

Task 1: Watch the video and create a mind map

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6UuCMd1wmf8>

Task 2: Answer the following questions:

1. What do you think to utilitarianism- is it useful when making decisions?
2. What strengths and weaknesses are there?

Task 3: Watch this video clip

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-a739VjqdSI>

* Create an information sheet/poster all about utilitarianism

Lesson1: An introduction to ethics

Task1: https://www.oxnotes.com/quality-and-sanctity-of-life-gcse-religious-studies-revision-notes.html

Read through this info sheet and define:

* Quality of life
* Sanctity of life

Task 2: Watch the clip and answer the following questions:

1. What should happen to Tony?
2. Is life sacred?
3. Is it right to let people choose when they want to die?
4. What issues might there be with this?
5. Only God should have control over death, no humans. Do you agree?
6. <https://www.bing.com/videos/search?q=tony+nicklinson&&view=detail&mid=BFB95013D7E7F1282884BFB95013D7E7F1282884&&FORM=VRDGAR&ru=%2Fvideos%2Fsearch%3Fq%3Dtony%2Bnicklinson%26FORM%3DHDRSC4>​

**Lesson five**- Animal Testing

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1. Watch the documentary which explores the question ‘is it ever right to test on animals’
2. <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/is-it-ever-right-to-experiment-on-animals/z6s6nrd>
3. Create a table in your book and note down the for and against arguments for testing on animals.
4. What are the different religious views?
5. Do you think it is ever acceptable to test medical products on animals? Explain.

**Lesson 4: Medical Technology**

Task- Research the answers to the following. Use the BBCbitesize link to help.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z2jmyrd/revision/1>

Q1. What is IVF?

Q2. Who was the first IVF baby?

Q3. What are the positives and negatives around IVF?

Q4. How do you think religious people might respond to IVF?

Q5. What is cloning?

Q6. What might be the benefits of cloning animals and plants?

Q7. What are the positives and negatives of cloning humans?

**‘Humans are playing God’**

Use the structure from the previous lesson to help you answer the question

Lesson 3: Suffering

Task 1: Watch the clip and explain what the problem of evil is

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zhsjscw/video>

Task 2: Using BBC bitesize, answer the following questions:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zkdk382/articles/z6twrj6>

1. What is moral evil?
2. What is natural evil?
3. What do some say is a solution to suffering?

Task 3: Answer the following question, use the template to help.

‘Humans are to blame for suffering, not God’

Paragraph 1- Agree/Disagree

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Paragraph 2- Disagree/Agree

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