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Morality

Morality is a word that describes the beliefs we hold about what is right or wrong, good or bad, usually in respect to a person's behavior. Different people can have very different ideas of morality depending on the way they were raised and the beliefs they hold.

What does morality mean to you? _____

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Why is morality important?_____

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Describe an immoral act: _____

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Some principles of morality are universal, such as the idea that it's wrong to harm others or to be cruel or selfish. Yet other principles of morality depend on a person's culture and their unique beliefs. For example, Muslims believe it is wrong to eat pork, whereas others do not. Here in America, we keep dogs as pets and loyal companions, so most people would think it immoral to eat a dog. Yet in many other parts of the world, eating dog is no different than eating beef or chicken.

Give an example of an act that is universally immoral: _____

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Now give an example of something that is only considered immoral according to one person's particular beliefs:

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