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Y9 RE KNOWLEDGE ORGANISER HOMEWORK AUTUMN

Unit 1: Life and Death

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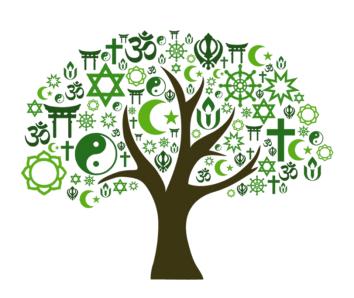
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L1 What's the right thing to do			
1. Understanding the difference between right and wrong or good and bad behaviour.	Morality		
2. Moral principles (rules) controlling a person's behaviour	Ethics		
3. The greatest good for the greatest number of people is known as	Utilitarianism		
4. Having to make a decision in a difficult situation is an?	Ethical/moral dilemma		
5. An example of an ethical dilemma is?	The Trolley Problem		
L2 Thomas Aquinas' Natural Moral Law			
1. According to Aquinas, who gives humans their laws?	God		
2. What is the word Aquinas uses for the general rules/laws we should follow?	Precepts		
3. How many primary and secondary precepts did Aquinas give?	5 primary, 5 secondary		
4. What is his first primary precept?	Preserve Life		
5. What is the secondary precept for 'Preserve Life'?	Do not murder		
L3 Criticisms of Natural Moral Law			
6. A criticism picks out what in an argument?	The flaws/problems		
7. One criticism of Natural Moral Law is the issue of interpretation,	How we understand		
meaning?	the argument		
8. Aquinas wants people to strictly follow his precepts which is?	Absolutist		
9. It does not take into account the situation and its?	Context		
10. What would Aquinas' Law not allow and why?	Abortion (would view it as murder)		
L4 Joseph Fletcher's Situation Ethics			
11. Fletcher believes when applying moral laws to situations, what should there be?	Flexibility (based on context)		
12. Morality exists in relation to the context, is not absolute.	Relativism		
13. What is the word for unconditional love?	Agape		
14. Fletcher argues we should always do what is?	Most loving		
15. This links to the idea of?	Utilitarianism (greatest good for greatest number)		
L5: Criticisms of Situation Ethics	T		
16. What is Criticism 1 of Fletcher's Situation Ethics?	A slippery slope (allowing rules to be removed)		
17. What is Criticism 2 of Fletcher's Situation Ethics?	Is love a good guiding principle?		
18. What is Criticism 3 of Fletcher's Situation Ethucs?	Using love to do unloving things		
19. What is the example of unloving things to be done in the name of love?	Animal testing		

20. Some would argue animal testing is?	Morally wrong		
L6: Sanctity and Quality of Life			
21. The view that all life is sacred because it is made by God.	Sanctity of life		
22. The standard of health, comfort and happiness for a	Quality of life		
group/individual			
23. Complete the quote: "Before I [God] formed you in the womb"	"I knew you"		
24. Who has the only right to take life away, according to many	God		
religious believers?			
25. What is an example of having poor quality of life?	Locked in syndrome		
L7: Abortion			
26. A procedure to end a pregnancy is?	Abortion		
27. Are pro-life individuals/groups FOR or AGAINST abortion?	AGAINST abortion		
28. Are pro-choice individuals/groups FOR or AGAINST abortion?	FOR abortion		
29. Pro-lifers believe life begins when?	At conception (egg and		
	sperm meeting)		
30. Who would AGREE with abortion?	Fletcher- AGREE		
31.Who would DISAGREE with abortion?	Aquinas- DISAGREE		
L8: Euthanasia			
32. The painless killing of someone with an incurable	Euthanasia		
disease/irreversible coma is?			
33. Assisted suicide is also known as?	Voluntary euthanasia		
34. Which year was the Suicide Act, making assisted suicide in the UK	1961		
illegal?			
35. How many years can you be put into prison for assisting	14 years		
someone to die?			
36. Who would AGREE with euthanasia?	Fletcher- AGREE		
37. Who would DISAGREE with euthanasia?	Aquinas- DISAGREE		
L9: Capital Punishment			
38. Capital punishment can also be known as?	Death penalty OR		
	death sentence		
39. Is capital punishment legal OR illegal in the UK?	Illegal		
40. How many people were freed from death row in America since	144 people		
1973?			
41. What does legally authorised mean?	Allowed by the law		
42. Some people see capital punishment as a?	Deterrent		
L10: Animal Rights			
43. The rights of animals to live free from human?	Exploitation and abuse		
44. Exploitation means?	Using something for		
	your own gain		
45. Who believes we should be able to use animals how we want?	Thomas Aquinas		
46. Who believes we should treat animals better, because they	Peter Singer		
suffer?			
47. What is a huge contributor to climate change?	Cattle farming		