

QUESTIONNAIRE OF IDEAS AND ATTITUDES

Before you begin your study of human behaviour, try this questionnaire to examine some of your ideas and attitudes. Place a check mark in the column you feel is appropriate

Idea/Attitude	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
1. The way that each of us perceives the world is similar to the way others perceive it.				
2. More than any other species, human beings rely on their ability to learn.				
3. Most people understand why they do things.				
4. It is best to ignore the emotional side of our make-up.				
5. Raising children is mainly an instinct. It is done in much the same way all over the world.				
6. As time goes on, families will have less and less importance in the lives of most people.				
7. Society would work better if one person or a group of selected people laid down the law and told people how to work and live.				
8. There are times when it is important not to conform to the expectations of others in society.				
9. I am generally optimistic that the society of the future will be a better place in which to live.				
10. People are born with prejudice and discrimination, so these issues will never be eliminated.				
11. In one way or another, all cultures have something of value to offer to the world.				
12. Watching television—in fact, viewing any form of media—is a waste of time.				
13. Although we have our problems, Canadian society is basically healthy.				
14. All over the world, people want more or less the same things out of life.				
15. Modern industrial societies should bring the benefits of their way of life to all people.				