

# What is Important to Me?

**Vocab:** Copy definitions down and add one example OF YOUR OWN for each category of values.

Value	Definition	Example
Moral Values		
Aesthetic Values		
Material Values		
Intrinsic Values		
Extrinsic Values		
Universal Values		

## Values Activity

1. Read the 20 statements below and think about how important that particular quality would be to you in your ideal job.
2. Once you've read them all, separate them into the three categories: Most Important, Somewhat Important, & Least Important.
3. Consider what is most important to YOU, not society or those around you.

Being an honest person	To have political power
Being known as a "real" person	Self-confidence and personal growth
Enjoyment of nature and beauty	A life with meaning, purpose, fulfillment
Continuing to learn and gain knowledge	Some honest and close friends
A long and healthy life	Satisfaction/success in the career of your choice
An equal opportunity for all people	Freedom to live life as you want
A financially comfortable life	Accomplishment of something worthwhile
An enjoyable, leisurely life	Getting things changed for the better
A chance to develop creativity/potential in any area	Owning a possession of great value
To speak up for my personal beliefs	To have better feelings about myself

Most Important	Somewhat Important	Least Important

**Reflection:** Once all of the statements are ranked, write a reflection that answers the following questions.

What items are the MOST IMPORTANT to you and why?

What might this say about your future/possible career?

What items are the LEAST IMPORTANT to you and why?

What might this say about your future/possible career?