

Youth Values

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Focus Group Statements 1 - 92

1. ABORTION IS ALWAYS WRONG
2. ALL BABIES SHOULD BE WANTED
3. IT IS A WOMAN'S RIGHT TO CHOOSE ABORTION
4. BEING BULLIED TOUGHENS YOU UP
5. BULLIES ARE ALWAYS COWARDS
6. CANNABIS SHOULD BE LEGALISED
7. SOME DRUGS ARE LESS HARMFUL THAN OTHERS
8. ONLY LOSERS TAKE DRUGS
9. TAKING DRUGS IS FUN
10. IF IT FEELS GOOD IT CAN'T BE WRONG
11. BUYING STOLEN GOODS IS AS BAD AS STEALING THEM YOURSELF
12. SMOKING IS COMMON
13. PEOPLE WHO SMOKE BECAUSE THEIR FRIENDS SMOKE ARE LOSERS
14. PEOPLE WHO WON'T TAKE RISKS CAN'T BE TRUSTED
15. IT IS WRONG TO HAVE A CHILD UNLESS YOU CAN SUPPORT IT
16. EVERYONE SHOULD BE ABLE TO SUPPORT THEMSELVES
17. GENETIC ENGINEERING IS LIKE PEOPLE PLAYING GOD
18. MESSING WITH THE LAWS OF NATURE ALWAYS ENDS IN TROUBLE
19. PARENTS SHOULD STICK TOGETHER FOR THE SAKE OF THEIR CHILDREN
20. CHILDREN NEED TWO PARENTS
21. BOYS ARE MORE HOMOPHOBIC THAN GIRLS
22. HOMOSEXUALITY IS NORMAL
23. HOMOSEXUALITY IS ONLY A PHASE
24. IT IS OK TO STEAL FROM A BIG COMPANY

25. OLDER PEOPLE SHOULD BE RESPECTED
26. PEOPLE WHO DROP LITTER MUST LIVE LIKE PIGS
27. ANIMALS SHOULD HAVE THE SAME RIGHTS AS HUMANS
28. THE MAIN ROLE OF ANIMALS IS TO SERVE THE NEEDS OF HUMANS
29. THE ONLY WAY TO STOP POLLUTION IS FOR EVERYONE TO STOP DRIVING CARS
30. YOU SHOULD ALWAYS IGNORE BEING CALLED NAMES
31. SOMETIMES VIOLENCE IS THE ONLY WAY TO GET THINGS DONE
32. VIOLENCE IS THE COWARD'S WAY OUT
33. PORNOGRAPHY EXPLOITS THE HUMAN BODY
34. PORNOGRAPHY IS JUST A LAUGH
35. THE AGE OF CONSENT FOR SEX SHOULD BE LOWERED TO 14
36. IF A GIRL SAYS NO TO SEX SHE DOESN'T REALLY MEAN IT
37. YOU SHOULD ONLY HAVE SEX IF YOU LOVE SOMEONE
38. PROSTITUTION IS A GOOD WAY OF EARNING QUICK MONEY
39. WHEN IT COMES TO RELATIONSHIPS PEOPLE SHOULD STICK TO THEIR OWN CULTURE
40. MOST WHITE PEOPLE ARE RACIST
41. ONLY WHITE PEOPLE CAN BE RACIST
42. THE ONLY WAY TO END THE TROUBLES IS FOR CHILDREN TO BE EDUCATED TOGETHER
43. RELIGION ALWAYS CAUSES CONFLICT
44. VIOLENCE IS THE ONLY WAY TO GET RESPECT
45. TWO WRONGS DON'T MAKE A RIGHT
46. PEOPLE WHO ARE GOOD LOOKING DON'T HAVE TO WORK SO HARD IN LIFE
47. ANYTHING A GIRL CAN DO A BOYS CAN DO BETTER
48. WOMEN ARE MORE CARING THAN MEN

49. WOMEN ARE STRONGER THAN MEN
50. YOU SHOULD NEVER STEAL FROM SOMEONE YOU KNOW
51. THERE IS NOTHING WRONG IN STEALING FROM BIG SHOPS
52. PEOPLE SHOULD HAVE THE RIGHT TO CONTROL THEIR OWN DEATH
53. THERE'S NO POINT GETTING MARRIED THESE DAYS
54. THERE'S NO POINT GETTING MARRIED WHEN YOU CAN LIVE TOGETHER
55. TELLING ON A BULLY IS EASY
56. IT'S NEVER OK TO GRASS
57. IF YOU DON'T STICK UP FOR YOURSELF YOU ARE GOING TO GET PICKED ON
58. FRIENDS NEVER TELL ON EACH OTHER
59. YOU CAN ALWAYS TRUST A FRIEND
60. YOU CAN ONLY EVER TRUST YOURSELF
61. SOMETIMES YOU HAVE TO TAKE THE LAW INTO YOUR OWN HANDS
62. RULES ARE MADE TO BE BROKEN
63. EVERYONE CHEATS SOMETIMES
64. PEOPLE WHO STUDY HARD ARE NEVER POPULAR
65. PEOPLE WHO DON'T TAKE RISKS ARE BORING
66. STAYING ON IN EDUCATION IS A WASTE OF TIME
67. A GOOD EDUCATION IS THE MOST IMPORTANT THING IN LIFE
68. THE ONLY WAY TO MAKE YOUNG PEOPLE BEHAVE IS TO BE REALLY STRICT
69. TEENAGE MAGAZINES ARE A BAD INFLUENCE ON GIRLS
70. COMPUTER GAMES ENCOURAGE VIOLENCE
71. YOUNG PEOPLE DON'T KNOW WHAT IS IN THEIR OWN INTERESTS
72. CHILDREN DON'T KNOW THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN RIGHT AND WRONG
73. PARENTS SHOULD NOT HAVE THE RIGHT TO HIT THEIR CHILDREN

74. IT'S GOOD TO BE DIFFERENT
75. IT'S HARD TO BE DIFFERENT
76. YOU SHOULD ALWAYS SPEAK YOUR MIND
77. THERE ARE NO ROLE MODELS FOR YOUNG WOMEN
78. THERE ARE NO ROLE MODELS FOR YOUNG MEN
79. ADULTS CAN'T BE TRUSTED
80. ANYONE CAN MAKE IT IF THEY TRY HARD ENOUGH
81. YOUNG PEOPLE LIVE IN A FANTASY WORLD
82. MONEY DOESN'T BRING HAPPINESS
83. YOU SHOULD ALWAYS BE YOURSELF
84. PLASTIC SURGERY IS ALWAYS WRONG
85. THE AGE OF CONSENT SHOULD BE RAISED TO 18
86. WITHOUT A RELIGIOUS FAITH YOU CANNOT KNOW THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN
RIGHT AND WRONG
87. IT CAN BE FUN TO LOSE CONTROL
88. POLITICS ARE A WASTE OF TIME
89. IT'S GOOD TO BE BAD
90. YOU SHOULD ALWAYS STICK BY YOUR FAMILY
91. THE WORLD IS CHANGING FOR THE BETTER
92. SMOKING LOOKS GOOD