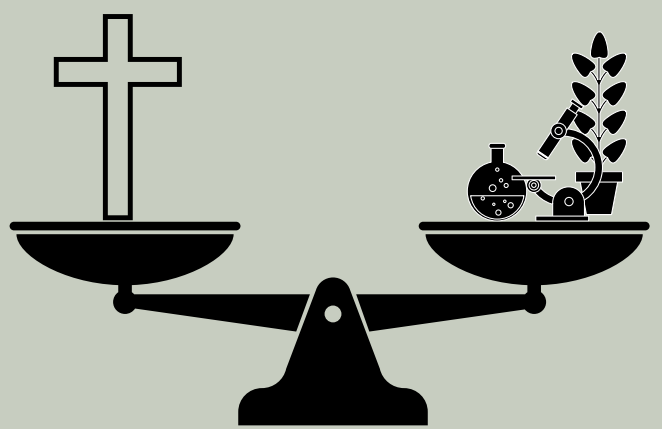


Am I a Humanist?

What is Humanism?

Humanism is an approach to life based off of reason and being able to recognize that moral values are founded on human nature and experience alone. Humanists believe that humans weren't created instead that they evolved. Humanists believed in god, but also valued



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Individualism

Humanist - people who believed in Humanism - discovered a new way of look at life. They created a Philosophy based on the importance and dignity of each individual as opposed to groups.

I really like this idea of Individualism, the idea of being based off of self importance not family importance creates more opportunities for people whereas family based is limited to what your family did. To rise above others based off of your family is basically like being born a Kardashian in this world. By using your family fame you rise above. But Individualism is using your talents to rise above, and it proves that you deserve to rise above.

Individual Achievements

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During the renaissance, Humanists valued individual achievement over what someone's family or social status is which ties into Individualism.

Although I like the idea of Individualism, I can't get behind Individual Achievements. I feel like if the world was based off of Individual Achievements anxiety, depression and pressure would be at its peak. All it gives is power for people to compare you and make it all a competition. Especially as someone with siblings, I get told all about what Oscar has done or what Ophelia has done and then get these standards that I can't meet. It just causes disappointment when I can't meet the expectations set and it causes stress for me when they get disappointed. It's stupid and I hate it.

Religion



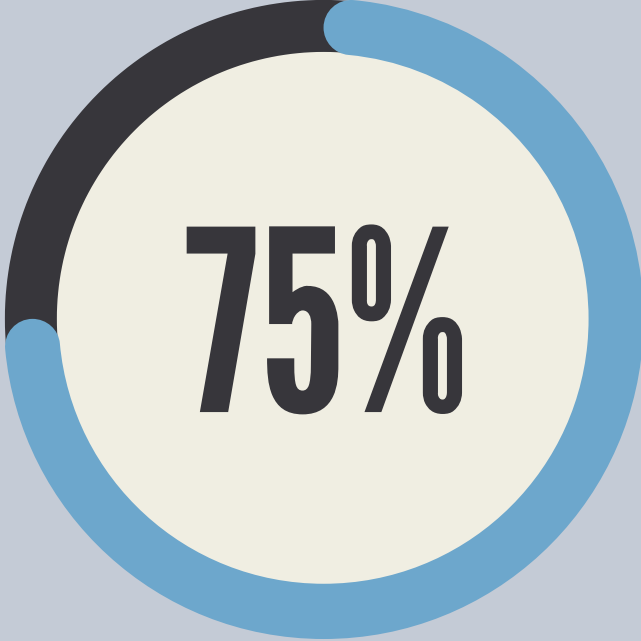
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Humanists believed you should use your mind to question everything. Most tried to balance religious faith and its emphasis on the after life with an active interest in daily life. Humanists also wanted to remove religion as a prime force and to establish it as one of several institutions in society.

I agree with this idea but I cannot fully 100% it. If someone is religious then it means they believe in a god or multiple gods depending on the religion. In a sense every single religion is like mythology. Stories passed down from generations told by some super old dudes. I love myths. Especially any Greek or Roman or Norse Mythology. Absolutely amazing. I think an example of this would be Christians and the Bible. People come every week to listen to readings from the Bible and they read them over and over again like I read myths over and over again, which is why I can't give it more than 85%.

Classical World

Imitating the Romans and Greeks was quite common among Humanists. Architecture was similar to those in the Greek and Roman Empires at the time of the Renaissance. Not only did Humanists imitate the Greeks and Romans but they also improved on the ideas.



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Secularism

Secularism is the idea that says religion should not be involved with the regular social and political activities of a country. An example of a country like this would be India, a country with no official religion and tries to treat all religions equally under the law.