



Importance of Values in Human Life

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ABSTRACT

I. INTRODUCTION

Human values are the core values that make up our personality and define how we act in life. These values are very important as they make up who we are and are what guide us through life. The values that we hold determine who we want to be as well as how we live our lives and the decisions that we make on an everyday basis. All humans have these values in some way or another, and it is up to us to choose which values we hold most.

The importance of human values is that it provides an understanding of what people find to be important in their lives. There are many different aspects of human values. For example, integrity, morality, and benevolence are all aspects of human values. The value system is not static and can change depending on context or social situation.

The human values are honesty, fairness, respect, responsibility, caring and citizenship. These values are the core of any human society and they should be applied in every area of life.

Importance of Human values – Human values are nothing but the thoughts and values of human beings. They play a vital role in the life cycle of a human being. Human values help us to grow and succeed in our life. Simply human values can be regarded as a decision – making quality of a person. Every decision is made in an organization or a company based on human values.

Human values play a vital role in an individual, relationship, organization as well as in society. It includes honesty, love, peace, loyalty, etc. These are the qualities that are important for humans in all stages. Human values always reflect your thoughts. One must take all the possible efforts to maintain his or her human values.

II. DEFINITION OF VALUES

In all the disciplines, values are held collectively by societies and individually by persons. Many authors define the term value in different ways.

Dewey and Raths (1939) – Values are things, ideas, institutions and processes that we prize, cherish and hold dear. Values are almost invariably associated with goals.

Gross and Crandall (1963) – Values are always important to the person who holds it. It is desirable and satisfying, it has the ability to develop in a self – creative way and it tends to endure.

Muktasen (1967) – Values help to distinguish human nature and make man highest in the involuntary process.

Raths (1959) – values are adopted not impulsively but only after deliberation and reflection have judged it desirable.

Dandapani (2000) – a value is a conception, explicit or implicit, distinctive of an individual or characteristic of a group of the desirable which influences the selection from variable modes, means, ends of action.

III. OBJECTIVES

1. To understand the implications of human values.
2. To study the human values.
3. To access the knowledge of human values.

IV. METHODOLOGY

Methodology has unique place and significance in the research. It is reflection of work done by research both in term of quality as well as quantity. Research methodology deals with the description of research methods.

Observation method is described as a method to observe and describe the behavior of a subject and it involves the basic technique of simply watching the phenomena until some hunch or insight is gained. We are almost constantly engaged in observation. “It is our basic method of obtaining information about the world around us”. Man’s eye has been a basic tool for observation for a long time.

V. DATA COLLECTION

Method will be applied for collection of data is observation method is an important, useful and widely acceptable tool of data collection. Data collected personally through observation while collected data from respondents.

VI. CONCLUSION

The term human values is a difficult one to define, but they are essentially moral values that apply to all humans. Different cultures will have different sets of human values, but some can be found in every culture. These are things such as equality, freedom, and justice. It may be easier to think of human values as principles. Some people may use a religion’s commandments as their set of human values while others find their values within themselves. Either way, individuals need to know what their own set of human values is because these provide guidelines on how they should behave with other people, at home and at work.

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