

Introduction to Ethics - Course Study Sheet

Course: Introduction to Ethics Cluster: Humanities, Writing, and Communication

Examines moral reasoning, major ethical frameworks, cases, duties, consequences, character, justice, and care.

Five-module course map

Module	Active evidence to produce
1. ethical argument	Explain the central idea, complete an application, diagnose one plausible error, and connect it to the next module.
2. consequential approaches	Explain the central idea, complete an application, diagnose one plausible error, and connect it to the next module.
3. duty and rights	Explain the central idea, complete an application, diagnose one plausible error, and connect it to the next module.
4. virtue and care	Explain the central idea, complete an application, diagnose one plausible error, and connect it to the next module.
5. justice and applied ethics	Explain the central idea, complete an application, diagnose one plausible error, and connect it to the next module.

Reliable learning method

clarify facts and stakeholders, distinguish legal from ethical questions, apply multiple frameworks, answer objections, and justify a decision

Representative application

Analyze a resource-allocation case through consequences, rights, fairness, relationships, uncertainty, and implementation.

Weekly study cycle

1. Preview the objective and write two questions. 2. Attend or engage and capture decisions rather than every sentence. 3. Reconstruct the main idea within 24 hours. 4. Complete independent practice. 5. Analyze the first unsupported move on each error. 6. Use feedback. 7. Schedule a delayed mixed recheck.

Self-check before moving on

Can you explain the idea without notes, complete a fresh task, detect a near-miss, verify the result, and state a limitation? Watch especially for: stating a preference or emotional reaction as a complete ethical argument.

What to save

an ethics case analysis with facts, stakeholders, frameworks, objections, decision, and residual concerns

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