

## Ethics Project Contract

To receive a 90% you must:

- Complete three Reading Journals
  - Write your own "Life Principles" (at least four). Create a visual (poster, pamphlet, animoto, xtranormal, etc.) that gives an explanation of each principle and present it to the class.
  - Answer two ethical questions. Refer to your own and the author's Life Principles in your answer.
  - Complete two menu items
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To receive an 80% you must:

- Complete three Reading Journals
  - Write your own "Life Principles" (at least four). Create a visual (poster, pamphlet, animoto, xtranormal, etc.) that gives an explanation of each principle
  - Answer two ethical questions. Refer to your own and the author's Life Principles in your answer
  - Complete two menu items
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To receive a 70% you must:

- Complete two Reading Journals
  - Write your own "Life Principles" (at least three). Give a brief explanation of each and create a visual of your principles and explanation (poster, pamphlet, animoto, xtranormal, etc.)
  - Answer two ethical questions. Refer to your own Life Principles in your answer
  - Complete one menu item
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To receive a **60%** you must:

- Complete two Reading Journals
- Write your own "Life Principles" (at least three). Write a brief explanation of each.
- Answer one ethical question. Refer to your own Life Principles in your answer
- Complete one menu item

## The Menu

1. Interview an adult about their “Life Principles”. Write a paragraph comparing their principles to your own.
  2. Write two (or more) paragraphs disputing one (or more) of Bruce Weinstein’s 5 Life Principles.
  3. Compose ten “Student Guidelines” and ten “Teacher Guidelines” of conduct at Thom.
  4. Choose a song, TV show, or movie and in two paragraphs discuss which of Bruce Weinstein’s five Life Principles are promoted and which are broken. Use specific examples.
  5. Choose a song, TV show, or movie in which a character makes an ethical decision. Summarize what the character’s decision was, if you agree with that choice, and if Bruce Weinstein would agree with the choice.
  6. You have been hired as a marketing expert to promote *Is it Still Cheating if I Don’t Get Caught?* Create a poster/pamphlet or video that outlines the major principles of the book and promotes it to teenagers.
  7. Choose an ethical issue in the world and write a two paragraph reflection on what you think should be done, according to your own and/or Bruce Weinstein’s Life Principles.
  8. Summarize one of Weinstein’s five Life Principles in a podcast.
  9. Create a new front and back cover for *Is it Still Cheating if I Don’t Get Caught?* The back cover must include YOUR OWN summary of the book.
  10. Your own choice, by proposal.
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I, \_\_\_\_\_, who will henceforth be referred to as “the scholar” do hereby declare that I am contracting for a \_\_\_\_\_% for the ethics project. I have read and agreed to the following terms and conditions:

- I acknowledge that this is a ‘mastery’ project, and in accordance to that will only submit the best work that I am capable of doing.
- I appreciate that time given in class to work can be negotiated if either party is not purposefully using work time.
- I understand that if I show myself to be incapable of structuring my time successfully, a work plan will be given to me. I will be expected to adhere to this work plan daily.
- If I complete all of the tasks for the percentage I have contracted for before the deadline and am found to be wasting my time, I will complete tasks in the category above my contracted for percentage.
- If I do not submit any assignments on the due date, I will receive a zero for this project.
- I understand the following will be applied to my project:
  - NHI – Not handed in – minus 10%
  - NR – Needs revision – minus 5%
  - INC – Incomplete – minus 5%
  - OA – Over and Above – plus 10%

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(Scholar Signature)

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Date

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(Witness)

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Date

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(Teacher’s Signature)

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Date