

The Basics of Relativism

What is it?

The philosophical position that all points of view are _____ valid, and that all truth is relative to the individual.

That means...

No
But this position has many major flaws that cannot be overlooked

So is relativism 'atheism'?

All moral positions, all religious systems, all art forms, all political movements, etc. are truths that are _____ to the individual

3 main areas of relativistic thought

1. Cognitive - affirms all _____ is relative

2. Moral/Ethical - morals are relative within your own _____ construct

3. Situational - ethics depend upon _____

Moral slippery _____

What about _____/ Punishment?

_____ absolute truth

Relativism creates 3 main problems

If everyone does what is right in _____ own eyes then:

1. Where does our law apply?
2. Where does logic apply?
3. Where does truth apply?

In a nut shell...