

**BRANCHES OF PHILOSOPHY -**

1. What are the three main branches of philosophy? In addition to giving each branch's *name*, briefly *explain* what each branch is.

2. What are the two branches of *ethics* (or *moral philosophy*)?

3. What are the two branches of *theoretical* ethics?

**NORMATIVE ETHICS -**

4. The two main theories of *normative* ethics are *deontological* ethics and *teleological* ethics. What is *deontology* (or *deontological* ethics)?

5. The two main theories of *teleological* ethics are *consequentialism* and *virtue ethics*. What is *virtue ethics*?

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7. Utilitarianism is a consequentialist moral theory. Yet, is it egoistic, altruistic, or neither? Explain your answer.

8. In the Bible, the ten commandments are God-given commandments that prohibit specific acts (such as murder and robbery). Between deontology and a consequentialism, which theory of normative ethics is a better explanation of the ten commandments? Explain your answer.