
PHILOSOPHERS' CAFÉ

PHILOSOPHERS' CAFÉ: Q02 (Task 1)

E007Q02

You are at the Philosophers' Café Home page. Click on the link for Confucius. What did Confucius mean by "Ren"?

- A Peace and prosperity.
- B Living in chaos and war.
- C The behavior of rulers.
- D Kindness to other people.
- E Living in harmony.

SCORING

QUESTION INTENT:

Access and retrieve: Retrieve information

Locate a definition that is directly stated in a short text containing complex or unfamiliar information

Correct

D. Kindness to other people.

Incorrect

Other responses.

PHILOSOPHERS' CAFÉ: Q05 (Task 2)

E007Q05

Go to the Activities page. Look at Scenario 2. Which of Zeno's teachings does this comic illustrate?

- A We should consider others in order to live happily.
- B We should be concerned about our appearance.
- C We should not let our desires control us.
- D We should not try to change the past.

SCORING

QUESTION INTENT:

Integrate and interpret: Develop an interpretation

Recognize a similarity of theme between a complex abstract text and a cartoon

Correct

- C. We should not let our desires control us.

No Credit

Other responses.

PHILOSOPHERS' CAFÉ: Q01 (Task 3)

E007Q01

Go to the Activities page. Find the Timeline. Use the information in the website to find when each of the three philosophers (Bentham, Confucius and Zeno) was born. Then use the drop down menus in the timeline to show when each philosopher was born.

SCORING

QUESTION INTENT:

Access and retrieve: Retrieve information

Locate several pieces of information that are explicitly stated across multiple sites

Full Credit

Selects correct dates for each philosopher.

- Confucius: 600–400 BC
- Zeno: 400–200 BC
- Bentham: 1600–1800 AD

No Credit

Other answers.