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Questions from SINTERMEERTEN COLLEGE, NETHERLANDS

1. Do you believe in absolute freedom of speech i.e. that everyone should be allowed to say whatever he/she wants?
2. Should there be restrictions imposed by law on what people may say in public?
3. If restrictions are imposed on by law should violation of this law be sanctioned; so should someone who says or writes something considered offensive be punished?
4. If you agree to punishment: is this a very bad crime?
5. Do you believe that people have the right to practice their own religion even if people of different beliefs find this practice offensive, repulsive or degrading?
6. Do you believe it is ever justified to defend your (religious) beliefs by using violence?
7. Do you believe that people from other cultures / religions should adapt fully to their new homeland if they decide to live in another country?
8. Do you think countries should provide facilities for immigrant minorities with different religions? For example, mosques?
9. Do you think people of totally different religious backgrounds (that are often opposed) can live side by side?

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