

Handout A-2

This handout includes the personal statements you rated on Handout A-1 and indicates whether it was made by someone who identifies as an atheist or a Christian. The person's reason for making their personal statement is in the last column. How many statements did you correctly categorize?

Personal Statement	Identify as atheist or Christian	Their Personal Reason
I lost my virginity before I was married.	Christian	Sex feels good.
I need government assistance.	Atheist	My mom is a single parent who does not receive child support for three children.
I am an organ donor.	Christian	I want to help someone who still has a chance at life.
I am pro-choice.	Christian	I do not want to control anyone else.
I have multiple tattoos.	Atheist	I like having art that tells a story on my body.
I don't go to church.	Christian	I am a busy person and sometimes sleep in on Sundays
I want to help people.	Atheist	Helping is my passion.
I have a loving relationship with my mom.	Atheist	My mom and I get along.
I am a woman.	Atheist	I was born and identify as a woman who happens to be an atheist.
I listen to hardcore rap.	Atheist	I relate to a lot of rap artists.
I was raised by my mom and my step-dad.	Christian	My biological father left when I was young and is not in my life.
My parents are still married to each other.	Christian	My parents are in a happy marriage.
I am a vegetarian.	Atheist	I am against cruelty to animals.
I smoke weed every day.	Christian	Weed relaxes me and has nothing to do with my religion.
I have a high socioeconomic status (SES)	Christian	My dad was in the military and my mom has a good job.
I dye my hair every month.	Atheist	I like to experiment with more colors to express myself.
I hold the door for people	Christian	I think it is common courtesy to hold doors open for people.