

1-8-1) The Ten Commandments of Atheists

- 1. Be open-minded and be willing to alter your beliefs with new evidence.
- 2. Strive to understand what is most likely to be true, not to believe what you wish to be true.
- 3. The scientific method is the most reliable way of understanding the natural world.
- 4. Every person has the right to control over their body.
- 5. God is not necessary to be a good person or to live a full and meaningful life.
- 6. Be mindful of the consequences of all your actions and recognize that you must take responsibility for them.
- 7. Treat others as you would want them to treat you, and can reasonably expect them to want to be treated. Think about their perspective.
- 8. We have the responsibility to consider others, including future generations.
- 9. There is no one right way to live.
- 10. Leave the world a better place than you found it.

