

Great Questions on Marx and Engels, 2

1. How important is individuality? Is it worth sacrificing for a fairer world? **(Tina Wong)**
2. What form of government is the closest in creating an utopia? **(Sumaiya Faruque)**
3. Is human history defined by conflict or cooperation? **(Baird Johnson)**
4. How does the Manifesto describe the working class under capitalism? **(Brandon Rim)**
5. Is Marx's class analysis still relevant? **(Chloe Hanson)**
6. How will automation affect the proletariat? **(Chloe Hanson)**
7. Does the existence of a society necessitate the existence of a rich/upper class? **(Alvin Ye)**
8. To what extent is our self-worth tied to our jobs/our contributions to society? **(Horace Fusco)**
9. Who does capitalism benefit? **(Julia Lee)**
10. To what extent is eradication better than reconstruction/reform? **(Victor Lin)**
11. What is true freedom? **(William Huang)**
12. Can communism work for lazy people? For the ambitious? **(Haeun Ro)**
13. Marx said that "capital is, therefore, not a personal but a social power". In history, we see abuse of this, in community labor like in Mao's era. How can we prevent this misunderstanding?
(Amy Chi)
14. Does Marx dislike the bourgeois class, or the reasons why it was formed? **(Kiyon Fawaz)**
15. Are communists thieves? **(KM Muktasid)**
16. To what extent is modern family based on capital and private gain? **(Alexander Liu)**
17. How does communism put general will and collective action into play? **(Raihana Sultana)**
18. Does capitalism rob the majority of their individuality or does it actually aid individuals in achieving their goals and dreams? **(Kaveen Sandagiripathira)**
19. Should we have a graduated income tax? **(Carolyn Fontanez)**
20. Can humans be satisfied with working for the society rather than for the self? **(Larry Wong)**
21. Is it possible for the proletariat to rebel without the help of the bourgeoisie? **(William Wang)**
22. Does incentive exist within a communist society? **(Allison Eng)**
23. Does private property create incentive to work? **(David Dascher)**
24. Can the frustrations of proletarians be directed somewhere other than revolution? **(Kaily Ishikawa)**
25. If results cannot accurately measure the amount of hard work an individual puts in, then what does? **(Theresa Teng)**
26. Is freedom overrated? **(Andrew Wargo)**
27. To what extent should the control of the government be over the economy? **(Jason Feng)**
28. Is revolution the best method of attaining political/ideological ends? **(Hristo Karastoyanov)**
29. Where do less quantitative concepts such as mental health and happiness fall in a Marxist society in terms of priorities? **(Lydia Lee)**