Subject: Define Normality Posted by Zion on Tue, 09 Oct 2007 21:34:15 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by KIRBY-098 on Tue, 09 Oct 2007 21:59:24 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Relativity is subjective.

End of argument.

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by danpaul88 on Tue, 09 Oct 2007 22:10:10 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Nobody is normal because everyone is different. There cannot be a 'normal' state where no two things are the same.

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by sadukar09 on Tue, 09 Oct 2007 22:37:41 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by Muad Dib15 on Tue, 09 Oct 2007 23:01:29 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by BlueThen on Tue, 09 Oct 2007 23:21:03 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

People like horquer are normal to me.

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by Jecht on Wed, 10 Oct 2007 01:30:04 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

KIRBY-098 wrote on Tue, 09 October 2007 16:59Relativity is subjective.

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Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by nikki6ixx on Wed, 10 Oct 2007 02:33:59 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

If someone acts in a prescribed fashion due to some fad driven by commercialism, and a culture of 'fitting in', such as being 'EMO' or a 'sk8ter boi', or whatever, than they are not 'normal' to me.

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by trooprm02 on Wed, 10 Oct 2007 02:37:41 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by Canadacdn on Wed, 10 Oct 2007 03:29:22 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

trooprm02 wrote on Tue, 09 October 2007 21:37Disesed kids are weird, I see kids with autism/add etc as inpure

Go and die in a fire, you Nazi son of a bitch.

Normal is simply what your used to.

If you take curse words, for example.

Many different people consider different words curses. I have talked with people who considered the word "Hell" as a curse and as well as people who consider it not to be a curse. Same with the word "Damn" or "Sucks"

It depends on how you where either brought up or where you where brought up that defines normal for yourself.

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by Nukelt15 on Wed, 10 Oct 2007 06:51:13 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

"I'm different! Just like everybody else ... "

Normality, as most of the human race defines the term, is entirely artificial. This is because the standards of normality for most people are entirely too narrow in scope to apply beyond their own limited familiar group (be it their household, friends, city, country, ethnic group, etc). It is a construct of society, just as society is a construct of sentient beings. It is a means for society as a whole to justify its actions and beliefs through the exclusion of everyone and everything which falls outside that which a majority of the members of that society define as 'normal.' No one is born already indoctrinated into the ways and means of society; they are instructed by members of that society and so pick up the accepted norms of that society- or, if they so choose, reject them.

The only 'true' normality is physical normality, in the sense that the human body is designed and built to operate a certain way and a body that does not is abnormal. However, since social 'normality' is a concept rather than a fact (it is, of course, a concept accepted as fact), it is not something which is inherent. There are norms- the rule of law, as well as certain moral standards (killing is wrong, the provision of care for those who cannot care for themselves, etc) which extend beyond society, and which must be or ought to be applied to humanity as a whole. Lesser standards, such as the use or style of clothing, language, and so forth, cannot be applied universally and therefore cannot be defined as normal.

True normality, therefore, is a set of standards applying to the physical (that would include brain chemistry, as that is in the end a physical thing) design of humanity and to the moral codes which absolutely must be applied to all of humanity to prevent the utter and immediate breakdown of all society- and nothing else besides. If an overwhelming majority of humans cannot be defined as X, then X is not normal- period, ended. Normality to the limit of our understanding is the only normal; anything lesser is merely dependent on region and taste.

As a footnote to that, I would like to add that those characteristics falling under physical

abnormality (and again, that includes brain and body chemistry, i.e. mental defects or physical attractions) cannot be judged by the standards of moral normality, since those things are not within the scope of the affected person's control. Moral abnormality is a choice; physical abnormality is not.

The short version- 'normal' as commonly defined is a construct of human societies. The only things which can truly be called 'normal' are those which can be found to apply to an overwhelming majority of the entire species- and even then, there are two different forms of normality which cannot overlap one another.

All subjective, of course.

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trooprm02 wrote on Tue, 09 October 2007 21:37Disesed kids are weird, I see kids with autism/add etc as inpure

They can't help that they're born with those conditions. So... "Canadacdn"Go and die in a fire, you Nazi son of a bitch.

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by Blazer on Wed, 10 Oct 2007 09:03:35 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

"Having the property that corresponding to every pair of disjoint closed sets are two disjoint open sets, each containing one of the closed sets."

In other words, "similar to the majority".

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by trooprm02 on Wed, 10 Oct 2007 16:30:55 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Nazi's were facist, in not

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by Aprime on Wed, 10 Oct 2007 17:53:35 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Nazis were flaming faggots. You're a flaming faggot, therefore you're a Nazi... And a faggot.

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by CarrierII on Wed, 10 Oct 2007 17:58:49 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

In my opinion, those who are "autistic" or have other "disabilities" are far more interesting people and better friends than those who aren't. This is just my experience, as most of my so called "normal" "friends" (Too many quotes... :s) have stabbed me in the back, then I met Cassie (First names only). She has Bipolar, ADHD and a whole host of various problems (She's "dyslexic" with numbers, anyone know what that's called?). She's also the best person I've ever met, and the only person outside of my family I can trust. (Yep, it's a lonely life)

So before you write off those with "mental disorders" as "weird", bear the above paragraph in mind. I think I've got some sort of mental disorder, I find it very hard to stop thinking about anything, especially problems that want solving. I ought to get tested. Anyways...

Troop, stop flaming.

I think that any "normal" individual (That is to say, any person who tried to be "normal") is in some sort of self-denial over their "true" personality, and I don't like that. (I know several people like it, they're horrible).

The topic ended with the first two replies, really.

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by nikki6ixx on Wed, 10 Oct 2007 18:22:22 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

trooprm02 wrote on Tue, 09 October 2007 21:37Disesed kids are weird, I see kids with autism/add etc as inpure

C'mon Damir... if anything, YOU look 'diseased' ...

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by KIRBY-098 on Wed, 10 Oct 2007 18:46:59 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

How does Stephen Hawking fit into your perfect little world?

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by R315r4z0r on Wed, 10 Oct 2007 23:43:24 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I mean really... come on, kill off all the diseased and disabled people? What is wrong with you...

Humanity as a whole is impure. We should just kill off them instead, they are a plague on the universe!

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by nopol10 on Thu, 11 Oct 2007 10:41:57 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Uniqueness and difference is what makes us human. Normality is nonexistant.

[IID:Normality Restored] Bah what the hell.

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by trooprm02 on Thu, 11 Oct 2007 20:17:40 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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Hi, I like to wear hats sideways.

oh, and its a sad day when french kids on welfare think they will amount to anything

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by CarrierII on Thu, 11 Oct 2007 20:19:05 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Your views disgust me. That is the last time I click the "Reveal this message" link.

trooprm02 wrote on Thu, 11 October 2007 15:17 oh, and its a sad day when french kids on welfare think they will amount to anything

I thought you were from Ontario.

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Troop, I don't know if you are being a troll, or are genuinely an asshole. Either way, your views disgust me.

The way you respond to these kind of arguments is disgusting, bigoted, and immature. I wouldn't expect someone of your age to be saying stuff like this. Grow up, or leave.

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by GEORGE ZIMMER on Fri, 12 Oct 2007 03:31:32 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Normality is another thing that differs from person to person. For one person, "normal" is usually people like you, and/or what you think is normal.

While not everyone is completely alike, they share commen similarities (Music, food, TV shows, hairstyle, body, skin tone, etc). Being normal just means being part of the majority.

So being abnormal can be good or bad. You could be smarter, better, or something. Or you could be a complete and utter moron.

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by DarkDemin on Fri, 12 Oct 2007 07:21:11 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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I bet you're an asspie to.

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by trooprm02 on Fri, 12 Oct 2007 16:04:12 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by Jerad2142 on Wed, 17 Oct 2007 00:51:28 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Just Remember: Your unique, just like everyone else.

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by Rocko on Fri, 19 Oct 2007 05:09:16 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

being normal is not being weird

Subject: Re: Define Normality Posted by Starbuzz on Fri, 19 Oct 2007 05:21:47 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message trooprm02 wrote on Fri, 12 October 2007 11:04nikki6ixx wrote on Thu, 11 October 2007 16:27trooprm02 wrote on Thu, 11 October 2007 15:17 oh, and its a sad day when french kids on welfare think they will amount to anything

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LMAO

