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discuss them out of hand. Those who are deeply into what the critics call the "culture of narcissism," think of the objects as haunting; for an earlier, more oppressive age. Adherents of modern technological instrumentalism are reactionary and obscurantist, and there are prophecies of mere negative freedom. And there are prophecies of mere negative freedom.

Modernity is a state in which scientific independence for each individual is what we ought to aim... and the debate continues.

But in the course of this debate, the essential nature of the developments, which are here being denied, have been praised, is often misunderstood. And as a result, the real nature of the choices that are made is obscured. In particular, I will claim that the right path to take is neither that recommended by outright straight boosters nor that favoured by outright knockers. Nor will a simple trade-off between the advantages and costs of, say, individualism, technology and bureaucratic management provide the complex answer. The nature of modern culture is more subtle and sophisticated than this. I want to claim that both advantages and costs are...
I propose a short cut. I will launch into a discussion of the first theme, concerning the dangers of individualism and the loss of meaning. I will pursue this discussion at some length. Having derived some idea of how this issue ought to be treated, I will suggest how a similar treatment of the other two might run. The bulk of the discussion will therefore concentrate on the first axis of concern. Let us examine in more detail what this arises in today's debate.

We can pick it up through a very influential recent book in the United States, Allan Bloom's *The Closing of the American Mind*. The book itself was a rather remarkable phenomenon: a work by an academic political theorist about the climate of opinion among today's students, it held a place on the New York Times best seller list for several months, greatly to the surprise of the author. It touched a chord.

The stance it took was severely critical of today's educated youth. The main feature it noted in their outlook on life was their acceptance of a rather facile relativism. Everybody has his or her own "values," and about these it is impossible to argue. But as Bloom noted, this was not just an epistemological position, a view about the limits of what reason can establish; it was also held as a moral position: one
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The political course of this shift in the culture...
society must be neutral on questions of what constitutes neutrality. One of the basic tenets is that a liberal definition of freedom of religion or belief is a universal right to which all human beings must be able to enjoy and practice. This implies that individuals should be able to express their convictions about the existence of God and to have the freedom to change their beliefs without fear of persecution. The concept of freedom of religion or belief is thus fundamental to the protection of human rights and the promotion of human dignity. However, it is important to note that the exercise of freedom of religion or belief must be carried out in a manner that respects the rights and freedoms of others. This means that individuals must refrain from using their freedom of religion or belief to undermine the rights and freedoms of others, or to promote activities that are harmful to society. The exercise of this freedom must also be carried out in a way that is not inconsistent with the principles of pluralism and the promotion of social cohesion. In this sense, the concept of freedom of religion or belief is not only a right, but also a responsibility. 

Moreover, the concept of freedom of religion or belief must be understood in the context of broader human rights, such as the right to freedom of expression, the right to assembly, and the right to thought and conscience. These rights are interdependent and, when exercised in a manner that respects the rights of others, they contribute to the promotion of social harmony and the protection of human dignity. In this sense, freedom of religion or belief is not only a right, but also a means to promote the achievement of broader human rights. 

It is important to note that the concept of freedom of religion or belief is not absolute, and that it must be balanced with the rights and freedoms of others. This means that individuals must be responsible in the exercise of their freedom of religion or belief, and that they must respect the rights and freedoms of others. In this sense, the concept of freedom of religion or belief is a dynamic and evolving concept, and it must be understood in the context of broader human rights and the promotion of social harmony. 

In conclusion, the concept of freedom of religion or belief is a fundamental right that must be respected and promoted. It is a right that contributes to the promotion of human dignity, the protection of human rights, and the achievement of social harmony. It is a right that must be exercised in a responsible manner, and that must be balanced with the rights and freedoms of others. The concept of freedom of religion or belief is thus a cornerstone of human rights, and it must be understood and promoted in the context of broader human values and principles.
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The importance of psychotherapy and the expression of oneself as a human being is crucial to the process of self-discovery. Psychotherapy provides a platform for personal growth and development, allowing individuals to explore their innermost thoughts and feelings. It is through this process that individuals can gain a deeper understanding of themselves and the world around them. Psychotherapy is not just about solving problems but also about fostering a sense of self-awareness and self-acceptance.

Beyond the therapeutic benefits, psychotherapy plays a significant role in the development of moral reasoning and the formation of ethical perspectives. It helps individuals reflect on their actions and decisions, leading to a deeper understanding of ethical principles. Through this process, individuals are better equipped to make informed and justifiable moral choices.

For instance, the concept of justice is explored in psychotherapy through the examination of ethical dilemmas and the exploration of personal values. This process can lead to a more refined understanding of justice and a more nuanced approach to moral decision-making. Psychotherapy, therefore, not only enhances personal growth but also contributes to the development of a more ethical society.

In conclusion, the importance of psychotherapy cannot be overstated. It is a powerful tool for self-discovery and moral development, providing individuals with the resources they need to lead fulfilling and ethical lives.
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ideal, I differ also from the various middle positions, which hold that there are some good things in this culture (like greater freedom for the individual), but that these come at the expense of certain dangers (like a weakening of the sense of citizenship), so that one's best policy is to find the ideal point of trade-off between advantages and costs.

The picture I am offering is rather that of an ideal that has degraded but that is very worthwhile in itself, and indeed, I would like to say, unremarkable by moderns. What we need is neither root-and-branch condemnation nor uncritical praise; and not a carefully balanced trade-off. What we need is a work of renewal, through which this ideal can help us restore our practice.

To go along with this, you have to believe three things: all controversial: (1) that authenticity is a valid ideal; (2) that you can argue in reason about ideas and about the conformity of practices to these ideas; and (3) that modernity that is incompatible with those accounts of the third is incompatible with those accounts of the second involving rejecting subjectivism, and the major thrust of criticism of the culture of authenticity.

In short, I suggest that this is defined as capitalism, industrial society, or bureaucracy. I hope to be able to make some of this plausible in what follows. Let me start with the idea.