

Study Guide for Fundamentals of Ethics

Chapter 13: Economic Justice

1. Discuss the differences between a process view of distributive justice and an end state view.
2. Explain and evaluate the position of radical egalitarianism.
3. Discuss the goals of equal opportunity.
4. Explain, compare and evaluate the following theories: libertarianism, capitalism, socialism, and modern liberalism.
5. Present the main features of John Rawls's theory of justice.
6. Present the main features of Robert Nozick's Entitlement theory.
7. Formulate your own opinion on economic justice.

Key Terms

Justice	Charity	Efficiency
Liberty	Freedom	Distributive
Process	End State	Egalitarian
Need	Merit	Contribution
Effort	Equal Opportunity	Libertarianism
Capitalism	Socialism	Liberalism
Negative Right	Positive Right	Meritocratic
Fairness	Original Position	Veil of Ignorance
Least Advantaged	Maximin	Redress
Communitarianism		