

## Ideology Definitions

An ideology is a powerful belief system which unites the past, present, and future in a vision which can solve problems and improve the lives of people. Below you are to define the ideologies according to your teacher's directions. All definitions start with the most general aspects of a term and then address specific details. Include an example that you believe typifies each ideology. A specific example may be a country, historical event, or a person.

Example: Freedom is a category of independence and self-concern; aspects of religion, politics, economics, social life, etc., are determined by the individual and are not subject to serious external control; people have often fought to obtain or protect their freedom; an example is the United States in its war for independence.

Ideology	Definition	Specific Example
1. Democracy		
2. Totalitarianism		
3. Fascism		
4. Nazism		
5. Capitalism		
6. Socialism		
7. Communism		