

POLITICAL AND SOCIAL INVOLVEMENT SCALE

General Instructions: For each question below, circle the number corresponding to the response that most closely indicates what you think or feel.

There is neither a right nor wrong answer to any question. Please do your best to provide complete information. However, if you cannot respond to an item, feel free to leave the response blank. Your identity and responses will be held in strict confidence.

How important to you personally is each of the following?	Not Important	Somewhat Important	Very Important	Essential
A. Becoming a community leader	1	2	3	4
B. Becoming involved in activities that preserve and enrich the environment	1	2	3	4
C. Helping others who are in difficulty	1	2	3	4
D. Improving my understanding of other countries and cultures	1	2	3	4
E. Keeping up to date with political affairs	1	2	3	4
F. Developing a meaningful philosophy of life	1	2	3	4
G. Helping to promote racial understanding	1	2	3	4
H. Influencing social values	1	2	3	4
I. Influencing the political structure	1	2	3	4
J. Integrating spirituality into my life	1	2	3	4
K. Volunteering in my community	1	2	3	4