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Values refer to the standards of behavior that guide one's judgment of what is essential in life. One would have personal values, but they are inherited from cultures (Gartner, 2019).

Ethics are moral principles that also guide one's behavior while considering specific actions. On the other hand, morals are principles helping one differentiate between right and wrong in everyday life. For example, if one evaluates the consequences of an action before acting, they apply the utilitarianism moral principle. Finally, laws are rules of conduct that are formal and violate them, leading to punishment like fines and imprisonment (Tyson, 2019). For example, when one is engaged in a robbery activity, they are taken to court, after which judgment is made considering the legal directions on that action.

I have utilized these concepts in my life because I find them helpful. The significant values in my culture are honesty and integrity. In my interactions with people, I am truthful and also do the right, even without supervision. Before taking actions, I consider ethics such especially non-maleficence, thus avoiding harm and beneficence in that the people involved benefit. In applying this concept, I avoid being selfish but do what is needed. I also ensure morals while acting as guided by the culture. My parents taught me to be truthful and treat others as I would want to be treated and not judge others. Apart from that, I follow the law by researching what is required of me as a citizen. I avoid violating them by not only adhering to them but also minding the people around me.

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