

Worksheet VAL-YOUs in Play

A decision and reflection log for the VAL-YOU serious game

Name: _____	Date: _____
Scenario: _____	Value explored: _____



Scan to play

Open the VAL-YOU game and use this worksheet to record three decisions. Focus on the values involved, the compromises you made and the consequences that followed.

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Use the overview table below for brief notes. If you need more space, use the three detailed pages that follow instead – or use both.

Describe the decision you had to make.	Describe why the decision was difficult.	State your reasons for choosing a certain option.	Sum up the consequences of your decision in the game.
Decision 1 _____ _____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____
Decision 2 _____ _____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____
Decision 3 _____ _____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____



Difficult choices

Decision 1 of 3

1

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Difficult choices

Decision 2 of 3

2

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Sum up the consequences of your decision in the game.

Difficult choices

Decision 3 of 3

3

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Reflection of the game

Make notes in keywords, then use them to discuss your experience with others.

Your Choices and Compromises

- Which of your decisions best reflected what you personally believe?

- Did you choose an option mainly because of the resources or strategic advantages it provided?

Beyond the Game

- Where do you see similar tensions or compromises in political or social life?

Game Reflection

- What kinds of decisions does the game reward or discourage?

- Which aspects of real political decision-making are simplified or missing?

- Does winning the game necessarily mean making politically or ethically “right” decisions?

What can we learn from the game

Connect your experience in the game with European values and real-world decision-making.

What Can We Learn from the Game?

- What did the game help you understand about the selected value?

- Did any decision or consequence surprise you?

- Did the game change or challenge your understanding of the value?

Bonus Questions

- Identify one decision you would make differently in a second playthrough. Explain why.

- Design an additional policy card for the scenario. What would it represent, which resources would it provide or require, and what consequences could it have?

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