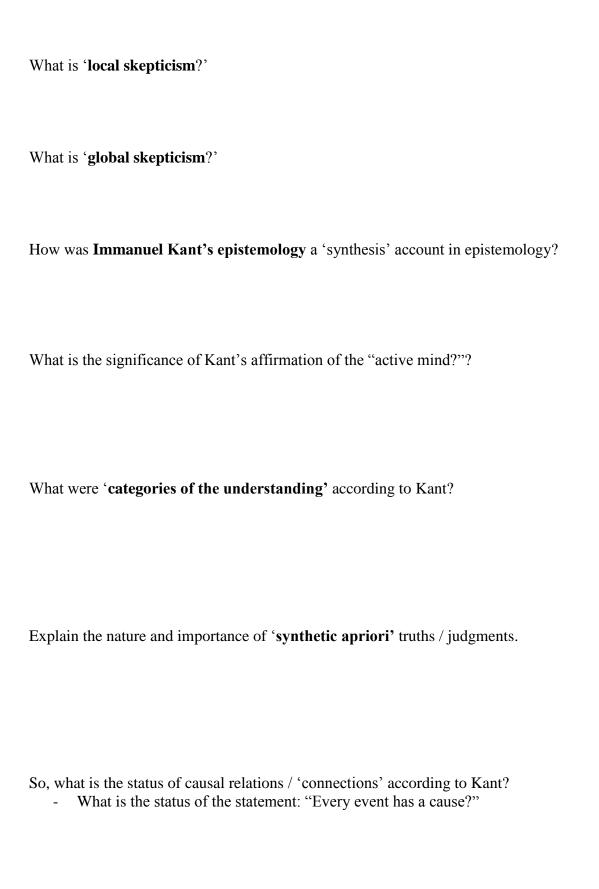
STUDY GUIDE FOR EXAMINATION #1B MiniMay 2010

Define / explain 'epistemology' as a field of philosophical investigation. According to the 'standard analysis of knowledge,' knowledge is: 1. _____ condition/element which involves _____ and ____ 2. _____condition/element Three _____ theories of which are (list and explain): 1) 2) 3) 3. _____ condition/element which provides _____for the belief

Four characteristics of Rationalist epistemology are:
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Identify: Plato and Rene Descartes as rationalists
Four characteristics of Empiricist Epistemology are:
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Identify: Aristotle
John Locke and David Hume
What is the significance of <i>tabula rasa</i> ?
Why Did David Hume say that we do not know (as features of "the way the world is" causal connections between events?



Explain	n Kant's distinction between 'phenomena' and 'noumena'
Explain	n the significance of Kant's statements:
1)	"Concepts without perceptions are empty. / Perceptions without concepts are blind."
2)	'It is true that all knowledge begins with experience. / It is not true that all knowledge arises from experience."