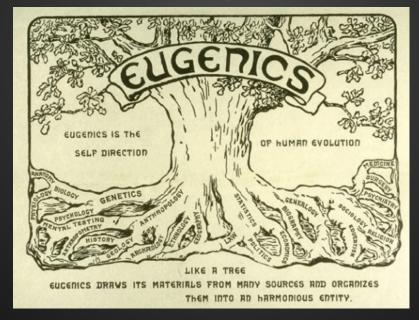
Eugenics **Rosina Baltazar** Francesca Torres **Rosie Pacheco**

What is Eugenics...?

- The social movement claiming to improve the genetic features of human populations through selective breeding and sterilization.

(based on the idea that it is possible to distinguish between superior and inferior elements of

society).



Types of Eugenics...

Old Eugenics:

- In the 20's
- Government not letting the undesirables to reproduce (master race).
- Is a way of improving the gene pool

*encouraging the reproduction of wanted traits.

*discouraging/preventing the reproduction of undesirable traits.

- Nazis idea of a master race.
- Movie "Gattaca".









Types of Eugenics...?

New Eugenic:

- Our current Type of Eugenics.
- The usage of technology: Pre-Implantation screening of embryos.

*using molecular genetics to predict and select for higher intelligence in humans.







Pros and Cons...

Old Eugenics vs New Eugenics

Pro: The chance to breed desired traits into humans. Will have the most strong and intelligent people making up the population.

Cons: - Require Nazi ethics!

- No love
- You'd force people to mate with each other.
- Give/receive sperm donations and force women to bear children.
- Sterilize or kill people to keep them from breeding.

Pro: Result in a stronger, healthier, population after a few generations.

- Reduction of diseases.
- Eliminate the weaker ones.

Cons: -Nothing will no longer function eventually.

- Discrimination
- Reduction on the medical professions.
- No diversity of traits and cultures.
- Mutations over time (immune system).

Which one sounds better for you?



Are they both the same?

THANK YOU :)