Writing Prompt

Humans are similar to other animals in three ways.

First, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Second, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Third, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

What makes humans different from other animals is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

“Fire and water have qi [气]but are without life [生 sheng]. Grass and trees have life but are without awareness [知 zhi]. Birds and beasts have awareness but are without yi [义]. Humans have qi and life and awareness and, moreover they have yi. And so they are the most precious [贵 gui] things under Heaven [天 Tian].”

水火有气而無生，草木有生而無知，禽獸有知而無义，人有气、有生、有知，亦且有义，故最为天下贵也。

-Xunzi(荀子)-

“Man is the rational animal.”(rational=合理的; 理性)

-Aristotle (亚里士多德)-

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