

# Moral Decisions API Documentation

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**LocalHost URL:** http://localhost:3001 **Public URL:** http://115.146.86.210:3001 **Public Survey URL:** http://115.146.86.210:8080

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## Overview

The Moral Decisions API provides endpoints for managing surveys, searching posts, and retrieving moral decision-related content.

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## API Endpoints

### Survey Endpoints

#### 1. Get Survey Question

**GET** [/survey/question](#)

Retrieve a question for a specific study.

##### Query Parameters:

- [studyId](#) (required, number): The study ID

##### Responses:

- [200](#): Return a question
- [400](#): Invalid Parameters, Failed to get the question

##### Example Request:

```
GET /survey/question?studyId=1
```

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#### 2. Submit Survey Answer

## POST /survey/answer

Submit answers to survey questions.

**Request Body:** [Answer](#)

**Responses:**

- **201**: Return the answer id has been created
- **400**: Invalid Parameters, Failed to get the question

**Example Request:**

```
POST /survey/answer
Content-Type: application/json

{
  "prolificId": "prolific-Xinlong",
  "studyId": 1,
  "answerDetail": [...],
  "decisionMaking": [1,2,3,4,5,...],
  "personalityChoice": [1,2,3,4,5,...],
  "time": 123456789
}
```

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## 3. Get Answer by ID

### GET /survey/answer

Retrieve a specific answer by its ID.

**Query Parameters:**

- **answerId** (required, string): The ID of the answer you want to retrieve
  - Example: **66f4cc713d9f96013d0b4516**

**Responses:**

- **201**: Find the answer by id
- **400**: Invalid Parameters, Failed to get the question

**Example Request:**

```
GET /survey/answer?answerId=66f4cc713d9f96013d0b4516
```

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## 4. Create Prolific User

## POST /survey/prolific

Create a new Prolific user record.

**Request Body:** [Prolific](#)

**Responses:**

- **201:** Return created prolific
- **400:** Invalid Parameters, Failed to create the prolific

**Example Request:**

```
POST /survey/prolific
Content-Type: application/json

{
  "prolificId": "prolific-Xinlong",
  "age": 20,
  "country": "China",
  "frequentUser": true,
  "language": "English",
  "takenBefore": [true, false, false, false, false],
  "visitSubreddit": true
}
```

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## 5. Get Prolific User by ID

### GET /survey/prolific

Retrieve a Prolific user record by ID.

**Query Parameters:**

- **prolificId** (required, string): The ID of the prolific you want to retrieve
  - Example: **prolific-Xinlong**

**Responses:**

- **201:** Return corresponding prolific

**Example Request:**

```
GET /survey/prolific?prolificId=prolific-Xinlong
```

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## Search Endpoints

## 6. Search Posts

### GET /search

Search for posts by topic and keywords with pagination.

#### Query Parameters:

- **topic** (optional, string): The topic to search for
  - Example: **Death**
- **keywords** (optional, string): Keywords to search for
  - Example: **Death Life Afterlife**
- **pageSize** (optional, number): The limit of the search (default: 10)
- **page** (optional, number): The page number (default: 0)

#### Responses:

- **200**: Return a list of search results (array of [PostSummary](#))
- **400**: Invalid Parameters, Failed to get the question
- **503**: Server is rebuilding searching cache, please waiting

#### Example Request:

```
GET /search?
topic=Death&keywords=Death%20Life%20Afterlife&pageSize=10&page=0
```

#### Example Response:

```
[
  {
    "id": "123",
    "title": "Post Title",
    "selftext": "Post content...",
    "verdict": "YTA",
    "YTA": 150,
    "NTA": 50,
    "commentCount": 200,
    "topics": ["道德", "生活"]
  }
]
```

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## Post Endpoints

### 7. Get Topic List

#### GET /post/topics

Retrieve a list of all available topics.

**Responses:**

- **200**: Success

**Example Request:**

```
GET /post/topics
```

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**8. Get Hot Posts****GET /post/hotPosts**

Retrieve hot/popular posts with pagination.

**Query Parameters:**

- **pageSize** (optional, number): The number of posts per page (default: 10)
- **page** (optional, number): The page number (default: 0)

**Responses:**

- **200**: Success

**Example Request:**

```
GET /post/hotPosts?pageSize=10&page=0
```

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**9. Get Post by ID****GET /post/{id}**

Retrieve a specific post by its ID.

**Path Parameters:**

- **id** (required, string): The post ID

**Responses:**

- **200**: 成功获取帖子详情 (Successfully retrieved post details)
- **400**: 无效的帖子ID (Invalid post ID)
- **404**: 帖子不存在 (Post does not exist)
- **500**: 服务器内部错误 (Server internal error)

**Example Request:**

```
GET /post/123
```

**Example Response (200):**

```
{
  "id": "123",
  "title": "帖子标题",
  "selftext": "帖子内容",
  "verdict": "YTA",
  "YTA": 150,
  "NTA": 50,
  "commentCount": 200,
  "topics": ["道德", "生活"]
}
```

**Example Error Response (404):**

```
{
  "status": 404,
  "error": "帖子不存在",
  "message": "未找到ID为 123 的帖子"
}
```

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**10. Test Connection**

**GET** /post/test

Test the database/API connection.

**Responses:**

- 200: Success

**Example Request:**

```
GET /post/test
```

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**Cache Endpoints****11. Clear Cache**

**GET** /post/clearCache

Clear the server cache.

### Responses:

- **200**: Success

### Example Request:

```
GET /post/clearCache
```

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## Data Models

### Answer Model

```
{
  "prolificId": string,           // The prolific id of the user (required)
  "studyId": number,             // The study id (required)
  "answerDetail": AnswerItem[],  // Array of answer items (required)
  "comment": string,             // The comments of the user
  "decisionMaking": string[],    // List of answers for decision making
                                  (25 Items, required)
  "personalityChoice": string[], // List of answers for personality (15
                                  Items, required)
  "time": number                 // The time stamp taken to complete the
                                  survey (required)
}
```

### Example:

```
{
  "prolificId": "prolific-Xinlong",
  "studyId": 1,
  "answerDetail": [...],
  "comment": "This is a comment",
  "decisionMaking": [1,2,3,4,5,1,2,3,4,5,1,2,3,4,5,1,2,3,4,5,1,2,3,4,5],
  "personalityChoice": [1,2,3,4,5,1,2,3,4,5,1,2,3,4,5],
  "time": 123456789
}
```

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### AnswerItem Model

```
{
  "questionId": string,           // The question ID (required)
  "individualAnswer": _AnswerItem, // The individual answer (required)
}
```

```
"groupAnswer": _AnswerItem,      // The group answer (required)
"comment": string                 // The user comments
}
```

**Example:**

```
{
  "questionId": "atcfwx",
  "individualAnswer": {
    "isAsshole": true,
    "rating": 4
  },
  "groupAnswer": {
    "isAsshole": false,
    "rating": 2
  },
  "comment": "This is a comment"
}
```

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**\_AnswerItem Model**

```
{
  "isAsshole": boolean, // Whether user thinks it is an asshole or not
                        (required)
  "rating": number      // Rate the asshole level from 1 to 5 (required,
                        enum: 1,2,3,4,5)
}
```

**Example:**

```
{
  "isAsshole": true,
  "rating": 4
}
```

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**Prolific Model**

```
{
  "prolificId": string,      // The prolific id (required)
  "age": number,             // The age of the user
  "country": string,         // The country of the user
  "frequentUser": boolean,   // Whether user is a frequent user
  "language": string,        // The language of the user
}
```



```
    "takenBefore": boolean[],    // Whether user has taken the survey
before
    "visitSubreddit": boolean    // Whether user has visited the subreddit
before
}
```

**Example:**

```
{
  "prolificId": "prolific-Xinlong",
  "age": 20,
  "country": "China",
  "frequentUser": true,
  "language": "English",
  "takenBefore": [true, false, false, false, false],
  "visitSubreddit": true
}
```

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**PostSummary Model**

```
{
  "id": string,
  "title": string,
  "selftext": string,
  "verdict": string,
  "YTA": number,
  "NTA": number,
  "commentCount": number,
  "topics": string[]
}
```

**Example:**

```
{
  "id": "123",
  "title": "帖子标题",
  "selftext": "帖子内容",
  "verdict": "YTA",
  "YTA": 150,
  "NTA": 50,
  "commentCount": 200,
  "topics": ["道德", "生活"]
}
```

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## Notes

- **Base URL:** All endpoints are relative to `http://localhost:3001`
  - **Authentication:** Not specified in the current API specification
  - **Content-Type:** `application/json` for all POST requests
  - **CORS:** Enabled on the server
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## Error Responses

Common error response format:

```
{
  "status": number,
  "error": string,
  "message": string
}
```

### Common Status Codes:

- `200`: Success
- `201`: Created
- `400`: Bad Request
- `404`: Not Found
- `500`: Internal Server Error
- `503`: Service Unavailable