

Aspect of society	Rizal's observation's as depicted in Noli Me Tangere	Your observation's in the present context
Government and officials	<p>Corruption in the government had its origins during the time of the ancient Filipinos. These were exacerbated by the abuses of the Spanish friars and officials with the onset of the colonial rule. Jose Rizal, our foremost hero, vehemently condemned and exposed these abuses and cruelties in his two novels the Noli Me Tangere and El Filibusterismo. One cause of corruption in the bureaucracy is the lack of adherence to the principle of merit and fitness in the selection process. To curb abuses in the government, Rizal asked that Filipinos enjoy equal rights similar to those of the Spaniards by giving them the same opportunity to work in the government. Rizal believed that the adoption of a competitive government examination will ensure that only qualified individuals regardless of race could serve in the government.</p>	<p>In my observation's to the present is the government and officials was less of corruption but more on financial crisis because of the many problems on our country.</p>
Church and religion	<p>José Rizal's political novel Noli Me Tangere examines how Spain's colonization of the Philippines allowed the Catholic church to dominate and rule the region. The Spanish friars' abuse of power is evident early in Noli Me Tangere.</p>	<p>Christianity was first brought to the Philippine islands by Spanish missionaries and settlers, who arrived in waves beginning in the early 16th century in Cebu. Compared to the Spanish Era, when Christianity was recognized as the state religion, the faith today is practiced in the context of a secular state.</p>
EDUCATION	<p>Rizal holds up education as a way of overcoming oppression. Rizal always considered education as a medicine or something that could cure the problems of</p>	<p>All in all, moving to the Philippines no longer means depriving your children of a quality education. Students are likely find great academic success working through 13</p>

	<p>Colonial Philippines. He believed in education that is free from political and religious control. He asserted that reform cannot be achieved if there is no suitable education, a liberal one available to Filipinos.</p>	<p>years of mandatory schooling, and many go on to study at any of the Philippines' prestigious universities. But now education may I observe was in online class because in this situation of COVID 19 pandemic it will cannot be still in face to face class.</p>
<p>Romantic relationships (courtship, marriage, etc.)</p>	<p>Noli Me Tangere, his first novel, was a romantic and societal novel that was dedicated to his motherland. It is a work of the heart or a book of feeling. Despite surrounding the story with problems, it possesses freshness, humor, wit and lightness. El Filibusterismo, his second novel, was a political novel.</p>	<p>The relationships now, Modern courtship bears little resemblance to the rituals that traditionally led to marriage in most countries in the past. Technology and economics have changed the rules, the expectations, and the rituals leading to marriage.</p>
<p>Pastimes / hobbles</p>	<p>In the novel's dedication, Rizal explains that there was once a type of cancer so terrible that the sufferer could not bear to be touched, and the disease was thus called noli me tangere (Latin: "do not touch me") or it say's "touch me not".</p>	<p>In the modern world our society was evolved such as our technologies and etc.</p>
<p>The rich and the poor</p>	<p>Born rich, Rizal had little touch with the daily miseries endured by the mass of Filipinos during his time. Capable of furthering his studies, Rizal was the embodiment of the intellectual who firmly believed that the enlightened, no matter what race, is above unreasoning prejudice. But the poor and indigent who earn scarcely enough to keep themselves alive and who also have to pay tribute to the petty officials, clerks, and soldiers, that they may be allowed to live in peace, sleep not so tranquilly as gentle poets who have</p>	<p>We present findings that document one way in which a society's culture, trust leaders when they argue that poor economic performance is outside of their control, high trust countries may be richer on average, so policies that voters care, be the most relevant in a democratic setting.</p>

	<p>perhaps not felt the pinches of want would have us believe. The poor are sad and thoughtful, for on that night, if they have not recited many prayers, yet they have prayed much—with pain in their eyes and tears in their hearts.</p>	
<p>Life in the city</p>	<p>When the town was still a collection of miserable huts with the grass growing abundantly in the so-called streets, at the time when the wild boar and deer roamed about during the nights, there arrived in the place one day an old, hollow-eyed Spaniard, who spoke Tagalog rather well. After looking about and inspecting the land, he finally inquired for the owners of this wood, in which there were hot springs. Some persons who claimed to be such presented themselves, and the old man acquired it in exchange for clothes, jewels, and a sum of money. Soon afterward he disappeared mysteriously. The people thought that he had been spirited away, when a bad odor from the neighboring wood attracted the attention of some herdsmen.</p>	<p>In the life of the city now is covered by the situation of COVID 19 Pandemic so that our government giving their lives to support to those people who affected to this situation. The life of the city was miserable of this pandemic.</p>

## Activity 2: Response and Reflection

1. What are the three most salient problems that Philippine society is facing today?
  - The Philippine society was facing today the salient problems of financial crisis, the situation of this COVID 19 Pandemic, and Climate Change a warmer, changing climate is a threat to the entire world or in of our country.
2. What factors contribute to the persistence of these problems?
  - The factors of these will also belong to the poverty such of this situation of COVID 19 Pandemic, it will have a low to moderate economic growth for the past 40 years; low growth elasticity of poverty reduction; recurrent shocks and exposure to risks such as economic crisis, conflicts, natural disasters, and "environmental poverty."
3. What should be done to address these problems?
  - Pay attention to your emotions and how they influence you. Consciously decide how to respond to a conflict situation. Give yourself time to prepare. Listen, Reflect, Inquire. Use "I" messages to express your concerns in a non-confrontational way. Frame the issue in terms of interests.