Hello
user1

Hi there.
user2

What are your thoughts on who is more hypocritical?
user1

Im of the opinion that Republicans tend to be more hypocritical... pols of both parties can be, but these days Republicans. You?
user2

For example - they talk about law and order, but they refuse to take action on gun violence, they acquiesced in Trump's insurrection attempts.
user2

I feel like the answer is definitely both. But I feel like I can come up with more specific examples using Republicans
user1

exactly
user1

I feel abortion is another example - only wanting to protect a life before it's born, but not wanting to support welfare programs
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And claiming to be "pro-life" while supporting the death penalty, opposing gun safety, dismantling the safety net..
user2

Great points. Similar with homeless and drug problems, wanting to be tough on them, but not wanting to raise the money for the proper programs
user1

Agreed.... the idea that government is somehow going to "clean up the streets" by being tough, but not addressing the underlying conditions that feed those problems
user2

I also feel like many Republicans will support ideas on their platform but you find them acting differently in their own personal life (but i think you see this on both sides)
user1

I also find an incredible amount of hypocrisy on "family values" - ranting about things like marriage and trying to control other people's behaviors, but then looking the other way with Trump or with other Republicans when they have a scandal
user2

There are definitely Democrats who don't "walk the walk"... investing in fossil fuels or companies with poor labor standards for example
user2

I think the contrast being public positions and personal behavior is one of the hardest parts of judging political figures
user2

between
user2

I agree with that
user1

It does seem like a lot of Republicans diverge more greatly though, and so seem more hypocritical
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And how people ignore it is the most shocking
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