

Essay Prompts on Truth and Happiness

Can the pursuit of truth lead to unhappiness?

Is ignorance truly bliss?

Does a lack of awareness preserve happiness?

Can a lie ever protect happiness?

What role do self-deception or societal lies play in preserving peace or joy?

Is truth more important than happiness in a just society?

Is the cost of truth worth the disruption it causes?

Does the revelation of truth destroy or enhance identity—and thus affect happiness?

To what extent is truth necessary for authentic happiness?

Explore this question by analyzing characters' psychological or emotional states.