

Fact vs. Opinion Detective Review

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Understanding the Importance of Truth in Writing

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Answer the following questions based on the lesson about facts and opinions.

1. What makes a statement a fact? Provide an example.

2. Which of the following is an opinion?

- A. The Earth revolves around the Sun.
- B. Chocolate ice cream is the best flavor.
- C. Water freezes at 0 degrees Celsius.

3. Opinions can be proven true or false.

True False

4. Good writing uses ____ to inform readers.

5. Why is it important to know the difference between facts and opinions?

6. What does Proverbs 12:22 teach us about truth?

- A. Lying is acceptable.
- B. Being truthful is pleasing to God.
- C. Opinions are more important than facts.

7. Writers should only use opinions in informative writing.

True False

8. To honor God, we should speak the ____ with our neighbors.

9. How can we be careful about spreading opinions as if they were facts?

10. What is one reason why writers need to use facts in their writing?

- A. To make their writing longer.
- B. To inform readers accurately.
- C. To express personal beliefs.

Answer Key

1. A statement is a fact if it can be proven true or false. Example: 'The sky is blue.' 2. Chocolate ice cream is the best flavor. 3. False 4. facts 5. Knowing the difference helps us communicate honestly and understand information better. It prevents misunderstandings and helps us make informed decisions. 6. Being truthful is pleasing to God. 7. False 8. truth 9. We can check our sources and ask if the information can be verified. It's important to think before we share something that might not be true. 10. To inform readers accurately.