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***Fahrenheit 451* Post Discussion Guide**

The following ideas and concepts have all been conveyed and covered in *Fahrenheit 451.* The author commented on each one of the following ideas and concepts through the dialogue and action of each character in their works. Through actively reading and thinking about these ideas during the unit, hopefully you have understood the many themes and concepts presented in the literature that we read. This post discussion guide will help you further understand the concepts from the reading and hopefully help make them more applicable to our life.

**Directions**: Use complete sentences to answer each question below in your own words. Give at least one reason or example to support you point. **First**: Think about and answer the questions on your own. Your answers should be directed toward the work that we read in the unit. **Second**: Once in your group discuss the answers that you have come up with. **Third**: Based on your group discussion elaborate on your original answers to the questions.

1. After reading *Fahrenheit 451* and thinking about captain Beatty’s argument, do you think books are problematic in that they present so many varying and often contradictory viewpoints? Use specific details to explain your answer.
2. After reading *Fahrenheit 451,* which do you think is more important in life, happiness or knowledge? Use specific details to explain your answer.
3. After reading *Fahrenheit 451,* explain one negative effect that technology has on society and one positive effect that technology has on society. Use specific details to explain your answer.

1. After reading *Fahrenheit 451,* which do you think is more important to happiness, nature or technology? Use specific details to explain your answer.

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1. After reading *Fahrenheit 451,* do you think is ok to censor dangerous information that could make people unhappy? Use specific details to explain your answer.
2. After reading *Fahrenheit 451,* do you think it is more important to be an independent free thinker or to be happy?  Use specific examples to explain your answer.
3. Explain the importance of individuality.  Is it possible to maintain individuality without letting your parents, mentors, and friends affect and influence your personality? Use specific examples to explain your answer.