

1984

Anticipation Guide

Part I Directions: Prior to reading *1984*, in the "Before" column, respond to each statement by putting a plus sign (+) if you agree with it, a minus sign (-) if you disagree, and a question mark (?) if you are unsure of your belief.

Part II Directions: For one of the statements below, write a Deep Thoughts response of 500 words or more in MLA format as to why you have the belief you do. Then, post it on our 1984 folder on Schoology and print out your message board posting to turn in on Tuesday, February 3, 2015 in class.

Part III Directions: After reading the story, in the "After" column respond again to the statements. Then, reply by writing a 500 words or more Deep Thoughts response in MLA format to a statement where your belief changed since reading the story. If not, write about a different statement than you responded to in Part II.

Before Reading

After Reading

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| 1. _____ | 1. Those who would exchange freedom for security deserve neither. | 1. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 2. <i>To assure our country's freedom, the government should be able to spy on its citizens.</i> | 2. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 3. Patriotism means supporting your government during times of war. | 3. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 4. <i>Torture of a person who is a threat to our country's freedom is acceptable as long the person does not die.</i> | 4. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 5. People who are a serious threat to the government should be able to be held in prison without being charged. | 5. _____ |
| 6. _____ | 6. <i>The government has a right to know what people are reading so they may determine who might be a threat.</i> | 6. _____ |
| 7. _____ | 7. Society would be safer if we had security cameras in public places to catch potential criminals. | 7. _____ |
| 8. _____ | 8. <i>For an idea to exist, we must have words to express it.</i> | 8. _____ |
| 9. _____ | 9. Reporters should submit their work to government officials so they may determine if it's a threat to the country. | 9. _____ |
| 10. _____ | 10. <i>The only way to prepare for peace is to be prepared for war.</i> | 10. _____ |