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Introducing *Fahrenheit 451*: Opinions

Instructions: Read each statement and put check whether you agree or disagree in the columns below. Then, explain your answers. Remember, there are two sides! Be sure to keep this until we finish the book.

<u>Statement</u>	<u>Agree?</u>	<u>Disagree?</u>	<u>Why or Why not?</u>
Television is a great source of news about important issues facing the American people.			
Most people in the US spend most of their free time watching TV.			
Control of citizens by the government is fine if it reduces conflict and violence in a country.			
Censorship of books is really not an issue today.			
The great books are essential to enabling humans to be truly happy.			
True happiness consists of having fun with friends.			

The average person in the US is rich compared to the average in other countries.			
Differences in wealth among countries is a source of bitterness and war.			
Watching or playing sports is actually more important than conversations about ideas or world affairs.			
Advances in technology have made life richer and people happier in the US.			
People who resist government policies which they think are wrong should be valued by society.			