

## **Arguing About Rebellion in 1984**

**Directions**: You are a citizen of Oceania. Write a persuasive essay (1-2 paragraphs) responding to the question below. Use **evidence from the novel** and your own reasoning to support your claim.

**Prompt**: Is rebellion against Big Brother possible? Why or why not?

In your essay, be sure to:

- Clearly state your claim (Yes or No).
- Provide at least two reasons supported with examples from 1984.
- Conclude by explaining why your position is stronger by creating a rebuttal and a counterargument.

