

# Identifying Statements of Fact or Opinion

In your own words, explain the difference between a fact and an opinion.

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Below are some statements. You need to decide if it is a fact or an opinion and explain your answer.

Statement	Fact or Opinion	Why?
Christmas is the greatest celebration of the year.		
Brisbane is the capital city of Queensland.		
The movie has a great sound track.		
Cats are better than dogs.		

Easter is a Christian celebration.		
There are 60 seconds in a minute.		
Tasmania is a part of Australia.		

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ACHASSIO56 ACHASSIO77 Examine information to identify different points of view and distinguish facts from opinions.	Student was able to distinguish facts from opinions and provided a detailed reasoning.	Student was able to distinguish facts from opinions with clear reasoning.	Student was able to distinguish facts from opinions satisfactorily.	Student required support to distinguish facts from opinions.	Student was unable to distinguish facts from opinions.

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