

Name \_\_\_\_\_ **Truism**



# Truism

Use words from the box to complete the paragraph.

platitude	bromide	nothing
idioms	questioned	cliches
receiving	interpretation	

1. A truism is a statement that is so obviously true that it doesn't need to be \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Although at first glance a truism might seem profound or insightful, it actually says \_\_\_\_\_ new or interesting.
3. Many \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ are also truisms.
4. The determination whether something is a truism or a helpful insight lies with the person on the \_\_\_\_\_ end of the statement.
5. Unlike a truism, a tautology is not subject to \_\_\_\_\_.
6. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a truism about a moral topic that has been overused.
7. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a truism that says something comforting, but trite and unoriginal.