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### Does Plato consider it easier to change people or ideas?

The question doesn’t make sense. An idea is a specific thought. If the thoughts change than we give that idea a different name. To borrow a computer science term, ideas are immutable. However people do change, quite frequently. So I guess it would be much easier to change people.

### Does Plato consider it easier to implement change or maintain the status quo?

It is extremely difficult for an enlightened person to convince others of something they can’t understand. Maintaining the status quo is easier.

### What does Plato consider to be the highest duty of the legislator or leader of the state?

To be aware of reality but to have enough education to be able to understand and interpret reality.

### What role does insight play in defining and influencing change within an organization?

People will only change if you give them a good reason to (insight into the problem). Often that will only happen if you show them examples that are familiar to them.