468. Mathematics allows us to expand our consciousness. Mathematics tells us about economic trends, patterns of disease, and the growth of populations. Math is good at exposing the truth, but it can also perpetuate misunderstandings and untruths. Figures have the power to mislead people. This paragraph best supports the statement that a. the study of mathematics is dangerous. b. words are more truthful than ﬁgures. c. the study of mathematics is more important than other disciplines. d. the power of numbers is that they cannot lie. e. ﬁgures are sometimes used to deceive people.