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M2/Assign.#2: Three Ideas: Plato

Three main ideas of Plato's "Allegory of the Cave":

1. Knowledge will bring you to a higher state of being
2. The world is only as big as we can imagine
3. What you see may not be the truth

Plato's overall main idea for writing "Allegory of the Cave" is to show the importance of education and how it can improve your life. The idea that knowledge will bring you to a higher state of being goes hand in hand with the main idea of education improving your life. The idea that the world is only as big as we can imagine also supports this main idea because education will enable you to understand the world more, which will directly improve your life. The idea that what you see may not be the truth motivates you to learn more about the world, making you seek for the education that is discussed in this main idea.

These three ideas will motivate oneself to learn more about the world. This is important in today's world because the media often doesn't relay the full truth and only tells the public what they want to tell them. For example, currently the Israel media is only showing how nice it is in Israel, and nothing about the tragedies in the Gaza war.