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M2/Assign. #1: Plato Assign.

In the "Allegory of the Cave" by Plato, I interpreted the prisoners as individual humans' imaginations and the cave as a low stage of understanding. I think the prisoners in the cave would kill the person who had escaped if they returned because they were jealous of them and they envied their higher state of understanding. I think Plato's main idea for writing the "Allegory of the Cave" was to demonstrate how education allows one to progress in life. I feel that it was an interesting way to go about describing education's benefits but also included outdated aspects, like concept of servants and masters.