



**The Stanley Cup:
Hockey's Greatest Prize**

The playoff season is the most exciting time of the year. Is this statement a fact or an opinion? How do you know?

Fact or Opinion

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Why is the road to the Stanley Cup long and difficult?

Analyze

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Why do some people believe that fighting should be allowed in professional hockey games?

Evaluate

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What does the author mean when he writes, "No matter which team wins, the true winners are hockey fans around the world"?

Make Inferences / Draw Conclusions

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What details from the text support the idea that Wayne Gretzky was an outstanding hockey player?

Main Idea and Details

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What is the author's point of view about hockey and the Stanley Cup?

Author's Point of View

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