

Name _____ **Satire**



Situational Irony

Situational irony is a contrast between what is expected and what actually occurs. The purpose of satire is constructive social criticism, and as an element of satire, situational irony can shine a light on the difference between society's beliefs and reality.

Read the assigned text. Identify examples of situational irony.

| Page/Line | What is the society's belief? | What is the reality? |
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What is the overall effect of situational irony in this text?

