

ANSWERS

Utopia

The society seems perfect at first glance
An elaborate description of the geographic landscape, often given by guides native to the region.
The protagonist is an outsider to the utopian society.
The protagonist is skeptical of the society's problems.



Dystopia

Almost always about problems that we are having in the world
Something has gone wrong in the society and the people are oppressed or suffering in some way

Both Utopia and Dystopia

Both help the reader envision the problems that go along with the particular way that the society has been set up
Both are works of social criticism
In both, the society can seem perfect at first glance, though this is not always the case with a dystopia