

## Essay Prompts on Passion

### **The Dual Nature of Passion**

In many works of literature, passion is portrayed as both a source of inspiration and a force of destruction. Analyze how this dual nature is represented in a literary work of your choice. How does passion motivate characters, and what are the consequences of their intense emotions?

### **Passion vs. Reason**

Choose a novel, play, or poem where a character's passion conflicts with logic or societal expectations. How does this conflict drive the narrative, and what does the outcome suggest about the author's view of passion?

### **Romantic Passion in Literature**

Examine the role of romantic passion. How is love portrayed—as liberating, destructive, or both? How does the author use passion to explore themes of identity, morality, or social class?

### **Passion as a Force of Rebellion**