

Ten questions to kick-start a discussion

1. What was your initial reaction to the book?
2. What do you think are the themes of the book?
3. Were the characters real to you? (How successfully were they portrayed?)
4. Did you sympathise with any of the characters?
5. Was there one passage or description that particularly stood out?
6. Does the book tell you anything about the author, or the author's values and beliefs
7. Did reading the book make you change your opinion about anything?
8. Did the book remind you of any other books you have read?
9. What type of reader would enjoy this book?
10. Did the end of the book leave anything unresolved or unanswered?