**To Kill A Mockingbird**

**by Harper Lee**

**Chapter 1**

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Study Guide Due:

Quiz Due:

Test Part I Due:

FOCUS STATEMENT

I broke my leg when I was four-years-old while riding my tricycle. It really happened! Now that you know I am mechanically challenged, what else might you want to know? How will you find out?

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1. Who is Jem and what fear did he have that had to be assuaged? What caused the fear?

2. Why do you think the first person narrator of the story tells us so much about Simon Finch?

3. Name Atticus’ sister who is married to a taciturn man and brother, and tell what they do.

4. Who is Atticus Finch and what is his profession?

5. In your own words explain why Atticus Finch hates criminal law?

6. How does Harper Lee, the author, show that she is flashing back to another time to explain the beginning paragraph of the story? Take a close look at page 5 to help you.

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7. In what town and state does the story take place?

8. Describe Calpurnia and tell who she is.

9. In the beginning of the flashback part of the story, how old are the narrator and Jem? Why don’t they live with their mother?

10. Explain how the narrator and Jem meet Dill in Miss Rachel Haverford’s collard patch and list Dill’s full name.

11. What is Jem’s full name?

12. What is the name (you will find out it is a nickname later) of the story’s first person point-of-view narrator?

13. On page 8 the narrator says their story creations became vapid, so what idea does Dill come up with to relieve their boredom?

14. According to the narrator, why is Arthur Radley considered a malevolent phantom?

15. Why are the Cunninghams, who are domiciled in the northern part of Maycomb County, considered a bad influence to Arthur Radley? What kind of trouble does Arthur get in with the Cunninghams?

16. Why do some people consider Arthur Radley’s father tyrannical?

17. From whom does Jem get his information about Arthur Radley, and what gruesome story does she tell about Arthur?

18. How does Jem describe Arthur Radley?

19. What does Dill dare Jem to do, and predict why this may become one of the main conflicts in the story.

20. Finish any ONE of the following:

The character I relate most to so far is . . . because . . .

This reminds me of. . . because. . .

I got lost here because . . .