The Joy Luck Club Test 1

Study Guide

Your first test over *The Joy Luck Club* will cover the first two sections of the novel. There will be multiple choice questions, quotes/character identification questions, and AP-style questions over an excerpt from the novel.

* Review the study questions and handouts for Chs. 1-8. Think about theme, characterization, symbols, etc. Review the important things that happen to each character and how these events shape/affect her life and who she is.
* Knowing the definitions of the following words will help you answer the multiple choice questions correctly:

Prodigy

Bureau (as in furniture)

Belligerent

Assertive

Passive

Stamina

Promiscuous

Adapt

* Think about the parables at the beginning of each section, what they mean, and how they apply to that section of the novel.