**To Kill a Mockingbird**

**Guided Reading Questions**

**Chapters 2 & 3**

1. **When Jem takes Scout to school for her first day, what “order” does he give her?** Jem just tells Scout to leave him alone. Jem explained to Scout that during school hours, to not bother him.
2. **What two things does Miss Caroline tell Scout that Atticus is not to do anymore?** Miss Caroline tells Scout that Atticus is not allowed to teach her how to write or read anymore. Miss Caroline claims that Atticus does not know how to teach.
3. **When Scout tries to spare Walter Cunningham any further humiliation, what does Miss Caroline do to her?** Miss Caroline hits Scout’s hands with a ruler six times and makes her stand in the corner of the room for trying to spare Walter Cunningham from any further humiliation.
4. **At the Finch’s for lunch, what reason does Walter give Atticus for not being able to pass the first grade?** At the Finch’s place for lunch, Walter tells Atticus he cannot pass the first grade becausehe must help his father every spring “chopping” on the farm.
5. **After Calpurnia makes Scout leave the table, what “lecture” does she give Scout?** The lecture that Calpurnia gives to Scout is that everyone who enters your house is a guest and should be treated like a guest.
6. **How does Scout describe Burris Ewell’s physical appearance?** Scout describes Burris Ewell’s physical appearance as the dirtiest person that she ever saw.
7. **How does Little Charles Little describe Burris’ personality?** Little Chuck describes Burris’ personality as very mean, and very liable to start something.
8. **After Scout’s first day of school, what is her assessment and what is her plan?** After Scout’s first day of school, her assessment of it is that she hates school and does not plan to go back to school.
9. **After Scout begs Atticus not to make her return to school, what advice does he give her for getting along with people?** The advice that Atticus gives for Scout for getting along with people is that, you will never truly understand a person until you climb in their skin and walk around in it.
10. **Atticus advises Scout the way to get along with someone else is to “climb in their skin and walk around in it.” How can that be applied to your lives?** That statement from Atticus can be applied to my life by not just assume things. As in, I shouldn’t just say something that would be offensive to somebody without being in their situation.
11. **Comment on Burris Ewell’s behavior in the classroom. Who is to blame for his being the way he is?** Burris Ewell is super disrespectful to Miss Caroline. I think that Ewell’s parents are to blame for his behavior.