

English II Skills: *The House on Mango Street*

Assignment:

1. Read the novella (Short Novel)
2. As you read the novella, keep a journal that details the following areas:

A.) Keep a running list of characters (There are many!) with a description for each.

B.) There are several themes that run throughout the novella. For each chapter, identify the theme(s) that apply to it, along with a summary as to why you feel that particular theme(s) apply.

Themes:

1. Racism
2. Sexism
3. Classism
4. Independence
5. Maturity
6. Identity

C.) After completing the novella, describe why you either liked or disliked the reading.

D.) You will be tested on the reading upon returning to school.