

Reading Discussion Questions for “Boys and Girls”, “Girl”, and “Boys”
ENGL 2673G - Professor Finnell
For Class discussion on 9-8-16

Girl:

1. From whose point of view is the story being told? Are there multiple views? How so?
2. Are there any theme words? What effect do they have?
3. What kind of verbs are used? How does this affect the tone of the piece?
4. What do you think Kincaid is encouraging you to think? Do you agree/disagree? Why?

Boys:

5. How does this story begin? Why do you think this is important?
6. What do you think is the most important sentence(s) in this short story? Why?
7. From whose point of view is this story told?
8. What descriptions are most compelling to you? Why? How do you think Moody uses this?

Boys and Girls:

9. How does Munro use the five senses in her story? How does this support the story?

10. What is important about the rules in the bedroom? Why does Munro tell us this story within the story?

11. What are important descriptions Munro gives about the characters?

12. Whose viewpoint is the story from? How does this affect the story? Why is this important?