

# The Great Gatsby - Chapters 1 - 3 - Reading Notes

Designate a half of page for each point below. When necessary, provide a direct quote, with page numbers, from the book to support your answer (3 points for a supporting quote). Each question should be accompanied by an explanation that answers the question or ties your direct quote to the topic. Explanations should be a minimum of 3 sentences and are worth 3 points each. At the end of each chapter you need to summarize the four main points of the chapter using a Sequence Map. Identify the four main points from the chapter and add two sub points that help describe the main point.

1. Ch. 1 - What does Gatsby represent to the Narrator (quote needed)? +6 points
2. Ch. 1 - What did Daisy say about her daughter when she was born and what is significant about her comments (quote needed)? +6 points

**\*3 point sequence map, with 2 sub points each, summarizing the main ideas of the chapter. +3 points**

3. Ch. 2 - Fitzgerald describes three places: East Egg, West Egg, and the Valley of Ashes. Give a descriptive quote for one of these places. What does this place symbolize (quote needed)? +6 points
4. Ch. 2 – What does the party at Tom’s apartment expose about Nick (quote needed)? +6 points

**\*3 point sequence map, with 2 sub points each, summarizing the main ideas of the chapter. +3 points**

5. Ch. 3 - What does “Owl Eyes” discover about the books in Gatsby’s library and what is the significance of his findings (quote needed)? +6 points
6. Ch. 3 - Toward the end of the chapter, Nick notes that Jordan lies about leaving the top down on the borrowed car. What does Nick realize about Jordan’s character (quote needed)? +6 points

**\*3 point sequence map, with 2 sub points each, summarizing the main ideas of the chapter. +3 points**

## Reading Notes +45 points

Small Group Discussion



1st Big Concept

- Supporting Detail
- Supporting Detail



Next Main Idea

- Supporting Detail
- Supporting Detail



3rd Main Idea

- Detail - no pg # need
- Supporting Detail

## **The Great Gatsby - Chapters 4 - 6 - Reading Notes**

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1. Ch. 4 - What does Gatsby tell Nick about where and how he grew up and how he acquired his money? Explain how Gatsby wants Nick to see him (1 quote needed)? +6 points
2. Ch. 4 - Why did Gatsby buy his house and why does he throw a lot of parties (quote needed)? + 6 points

**\*3 point sequence map, with 2 sub points each, summarizing the main ideas of the chapter. +3 points**

3. Ch. 5 - What special preparations does Gatsby make for having tea with Daisy at Nick's house and what does tell the reader about Gatsby (quote needed)? + 6 points
4. Ch. 5 - In the last three paragraphs of chapter 5 Nick reflects on Gatsby's state of mind. What does Nick say about Gatsby at the end of the chapter and why is it significant (quote needed)? + 6 points

**\*3 point sequence map, with 2 sub points each, summarizing the main ideas of the chapter. +3 points**

5. Ch. 6 - What influence did Dan Cody have on Gatsby and why is it important (quote needed)? + 6 points
6. Ch. 6 - Near the end of the chapter Nick makes a comment about the past. What is Nick's comment and what is Gatsby's reaction (quote needed)? What are the implications for Gatsby's point of view (no quote)? + 9 points

**\*3 point sequence map, with 2 sub points each, summarizing the main ideas of the chapter. +3 points**

### **Reading Notes +48 points total**

#### **Socratic Circle Class Discussion:**

- \*minimum of 3 inner circle comments +5 points each
- \*minimum of 1 outer circle comment +5 points each
- \*outer circle notes +10 points

**+30 points total**

## **The Great Gatsby - Chapters 7 - 9 - Reading Notes**

Designate a half of page for each point below. When necessary, provide a direct quote, with page numbers, from the book to support your answer (3 points for a supporting quote). Each question should be accompanied by an explanation that answers the question or ties your direct quote to the topic. Explanations should be a minimum of 3 sentences and are worth 3 points each. At the end of each chapter you need to summarize the four main points of the chapter using a Sequence Map. Identify the four main points from the chapter and add two sub points that help describe the main point.

1. Ch. 7 - How does Daisy act toward Gatsby at her house and what does her treatment of Gatsby tell the reader about her emotional state (quote needed)? + 6 points
2. Ch. 7 - On their way to NYC, Tom stops at Wilson's garage. How are Wilson and Tom in the same position, according to Nick and what is the significance of the situation (quote needed)? + 6 points
3. Ch. 7 - While in the hotel, what does Gatsby want from Daisy and what is her response (quote needed)? What does this interaction tell the reader about the relationship between Gatsby and Daisy (no quote)? + 6 points
4. Ch. 7 - Tom sends Daisy back to Long Island with Gatsby. What is Tom's reason for doing this (no quote)? Explain your answer. + 3 points

**\*3 point sequence map, with 2 sub points each, summarizing the main ideas of the chapter. +3 points**

5. Ch. 8 - Nick suggests that Gatsby should forget about Daisy. Why can't Gatsby move on from Daisy (quote needed)? Explain your answer. + 6 points
6. Ch. 8 - What does Wilson say about the eyes of T.J. Eckleburg and what is the significance of Wilson's comment (quote needed)? + 6 points

**\*3 point sequence map, with 2 sub points each, summarizing the main ideas of the chapter. +3 points**

7. Ch. 9 - Why is Gatsby's father proud of his son (quote needed)? + 6 points
8. Ch. 9 - What is the last line of the book? How does this line relate to the character of Jay Gatsby (quote needed)? + 6 points

**\*3 point sequence map, with 2 sub points each, summarizing the main ideas of the chapter. +3 points**

### **Reading Notes + 54 points total**

#### **Socratic Circle Class Discussion:**

\*minimum of 3 inner circle comments +5 points each

\*minimum of 1 outer circle comment +5 points each

\*outer circle notes +10 points

**+30 points total**