

English 8
Angus, Thongs and Full-Frontal Snogging
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October Chapter

Georgia has her big lesson with Peter Dyer, the kissing teacher. Georgia begins dating Peter Dyer, even though she doesn't really want to. Georgia's mother brings up the subject of traveling for the first time. The objectives of these questions is to examine the significance of kissing as a rite of passage for Georgia, to examine her motivations for dating Peter and to analyze the significance of the conversation about traveling, in terms of the novel's plot.

1. What major event occurs for Georgia at the beginning of the October chapter? Why is this event so important to Georgia?

2. In what ways does she change as a result of this event? Does anyone other than Georgia feel that she has changed? Why or why not?

3. Do you think that anything significant will change in Georgia's life as a result of her "transformation"? Why or why not? Do you think this event is as important to Georgia's friends as it is to her?

4. How does Georgia feel about Peter Dyer after their kissing lessons? Why does Georgia begin dating Peter Dyer? Do you think it was a good decision for her? Why or why not?

5. What subject does Mum bring up with Georgia near the end of this chapter? Why might Georgia's mother have asked Georgia about this? How does Georgia feel about the subject?

6. How do you think this conversation will relate to later plot points? What do you think Rennison is setting up via this conversation? Why does this conversation occur at this particular point in the novel?
