

## General Discussion Questions on Immigration

**How do characters in the literature negotiate their identities between their homeland and their new country?**

**In what ways does language (native vs. adopted) shape the characters' sense of self?**

**What role does community play in helping or hindering immigrants' adjustment to a new environment?**

**Are there differences in how first-generation and second-generation immigrants experience belonging?**

**Are immigrants depicted primarily as victims, agents of change, or something more complex?**