

“Snow” Questions

After reading and annotating the short story, please answer the questions below. Title the document as follows and save it in your class folder for English: Snow_Final Exam Practice. We will review the story and questions during our next class meeting.

Part One: Answer each of the questions in a clear, precise and concise sentence or two.

1. Who teaches Yolanda?
2. Where does Yolanda sit in class?
3. Why does the teacher have Yolanda teach the class her name?

Part Two: Answer the EACH question in a brief well-structured paragraph. The paragraph for each question should include evidence (a quote) from the story to support your claim.

4. Why does Yolanda scream suddenly?
5. What purpose does including details about Cuba have in the story? What does it emphasize?
6. At the end of the passage, the teacher describes snowflakes for Yolanda. What is the meaning of this description? What is the author suggesting through the description?
7. The author italicizes several words in the story. What is the author’s purpose in doing this? What do the italicized words highlight, and why is this important?