

***Blind Fairy* by Micki Bare**

Book Club Questions

Let's get the conversation started! Here are 10 book club questions for parents, teachers, librarians, book club leaders, and others to use to get tweens talking about *Blind Fairy*. Choose from these or come up with your own!

1. At the beginning of the book, the boy next door takes a turtle from his yard and brings it home as a pet. What are some reasons why this would not be good for the turtle, other than what Zahra said in the book?
2. Danni and Zahra have trouble accepting each other's new friends. Has this ever happened to you? Why do you think Zahra was upset about Tonia? Why was Danni hesitant to meet Aiofe?
3. After Danni and Zahra talk with Mrs. Clara Festmire, Danni decides to use real plates and cloth napkins at her party instead of disposable items. What are some things you can do to live a more Earth-friendly life?
4. In chapter 11, Zahra runs away. Why do you think she left? Would you want to leave if you were faced with a similar situation?
5. Zahra admits she is not good at weaving, despite having many special skills. Are there skills you wish you had, but don't?
6. In chapter 27, Zahra moves a tree with her new skill. Why was that a mistake? Have you ever done something you thought was a good idea, but then it turned out to be a bad idea?
7. Zahra discovers a big secret about her father in chapter 38. At first, she was upset, but then she was thankful. Why did she change her mind? How would you react if you were Zahra?
8. Do you think it was okay for Miss Perkit Talvoy to make such a big mess, even though she cleaned it up before she left?
9. Aiofe was left alone at only two years old. How do you think that affected her life? Do you think it made it easier or harder for her to serve as one of the Trilaterian?
10. In chapter 44, Miss Jellisia Levion says, "We must not make quick judgments. Always be open to hearing and accepting other perspectives as more information is revealed." What does that mean to you? Do you feel like you hear and accept other perspectives?