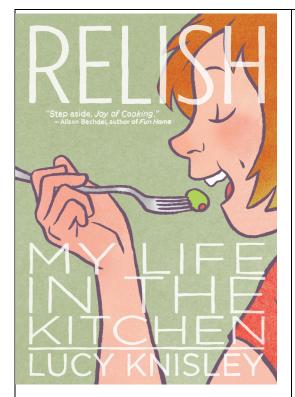
## FULL LENGTH BOOK EXTENDER: Group Reading Aligned to Common Core

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## Grade 10 Discussion Questions

RL.9-10.2--Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze in detail its development over the course of the text, including how it emerges and is shaped and refined by specific details; provide an objective summary of the text.

Lucy's relationship with her father and mother develop differently throughout the narrative. Can you see how the foods she associates with each of them might give symbolic clues as to how she views those relationships?

RL.9-10.5--Analyze how an author's choices concerning how to structure a text, order events within it (e.g., parallel plots), and manipulate time (e.g., pacing, flashbacks) create such effects as mystery, tension, or surprise.

Name one point in the text that surprised you. How was Lucy able to achieve that element of surprise using the text, her illustrations, or both?

RL.9-10.9--Analyze how an author draws on and transforms source material in a specific work.

Choose one specific place in the text where the author relies more heavily on her illustrations than text to make a point. How does she use her art to communicate wordlessly?

Relish By Lucy Knisley, (2013) GRADES for USE: 6+

SUMMARY OF BOOK: Lucy explores her life experiences through the ever-present lens of food and its impact on her life. Meaningful moments take on a sacred feel as the tastes and smells of her family's passion for food mingle with the more concrete facts of each event.

## Grade 10 Activities

RL .9-10.3--Analyze how complex characters (e.g., those with multiple or conflicting motivations) develop over the course of a text, interact with other characters, and advance the plot or develop the theme.

Choose one of the many cultures that Lucy highlights from her travels. Symbolically represent the lessons she learned from that people/place/culture in the graphic novel format.

W.9-10.2.B--Develop the topic with well-chosen, relevant, and sufficient facts, extended definitions, concrete details, quotations, or other information and examples appropriate to the audience's knowledge of the topic.

Create a cookbook of special recipes. Each page should include the ingredient list and directions followed by a descriptive narrative paragraph detailing a perfect time for sharing food. Add artwork to taste.

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