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### **Literature Circles – Discussion Manager**

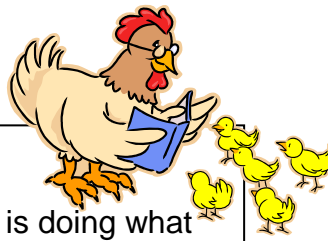
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# Discussion Manager

## Discussion Manager's Role

1. Writes up a meeting agenda (that means who is doing what each meeting)
2. Create 3 to 5 interesting discussion questions.
3. Try to think of questions that will get your circle group to dig into the book and share their thoughts and opinions.
4. Looks at the 'big picture' of the meeting
5. Runs the meeting. Allowing everyone to have a chance to speak.
6. Acts as a spokesperson for the Circle

## Tips for Discussion Managers

You will need to consider –

- ☺ How is the text written? - (Is it a diary, autobiography, first person?)
- ☺ Who are the main characters?
- ☺ What is the author trying to do, say? Is it successful?
- ☺ Anything else that may be interesting to discuss.

**Bibliographic details of the text:**

**Genre:**

**Major themes:**

**Major Questions:**

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