

# Discussion Questions

## *The Chai House* by Priti Srivastava

Source: Questions from the author



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## Book Club Discussion Questions:

1. What did you expect from this novel?
2. What do you think of the significance of the title? If you were assigned to give *The Chai House* a new title, what would it be?
3. Did you see yourself in this novel? Which character(s) were you most empathetic towards? How did that make you feel?
4. Were the descriptions of assumptions & expectations when living in a multigenerational environment relatable to you? How so?
5. How did reading this novel impact your mood or thoughts?
6. What institutions/systems (ex: health care accessibility, policing, school systems, media, housing, transportation, etc) contributed to the oppression Swati felt before versus after the election?
7. Did anything surprise you about this novel?
8. Did this novel feel real to you? Does that influence whether you may recommend this novel or who you may recommend read it?

