Amy Tan, *Two Kinds*

Post-reading activities

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Part 1: *Two Kinds* – an overview

about 45 min.

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Step 1: Remembering the short story

1. Look at the prompt in the speech bubble.
2. Think for **one** minute
3. Write for **seven** minutes.

You've already read the short story "Two Kinds" by Amy Tan. Think about what happens in the story and write down what you remember about it.

**Method: Quick Write**
The *Quick Write* is a short written response (2-10 minutes) to an open-ended question or prompt.

https://teachingcommons.lakeheadu.ca/sites/default/files/inline-files/Quick%20Writes%20explanation.pdf
Step 2: Looking at the plot

a) Watch the following tutorial about the plot diagram: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WH5jIkJ4U

b) How does the plot unfold in "Two Kinds"? Draw a diagram and label it:

- **lines of the section of the short story**
- **stage (e.g. exposition etc.)**
- **key words of important aspects of the story**
Step 3: Identifying themes

You are volunteering in your school's library and are asked to tag the short story, applying different themes to it.

a) Write them down.

b) Create a word cloud that represents your ranking.

In order to create your word cloud, you can use a tool such as

https://www.wordle.net
https://www.wortwolken.com
https://wordart.com

For more help see the document „Part_1_More_Help“