

Book Club Detective

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Mary, Mae, Midge, and Meg met in high school and have been best friends since that time. Known as the “Four M’s,” they’d done many things together from the ridiculous to the sublime. Meg was called “Red M” for her auburn hair and Mae “Chatty M” since she talked non-stop; Midge was “Posh M,” as she was très chic, and Mary was “\$ M” because she loved to shop.

Meg, the planner of the group, decided they should start a book club, given they like to read. She found her **library card** and made **3 invitations** with all the info they would need. Mae shopped for a **tub of meringues, party napkins, 8 strawberries,** and **4 paper plates,** And Midge brought **San Pellegrino water, 2 bottles of wine,** and **2 bunches of grapes.**

Meg set the table with a **tablecloth, corkscrew, 2 tongs,** and **wooden serving tray,** Plus **2 coffee mugs, 2 cans of vanilla iced coffee,** and **9 meringues** scattered any old way. Mary brought **4 bookmarks, 4 pencils, a pen, list of discussion questions,** and **book summary,** With a **notepad** and **composition book** for writing notes and **4 reading glasses** to better see.

3 copies of *A Room with a View* were proudly produced by everyone except for Mae— She’d instead gotten ***A Room of One’s Own*** because she was talking, and attention did not pay. No matter, though, since no one had read their book and were there to schmooze and be fed. Meg, admitting her defeat, announced, “I declare book club to be over—let’s eat and gab instead!”