

Reading Check Quiz: *The Great Gatsby* (Chapters 4-6)

Mark “C” for a true statement and “NC” for a false statement.

- ___ 1. Wolfsheim supposedly “fixed” the World Series of 1919.
- ___ 2. Jordan Baker was a lovely but dishonest young woman.
- ___ 3. Daisy waited patiently for Gatsby to come home from the war so that they could be together.
- ___ 4. Gatsby was cheated out of an inheritance from Dan Cody.
- ___ 5. Gatsby’s great dream was to amass an even larger fortune.
- ___ 6. Gatsby’s fortune was earned through hard work and careful investment in the stock market.
- ___ 7. Nick Carraway developed an intense dislike for Gatsby as the novel proceeds.
- ___ 8. Rumors about Gatsby’s past are numerous.
- ___ 9. Nick arranges a reunion between Gatsby and Daisy in his small house.
- ___ 10. Jay Gatsby was really Jimmy Gatz from North Dakota, a boy who grew up poor.
- ___ 11. Meyer Wolfsheim is a gangster for whom Gatsby works.
- ___ 12. After renewing his affair with Daisy, Gatsby suddenly cuts off his friendship with Nick.
- ___ 13. Gatsby first met Daisy in Louisville, Kentucky, while he was in military service during World War I.
- ___ 14. After renewing his love affair with Daisy, Gatsby threw more parties to share with her by his side.
- ___ 15. Gatsby was the son of a prominent and wealthy Midwestern family.
- ___ 16. Gatsby bought his house so that he would be just across the bay from Daisy.
- ___ 17. When Gatsby first sees Daisy again, he embraces her tenderly.
- ___ 18. Gatsby’s reunion with Daisy is everything he dreamed it would be.
- ___ 19. James Gatz changed his name when he was seventeen.
- ___ 20. Gatsby goes riding with a man named Sloan and his female companion.
- ___ 21. When Daisy attends one of Gatsby parties, she is offended by most of what she sees.
- ___ 22. East Egg people keep to themselves at Gatsby’s party.
- ___ 23. Gatsby’s greatest dream is to repeat the past as if the last few years had never actually happened.
- ___ 24. Despite his first impression, Tom grows friendlier toward Gatsby as time goes by.
- ___ 25. Jordan had been one of Daisy’s bridesmaids when she married Tom Buchanan.

Key:

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15. NC 16. C 17. NC 18. NC 19. C 20. NC 21. C 22. C 23. C 24. NC 25. C