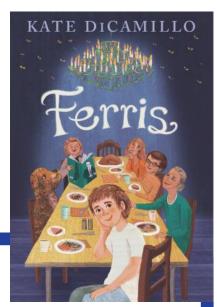
## FERRIS, KATE DICAMILLO

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## **Book Overview**

During the summer before fifth grade, Ferris Wilkey has her hands full with her little sister terrorizing the town, her Aunt Shirley moving into their basement and her grandmother seeing a ghost--one who has wild, impractical and illuminating plans.

## **Discussion Questions**

- Charisse tells Ferris to be herself and not let the world tell her who she is, rather the other way around. Who would you tell the world you are?
- Ferris feels homesick even though she is at home. Why? Have you ever felt like this?
- Why do you think Boomer and Charisse were the only ones that could see the ghost?
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