



# Online Reading club avec Alecia MCKENZIE

Alecia MCKENZIE, the author of *Sweetheart* (*Trésor* - Prix Carbet des Lycéens), comes back to us with **A Million Aunties.**

A story of love, loss, resilience, family and community.

**APRIL 30th, 2021**  
3:PM (heure de Guadeloupe)

Un club de lecture bilingue en ligne  
D'abord une présentation du roman en anglais et en français puis nos échanges et avec l'auteure alternativement dans chacune des langues pour des sessions d'une demie heure., sur les thèmes ayant retenu notre attention et peut-être même aussi la question de la traduction en littérature.



With A *MILLION AUNTIES*

Let's follow the experiences of the resilient guardian of traditions and good values, Auntie Della, a submissive woman for a while but strong enough to flee a "narcissistic, perverse" partner and to bounce back, devoting her love to those who deserve it and know how to appreciate it: her true non-nephews Stephen and Christopher, her mysterious neighbour Pretty, and several others. The older generation, particularly the aunties (a kind of "Potomitan"), provide a solid rock of values for the younger generation, who themselves have much to offer or share, trying to no avail to avoid the leave-and-loss experience, giving their homeland another chance to make them stay ...

We also enjoy the outsiders' view of habits and customs and the artist's appreciation of places, all of which gives a fabulously intimate effect.

Join the session : [Zoom Link](#)  
Meeting ID: 798 808 8769  
Passcode: 009418