

# Skokie Public Library's Book Discussion Guide

## **THE PLOT AGAINST AMERICA**

**by Philip Roth**

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- "Fear" is the first word in this novel. What does Philip fear?
- Why is Philip's stamp collection so important to him?
- What does Philip learn from his roommates about Lindbergh's America?
- How do contrasting understandings of Jewishness shape events and Philip's understanding of them?
- What visions of America motivate the characters in this novel?
- What does the ending of the novel suggest about the author's vision of America?
- What kind of novel is The Plot Against America?



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