

Life Savers

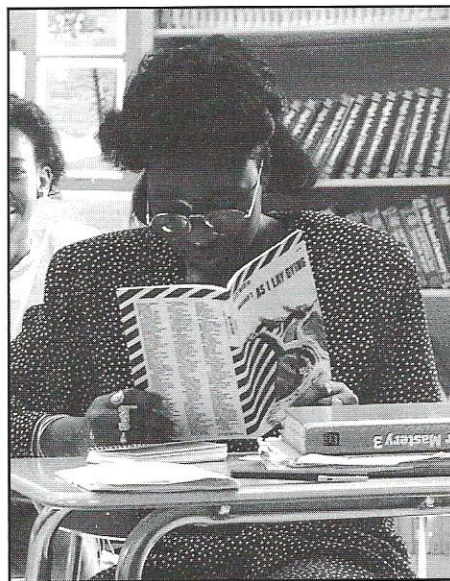
It was practically part of becoming a high school student. It was almost impossible to find a student who could deny using them — Cliffs Notes, a real life saver in high school life.

The story was nearly the same very time. The teacher would assign a book report or character analysis. Several weeks later and the night before the due date, the report was still not done. A little quick thinking and one was rushing to the book store to grab a copy of Cliffs Notes. The average price of one book ran anywhere from two dollars to four dollars, often more expensive than the actual books themselves.

“There were times when I just didn’t have time to read an entire 400 page book. Cliffs gave me a detailed summary in about 30 pages and it’s all easy to understand,” senior Shea Robbins said.

Cliffs Notes weren’t only used to get around reading the real books. Some students found them to be helpful as they studied stories and plays in their literature classes. Many of the Shakespearean plays were covered by Cliffs, as well as most of the classics, such as GRAPES OF WRATH and WUTHERING HEIGHTS.

— Wendy J. Garrett



Senior Chantelle Bodison leafs through a copy of Cliffs Notes to help her find an answer about the book she has been reading for her English class. Students often had one report to do per quarter.

Tiwana Groves, a senior, reads a copy of Cliffs Notes to assist her in the writing of a character analysis. After school and on weekends, Tiwana worked at McDonald’s.

