

The Giver: Chapters 13-16

Keywords/Quotations	Notes
1. How does The Giver view the decision makers in the community? Cite text evidence from his dialogue and/or demeanor to support your response.	
2. What is significant about the following dialogue from The Giver? Why?	
Jonas thought about it, what it would be like for him. "Along with walking, and eating, and --" He looked around the walls of books. "Reading? That's it?"	
The Giver shook his head. "Those are simply the things I <i>do</i> . My <i>life</i> is here."	
"In this room?"	
The Giver shook his head. He put his hands to his own face, to his chest. "No. Here, in my being. Where the memories are."	
3. How does Jonas respond to The Giver saying, "They know nothing." What does this reveal about Jonas' character and perspective?	

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4. What inference can you make about The Giver's perspective on his community based on his dialogue and demeanor in chapter 13? Cite text evidence in your response.	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
5. Compare and contrast Jonas' interaction/conversation with The Giver and his conversation with his parents. What do his dialogue and demeanor in each interaction suggest about how his character is changing?	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
6. What choices does Jonas make that he has not made before? Why are these significant?	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>