



DEMARCUS JONES

and the Solar Calendar

READING GUIDE BOOK 3 PART 1/4



Section 1: This section covers chapters 1 -7, when Demarcus meets Dejon and their first use of the Solar Calendar.

1. Why did Dejon know that something bad was going to happen after lunch?
2. How did Demarcus feel about Dejon?
3. Why did Dejon hit Joey?
4. Why did Demarcus want to talk to Dejon after school?
5. Why do you think Dejon was unfazed by Demarcus's questioning?
6. Why did Dejon continue to inspect the Solar Calendar after Demarcus asked him to put it down?
7. Why do you think Dejon lied about knowing who Malcolm X was?
8. How did Dejon get the Solar Calendar to work?
9. What did Malcolm X mean when he told Demarcus that he had a responsibility?
10. Why did Malcolm X ask Dejon if he thought jail was cool?
11. Why does Malcolm X say that pro-violence vs non-violence is nothing but distractions?
12. Why does Malcolm X tell Dejon and Demarcus that they are still oppressed?
13. Why do you think Dejon seemed like he wasn't afraid of anything?
14. Why did Marcus Garvey tell Demarcus and Dejon that they cannot put him and other leaders against each like a sports game?

