



DEMARCUS JONES and the Solar Calendar

READING GUIDE BOOK 2 PART 2/4



This section covers chapters 9 – 12, when Demarcus and Ashanti meet Yaa Asantewaa and learn about the Ashanti war with the British.

1. Why did Demarcus think that Ashanti was his key to using the Solar Calendar?
2. Why do you think Demarcus told Ashanti that their use of the Solar Calendar was a dream?
3. Why did Ashanti agree to use the Solar Calendar again?
4. What surprised Ashanti about Yaa Asantewaa?
5. Why did Yaa Asantewaa say that her people were weak?
6. How long did the Ashanti fight the British?
7. Why does the drum speak a universal language?
8. Why did the European countries have a meeting in Berlin in 1884?
9. How did Yaa Asantewaa lose her battle against the British?
10. Why didn't Ashanti want the old book that the man from the Basra war had given her?
11. Why did Ashanti want to tell the parents about the Solar Calendar?

