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DIRECTIONS: Answer these questions on a separate sheet of paper as you read the novel. Each question should be numbered, written out in full and answered in complete sentences. Remember, this counts as your Unit Test mark for this unit, so do a thorough job on it and hand it in for marking when you are done.

THE GIVER - Questions to answer as you read the novel. (3 marks each)

1. Why was it unusual for a plane to fly over the community?
2. What reason was given for the plane flying overhead?
3. What ritual did Jonas' family take part in after the evening meal?
4. What is the Ceremony of Twelve?
5. What are Assignments?
6. What did Jonas find strange about his game of catch with Asher?
7. What purpose do the volunteer hours serve?

8. Describe the release of Roberto.

9. What are *stirrings*?

10. What role do Nurturers play?

11. Why were Fritz's transgressions frowned upon?

12. At what age do you become an adult in the community?

13. Why was Jonas not given an assignment?

14. What are the five qualities a Receiver of Memory must have?

15. What conspicuous difference did Jonas first notice about the room of the Receiver of Memory?

16. What does Jonas notice about the Receiver's eyes?

17. How does the Receiver transmit the memory of snow to Jonas?

18. Why doesn't the community have snow now?

19. Why can't everyone in the community see colours?

20. Why does Jonas think everyone should have the memories?

21. What startles Jonas the night he comforts Gabriel?

22. Describe Rosemary's training as a Receiver.

23. Why was Rosemary's release a disaster for the Community?

24. Why was Jonas shocked at watching the release of the twin?

25. What does the Giver say is the worst part of holding the memories?

26. What does the Giver call music?

27. What shocking news does the Giver reveal about Rosemary?

28. How did the Community try to search for Jonas and Gabriel?

29. What was the final method of transportation used by Jonas and Gabriel?

THE GIVER - Questions to answer after reading the whole story. (3 marks)

1. From what point of view is the story told?

2. What does the author tell you about the place where the story happens?

3. What does the setting tell you about the characters in the story?

4. How does the setting contribute to the atmosphere or mood of the story?

5. Who are the main characters of the story?

6. Which character do you identify with the most? Why?

7. Do any of the characters remind you of people you know? If so, explain why.

8. What type of conflict is present in this story?