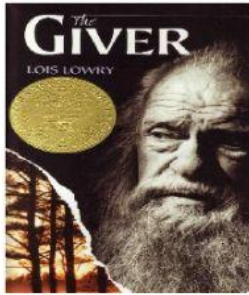


Let's put the new words from The Giver into practice!



All the sentences below were taken from The Giver, Chapters 1-15. Work with a dictionary and fill in the blanks with the correct words from the box. You may help you with the novel by checking the pages at the beginning of the sentences.

wisdom nourishment irritation bewilderment confided distraught capacity
 apprehensive fledged excruciating relinquished relinquished forbidden committee
 precision nuisance conspicuous perspiring hesitated vividly integrity

- 1- (pg. 4) "I left home at the correct time but when I was riding along near the hatchery, the crew was separating some salmon. I guess I just got _____, watching them."
- 2- (pg. 6) But there was a little shudder of nervousness when he thought about it, about what might happen. _____, Jonas decided, that's what I am.
- 3- (pg. 15) "I could have sneaked a look at the list prior to the ceremony," Father _____.
- 4- (pg. 17) He said that the _____ members would become Elders by the time the rule change was made.
- 5- (pg. 18) "I remember how proud my parents looked—my sister, too; even though she wanted to be out riding the bicycle publicly, she stopped _____ and was very still and attentive when my turn came."
- 6- (pg. 26) Mirrors were rare in the community; they weren't _____, but there was no real need of them, and Jonas had simply never bothered to look at himself very often when he found himself in a location where a mirror existed.
- 7- (pg. 29) He probably should have brought up the feeling of _____ that very evening when the family unit had shared their feelings of the day. But he had not been able to sort out and put into words the confusion, so he had let it pass.
- 8- (pg. 39) It was a _____ to keep oneself covered while changing for games, and the required apology if one had by mistake glimpsed another's body was always awkward.
- 9- (pg. 43) He dreamed very _____ the night before.
- 10- (pg. 45) I was _____ because it was so warm.
- 11- (pg. 63) Sometimes parents used them in _____ at a child's misbehavior, indicating that mischief made one unworthy of a name.
- 12- (pg. 66) Jonas tried to pay attention as One, smiling happily, received her Assignment as Fish Hatchery Attendant along with words of praise for her childhood spent doing many volunteer hours there, and her obvious interest in the important process of providing _____ for the community.
- 13- (pg. 69) But the mistake had been made. And _____ of language was one of the most important tasks of small children.



- 14- (pg. 78) "-----," she said next. "Jonas has, like all of us, committed minor transgressions."
She smiled at him.
- 15- (pg. 79) "The fourth essential attribute," the Chief Elder said, "is-----."
- 16- (pg. 79) He calls it the ----- to See Beyond.
- 17- (pg. 85) Both of his parents ----- . Finally, his father described the previous selection.
- 18- (pg. 94) But the most -----difference was the books.
- 19- (pg. 120) "We ----- color when we -----unshine and did away with differences." (the same word Twice)
- 20- (pg. 139) "Why?" Jonas asked him after he had received a torturous memory in which he had been neglected and unfed; the hunger had caused -----spasms in his empty, distended stomach.

