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The Giver Chapter 8

1. What has Jonas been selected to do? How do you think 'selected' is different from 'assigned'?

2. Why is such careful attention paid to the selection of The Receiver? What happened the last time a Receiver was selected?

3. What are the first four essential (necessary) traits of a Receiver?

4. We don't yet know what "the Capacity to see Beyond" means. However, the Chief Elder says Jonas has it. Make a prediction—what do you think "the Capacity to see Beyond" is?