## Chapter 4 – Because Geometry Is Not a Country Somewhere Near France

- 1. COMPARE Junior's life with his sister's life. What is his nickname for her and why?
- 2. Describe Mr. P. How is he strange? Why is Junior so cynical about teachers?
- 3. What realization does Junior make when he excitedly opens his geometry book? How does he react?

## Chapter 5 – Hope Against Hope

- 1. What has happened as a result of Junior's reaction toward his geometry book?
- 2. Explain The conversation Mr.P haswithJunior.(What sorts of things does Mr. P say? How does Junior react?)
- 3. ELABORATE: Mr. P say the following: "Every white person on this rez should get smashed in the face. But, let me tell you this. All the Indians should get smashed in the face,too."
- 4. What is Mr. P's advice to Junior?

## Chapter 6 – Go Means Go

- 1. Who does Junior learn has the most hope? What does Junior decide he hasto do and why?
- 2. What are his parents' reactions at his decision? CONCLUDE: What does this show about them?
- 3. Why is it going to be difficult for Junior to go to Reardan? Why does he decide to do it anyway?