

## New Kid Summer Reading Prompts

<u>Directions</u>: While you read <u>New Kid</u>, take notes on the following writing prompts. Your notes will be used for a writing assignment in the fall when you return to school. (Use note form with a dot, dash, or star)

1. List examples of how the staff and students at Riverdale Academy Day School (RAD) assume things about Jordan because he is African American. You can also include examples of assumptions Jordan makes about the staff and students at RAD. (Include page numbers for each note.)

| Assumptions staff & students make about Jordan:         |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Assumptions Jordan makes about staff & students at RAD: |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 2. List examples of how Jordan uses humor in his drawings to deal with uncomfortable feelings and/or experiences. (Include page numbers for each note.)   |
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| 3. Explain how Jordan changes his physical self while traveling to and from school each day. Also, provide examples of how he feels about having to make these changes. (Include page numbers for each note.) |
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