



Bayview High

Striking Distance Chapter 16: Busted

Understanding the Text—Comprehension

1. Why did the police officers and the Fletchers not believe Alejandro's explanation? (pp. 116-117)

How would you feel if you were Alejandro?

2. What was the turning point in the police interrogation? (p. 117)

3. Why did Jason agree to tell the truth? (p. 119)

4. Who was a co-conspirator in all of Jason's crimes? Why? (pp. 119-120) Do you think Mrs. Fletcher was justified? Why or why not?

5. What was Alejandro's explanation for the Fletcher family's behaviour?

6. Why did Louanne pull Alejandro out of the home immediately?
