



Bayview High

Taking the Lead Chapter 12: Passing the Torch

Understanding the Text—Comprehension

1. How does the author let the reader know the inner turmoil Autumn is experiencing? (p. 74) What do you do when something is bothering you?

2. What do you think that Autumn planned to do at the school so early in the morning?

3. Why was Mr. Thomas pleased to see Autumn at school so early? (p. 75)

4. How did Autumn display her excitement over getting the lead? (pp. 76–78)

5. Why do you think Autumn brushed Big Dog off even though she was so excited about getting the lead? (p. 79)

6. Why would Autumn not want to face Hing? (p. 80)

7. How did Hing make Autumn mad? Why do you think she finally stood up to Hing? (p. 80)
