

Teen Category Reading Group Questions

General:

- What were your first impressions when you saw the cover and title of the graphic novel?
- What major themes did you notice in the novel? Did any of these resonate with you?
- Was there a character who you particularly related to or enjoyed? Why?
- Was there a character who you found it difficult to understand or didn't like?
- How effectively did the artwork capture the setting and mood of the story?
- Describe the art style of the graphic novel in five words or less. How did this enhance the story?

In-Depth:

- *Plot development* – was there a key scene which particularly stood out for you? Why?
- *Conflict and resolution* – What was the main conflict in the story? How was it resolved and were you happy about this?
- *Character growth* – Did any of the characters undergo any significant growth or change throughout the novel? How did this affect the story?
- *Dialogue* – How did the dialogue contribute to the plot and character development? Was there a stand-out line for you?
- *Symbolism* – Did you notice any symbols or motifs recurring throughout the graphic novel? What do you think they represented? These could be within the plot or the artistic choices.

Personal Reflection:

- *Connection* – How did the story connect to your personal experiences or current affairs?
- *Lessons* – Did you take any lessons or messages from the novels?
- *Personal highlights* – What was your favourite part of a graphic novel and why?
- *Spin-off* – If you could create a spin-off novel, what would it focus on?
- *Recommendations* – Would you recommend this novel to others? Why?