

### CHAPTER 3

1. What did the nuns do to most of the girl's hair? Why do you think they did this?
2. What is the significance of the word "sever"?
3. Why do you think that the nuns cut Olemaun's hair?
4. How did Olemaun know that the tall girl who entered the room was Gwich'in?
5. What did Olemaun think about the clothes that she was given? What were some of the items?
6. Olemaun said that the nuns, "knew nothing of living in the North, nor how to dress for it." p. 34. What kind of education do you think the students will be receiving since it clearly wouldn't be about the north?
7. What was the nun's reaction when Olemaun tried to wear her own stockings? Why do you think she reacted this way?
8. How do you think Olemaun felt about her name? How can you tell?
9. What did Olemaun's name mean and where did it come from? What is her new, Christian name?
10. What did Margaret discover about the stuff in the tube? What did she say it tasted like?
11. Why did Margaret feel that the girls were laughing at her mother?
12. Why did Margaret decide to try the new nun's toothpaste?

13. What was the new nun's name and what did Margaret think she looked like?

14. Margaret was hoping to learn to read on her second day, was did she learn instead?

15. What was Margaret supposed to pray for on p. 42? What does she pray for instead?

16. Do you think the Raven is picking on Margaret? Explain your answer