



Sophie Washington: Things You Didn't Know About Sophie

Discussion Questions

1. What does Sophie want for her birthday? Why doesn't her mother want to buy it for her?
2. Sophie and her classmates take a trip to Austin, Texas for their Texas history trip. Have you taken a field trip to another city? What did you enjoy most about the trip?
3. When Toby asks Sophie where her phone is, she says she left it at home. How do her friend's respond?
4. Sophie learns that the slogan or motto for the city of Austin is "Keep Austin Weird." What does her teacher say this means?
5. Nathan Jones and Toby Johnson have a food fight during the class trip. Why do you think Nathan doesn't like the new kid?
6. Who does Sophie borrow a cell phone from? Does this solve her problem?
7. What does Sophie promise to buy Cole's friend Jake?
8. Why does Sophie have trouble telling her friends the truth? What would you do in her situation?
9. What lie does Toby tell?
10. The book ends with Sophie's birthday. What gift does she receive? Would you have given her the same present?