Reading Day 2: Task 1- *City of Ember*

Overview: Listen to the beginning of chapter 15 of *City of Ember and answer 2 questions.*

Estimated Time: approximately 20 minutes

Explanation:

* Listen to the read aloud of the beginning of chapter 15 (pages 193-197)*.* The voice recording has the pages in the background so you can follow along even if you don’t have the book.
* As you are listening, answer the following questions on a blank piece of paper.

Things to remember:

* Feel free to pause, rewind, replay, and watch again in case you missed something or to help you answer the questions.

Tasks:

* Listen to my recording - it is about 7 minutes.
* Answer the following questions as best you can!

Question 1: Why are Lina and Doon waiting until the singing to announce that they have found the way out of Ember?

Question 2: Why do you think the author spent a lot of time on pages 196-197 going over what Doon was packing in his bag for the trip? He doesn’t plan on leaving for at least a few days, so why did she do this?

Reading Day 2: Task 2- *Newsela* article and Random Number Game! 😊

Overview: Reread the *Newsela* article about the Chicago Aquarium and use a random number generator to answer 4 questions about the article.

Estimated Time: 20 minutes

Explanation:

* You will reread the *Newsela* article about how the Chicago Aquarium is allowing its animals to roam about while they are closed due to the virus and other ways they are staying connected to visitors while they are closed.
* On a blank piece of paper or the computer, randomly select **4** numbers between 1-12 and answer the corresponding question.

Things to remember:

* Read the 12 question options first.
* Reread the article.
* Use a random number generator (easy as googling “random number generator”) to help you randomly choose 4 questions to answer.

Tasks:

* Reread the article about the Chicago Aquarium.
* Randomly select 4 questions to answer from the chart below. Have fun with it!

