Among the Hidden Test Review

1. Who is the author of this book? Margaret Peterson Haddix

2. What is the “population law”? illegal to have more than two children

3. Who enforces this law? Population Police

4. What were Luke’s brothers’ names? Matthew and Mark

5. What kind of government is the one in the book? Democracy, socialist, totalitarian, monarchy?

6. What does the word “totalitarian” mean? A system where the government exercises control over the freedom, will, or thought of citizens.

7. Why did the government cut down the Garner’s woods and make them quit raising pigs? Government built fancy houses. Barons would not like the smell of the pigs.

8. Why couldn’t people have pets? Food shortage

9. Why was Luke banished from coming into the kitchen? People could see him

10. What names did Luke give to the families he watched from his room? Sports Family, Birdbrain Family. Gold Family, Big Car Family

11. What is a Baron? Incredibly rich person

12. What are “shadow children”? illegal 3rd (or 4th)—anything after the 2nd) children

13. What does Jen do to her hand the first day she meets Luke? What is this an example of? She cuts her hand intentionally—example of foreshadowing.

14. What privileges does Jen have that Luke does not? Junk food, computer, tv, she leaves the house, can move freely around the house

15. Why did the Government pass the population law? Food shortages--famines
16. What is the password to the chat room? Free

17. Where does Jen go with her forged pass? Shopping with her mom

18. Define hydroponics growing food indoors

   Because they don’t want people to fix the food shortage—they want to stay in control of everything.

20. Where is Jen’s rally? The president’s house

21. What happens at the rally? Kids are shot

22. How many kids showed up at the rally? 40


24. Why did the Population Police visit Jen’s father? Luke tried to enter chat room

25. What does Jen’s dad bribe the Population Police with? Fur coats

26. What is Luke’s new name? Lee Grant

27. How did he get a new name and id? The real Lee Grant died in a skiing accident, and his parents donated his identity.


29. What is the setting of the story? We don’t know.

30. What genre is the story? dystopia

31. What are the five techniques of propaganda that we learned in class? Bandwagon, loaded words, transfer, repetition, testimonial

Know the definitions of the following terms and be able to apply them:

- **Simile**
- **Metaphor**
- **Alliteration**
- **Onomatopoeia**
- **Foreshadowing**—hints or clues about what will happen in the future