

The Crossover

ANTICIPATION GUIDE

DIRECTIONS

- Before you read the book, read each of the statements and place a check next to “agree” or “disagree” in the BEFORE column.
- Compare your opinions with a partner’s opinions and discuss your reasons for agreeing or disagreeing.
- After you read the book, read the statements again and place a check next to “agree” or “disagree” under the AFTER column. How has your thinking changed?

BEFORE Reading			AFTER Reading	
agree	disagree	Statement	agree	disagree
		Lessons learned in sports can also turn into lessons learned in life.		
		Poetry always needs to rhyme.		
		Growing up can be a magical, yet terrifying, time.		
		Families are not always perfect.		
		Sometimes people can inherit (be passed down) things from their family, such as physical items or health conditions.		
		Part of growing up is learning who you are.		
		Loss is something that every human will experience throughout their lifetime.		
		Parts of your identity can be really challenging to identify.		