One Crazy Summer Questions

1. In the book One Crazy Summer, where did Big Ma live before she moved in with Pa and the girls? A. Alabama, p.4
2. In the book One Crazy Summer, what did Delphine call the stucco on the house?  
   A. Green frosting p.25
3. In the book One Crazy Summer, on their first night there, what did Cecile fix for dinner?  
   A. Nothing p.32
4. In the book One Crazy Summer, what is Papa’s proper name?  
   A. Louis Gaither P.38
5. In the book One Crazy Summer, what was the one thing Big Ma and Cecile have in common?  
   A. Big Mama had no forgiveness for Cecile and Cecile had no need for it p.
6. In the book, One Crazy Summer, how did Vonetta think that Cecile got money to buy the house? A. she was printing it p. 48
7. In the book, One Crazy Summer, what did Delphine see in the kitchen one night when Fern woke up to get a drink of water?  
   a. White wing hanging down (pieces of paper floating) p.54
8. In the book, One Crazy Summer, who is Fern inseparable from? A. Miss Patty Cake – her doll p. 59
9. In the book, One Crazy Summer, what was on Crazy Kelvin’s shirt that morning, when the girls first met him in the breakfast line? A. a black t-shirt with “Dead White Pig” p. 64
10. In the book, One Crazy Summer, what does Cecile call herself? Nzila, a poet p. 76
11. In the book, One Crazy Summer, what did Vonetta do to Miss Patty Cake? A. she colored black with a permanent marker p. 94
12. In the book, One Crazy Summer, what did Delphine think Hirohito ran her off the sidewalk with? A. a skateboard – not a go kart p. 114
13. In the book, One Crazy Summer, instead of tv, what did Cecile get for the girls? A. a second hand radio p. 120

15. In the book, *One Crazy Summer*, who was Bobby? A. Bobby Hutton, first member of the Black Panthers and the youngest Panther to die for the cause p. 126


17. In the book, *One Crazy Summer*, what was the rally about? P. 132 A. to free Huey Newton and change the name of the park and name it after Bobby Hutton

18. In the book, *One Crazy Summer*, what did Eunice Ankton and Delphine have in common? P. 139 They were both the oldest girls in their families

19. In the book, *One Crazy Summer*, what did Delphine plan for their last Saturday in Oakland? A trip to San Francisco to see the Golden Gate Bridge, ride on a cable car, see Chinatown and Fisherman’s Wharf. P. 154


22. In the book, *One Crazy Summer*, after the police took Cecile, what did Delphine and the girls go back to the house and do? A. clean the kitchen p. 175

23. In the book, *One Crazy Summer*, what was the play about that the kids from the center put on during the rally? A. Harriett Tubman p. 194

24. In the book, *One Crazy Summer*, what was the name of the poem Delphine, Vonetta and Fern recited on stage at the rally? I Birthed a Black Nation p. 173

25. In the book, *One Crazy Summer*, what did Fern do on stage at the rally? A. she recited “A Pat on the Back for a Good Puppy”, a poem she made up p. 198

26. In the book, *One Crazy Summer*, what was Fern’s birth name? A. Afua p. 212