

Between Two Counties

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About this book

A learner's journey between a family home and a city school exposes the hidden cost of opportunity. Naliaka must decide whether to conceal the pressures threatening her place or trust a group whose help comes with questions of its own. The novel follows her agency and the responsibilities of those who offer support.

Academic purpose

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A short writing sample

The envelope was too light for the news it carried. Naliaka turned it over beneath the kitchen window, looking for a second page. Outside, someone was scraping yesterday's mud from a bicycle wheel. Her brother had already tied his shoes, although one lace was a length of blue string. "Is it the results?" he asked. "It is a letter." "I can see that." She folded ...

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