1. Read the following article from the Innanoo Community Times.

**ISLANDER STUDENTS WARNED BY PRINCIPAL**

Yesterday, Principal Jim O’Conner of Innanoo High School suspended four students in Year 8 for damaging school property after a violent incident on the school oval. The boys, from Kooee Island, were amongst a group of new students who have received academic scholarships to the school. O’Conner, who prides himself on his multicultural school, described the incident as ‘most unfortunate’.

The Kooee students have been attending the school for three months. The school has made every effort to include the Kooee students in the broader school community. Despite these efforts, the four boys yesterday lashed out and began throwing their apples and oranges at a group of local long-term students. The fruit missiles broke the sports club window and hit young football star, Joseph Johns, in the head, knocking him to the ground.

As a way of encouraging social interaction with other students, the school has a policy that the Kooee language cannot be spoken in the school grounds. Nevertheless, the new students made no efforts to integrate and continued to eat their lunch separately from the other students. A local student claimed the Kooee student behaviour caused resentment within the broader student body.

O’Conner has said that if the new students did not start to mix with the others and manage their anger more effectively, they would have to return to Kooee Island.

2. Each member of your group should select a character from the following list.

- Principal Jim O’Conner
- Joseph Johns
- Joseph Johns’ mother
- A teacher at the school
- An Innanoo student

Briefly discuss the event as a group from the perspective of your character, giving consideration to how you might feel about the incident.

3. Await further instruction from your teacher.