

## Week 9 Homework

A) Read chapters 1-8 of *The Cay* by Theodore Taylor.

B) Answer the following questions in a **minimum of three complete sentences, and include a quote** to support your answer:

1. Where does this story take place? Be specific, describing where it is in the world, and what it's like.
2. How does Phillip feel about Timothy when he meets him? How do you know he feels this way?
3. Give three examples of ways that Timothy is kind to Phillip.
4. What did Phillip mean when he said, "His eyes were becoming mine"?

☞ If you want to get started on **next week's reading and questions**, here they are; *but don't turn them in*:

Read *The Cay*, chapters 9 – 19.

1. Why did Timothy hit Phillip?
2. Why did Timothy teach Phillip how to fish?
3. How did Phillip's blindness change him?
4. What was the one thing Phillip wanted off the cay, and why?

C) Using your thesis statement, brainstorming, and leads from last week (Week 8 Brainstorming), create the outline for your essay using the form on my website.

D) Poetry: Write a poem of at least 15 words without using the letter "i."

E) Vocabulary:

Abject—being of the most miserable kind; wretched

Cajole—urged with gentle and repeated appeals, teasing, or flattery

Comport—to conduct oneself in a particular manner

Convey—communicate or make known

Upload the vocabulary words to Quizlet and get a head start on the next vocabulary test!