

6th Grade Summer Reading!

Dear Students & Parents,

This summer you will read *Timothy of the Cay* by Theodore Taylor. When you have finished reading *Timothy of the Cay*, you will complete two activities to help prepare for class applications. Please bring your work with you on the first day of school in September.

Additional Reading

Ideally, you are reading continuously throughout the summer. [Here](#) you can access book lists from past years' Reading Olympics events which represent a diverse range of exciting literature. Use this list to help you choose books of interest to read over the summer (in addition to *Timothy of the Cay*).

Have fun!

***Timothy of the Cay* Activities**

1. Complete the Problems-Solutions Chart. List four different problems from the book, and how they were solved. Please write in complete sentences.
2. Write a letter to your favorite character from one of the books. Using letter format, write a three-paragraph letter to one of the main characters, with 5-7 sentences in each paragraph.

Paragraph 1: Introduce yourself. Assume that the character doesn't know you.

Paragraph 2: Write about why you liked or did not like the book.

Paragraph 3: Write questions that you would like the character to answer.
Explain if needed.

Problems-Solutions Chart for *Timothy of the Cay*

