

GRADE: 6TH

SUBJECT/CONTENT AREA: Language Arts

STANDARD: 6.2.4. Clarify an understanding of texts by creating outlines, notes, diagrams, summaries, or reports

LESSON OBJECTIVE: Students will create Prezi presentations that map the understanding and plot development of *The Cay* by Theodore Taylor

MATERIALS: *The Cay*, computers with Internet and sound capabilities

PROCEDURES:

FOCUS AND REVIEW- Begin by introducing and exploring the text *The Cay* and its plot

TEACHER INPUT- Help students to understand the multiple facets of the story and its plot development

GUIDED PRACTICE- Map the beginning of the plot as a class on the chalkboard

INDEPENDENT PRACTICE- Students will create a Prezi in groups mapping the rest of the plot development of *The Cay*

CLOSURE- Present Prezis to the class

EVALUATION:

STUDENT PERFORMANCE- Express understanding through Prezi creation and presentation

TEACHER PERFORMANCE- Accuracy of students' Prezi plot maps