

Roll Of Thunder, Hear My Cry



L.A. extension

- *Read another book by Mildred D. Taylor, such as Let the Circle be Unbroken (the sequel) or Mississippi Bridge (from Jeremy's point of view). Write a comparison/contrast essay looking at the two books or create another type of book report about the second book (PowerPoint, video, character scrapbook, etc.).*
- *Read Bud, Not Buddy by Christopher Paul Curtis, which is about a black kid in the North during Depression. How is life different for African-Americans in the North and the South? How is it similar? Write an essay or create a project that demonstrates these differences and similarities.*



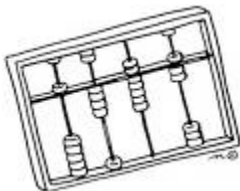
Humanities extension

- *Research sharecropping, modern-day conditions for African-Americans, or another topic related to the novel. Create an innovative way to present your findings (report, poster, PowerPoint, video, board game, etc.). Make sure to cite your sources.*
- *Research two topics that are historically related and present their relationship in an innovative way (report, poster, PowerPoint, video, board game, etc.) Make sure to cite your sources. Examples of topics can be:*
 - *the relationship between slavery and sharecropping*
 - *the connection between "Roaring Twenties" and the Great Depression*
 - *segregated schooling and Brown v Board of Education*



Science extension

- *Research farming during the time period in which the Logans lived. What were the scientific techniques used by farmers then? How is farming different today? Present your information in a poster, PowerPoint, etc. Make sure to cite your sources.*



Math extension

- *Create a budget for the Logan family or a sharecropping family. Defend why the budget is realistic.*