

The Cay Chapters 10-12 Vocabulary

1. **catchment** – n. a thing to catch and hold rain
2. **trough** – n. a large box-like container
3. **frangipani** – n. tropical plant with large, long leaves
4. **mocki jumbis** – n. Caribbean spirit chasers
5. **bambola** – n. Caribbean dance
6. **pompano** – n. small, tasty fish that swims close to shore
7. **fashion** – v. make
8. **submerge** – v. go under water
9. **abruptly** – adv. Suddenly; without warning
10. **jumbi** – n. a curse
11. **voodoo** – n. ancient religion that believes in evil spirits
12. **conniving** – adj. sneaky; not truthful
13. **tether** – v. to tie up
14. **skate** – n. diamond-shaped fish with a stinger tail
15. **malaria** – n. serious illness caused by mosquitoes