



The IB Middle Years Program at Deal Middle School



6th Grade Summer Assignment

Students must read *A View from Saturday* and complete an essay on the book. In addition they **should read at least two other books** from the list of suggested summer readings on the following pages.

Students will use the following questions to guide the development of the essay on *A View from Saturday*.

- What are your impressions of the main characters?
- What is the primary conflict in the story?
- Do you agree or disagree with how the conflict was resolved?
- What did find challenging about the book?
- How did you feel about reading this book?
- What surprised you about the book?
- Would you recommend this book to others? Why or why not?
- Can you relate to the characters?

The assigned essay will be due on Friday, September 3, 2010.