**Chapter 1**

The Witch of Blackbird Pond

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Directions: Read each question and choose the best possible answer. Circle your answer and write the corresponding letter on the line.

1. In Kit's opinion, how do America and Barbados compare?

a. America is bright; Barbados is dull. b. America is dull; Barbados is bright. c. America has more men; Barbados has less men. d. Barbados has more diversity; America is less diverse.

2. What odor on the dolphin does Kit detest?

a. The smell of sugar and molasses. b. The smell of horses. c. The smell of people. d. The smell of rotting potatoes.

3. “There was a bounce in his step that matched that laughter in his

eyes.” This sentence best describe

a. Nathaniel (Nat) Eaton b. The captain C. John Holbrook d. Matthew Wo*o*d

4. What BEST describes Kit's relationship with Mistress Eaton?

a. They are friends. b. They are like mother and daughter. c. They are enemies. d. They don't know each other.

\_5. “Her spirits bobbed like whitecaps in the harbor as the boat

pulled away..." Using context clues, what does *whitecaps* means? a. Seagulls b. *W*aves c. Boats d. Sailors

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6. What is the water trial?

a. A witch will float. b. A witch will sink. *C.* A witch will hate water. d. A witch will love water.

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7. Fill in the blank. Goodwife Cruff

a. Adores b. Ignores c. Detest d. is indifferent to

8. Where in America does the story take place?

a. Massachusetts b. New York c*.* Connecticut d. Florida

9. “A clergyman! She might have guess it. His very smile had a touch

of solemnness." This sentence best describes

a. Nathaniel (Nat) Eaton b. The captain c. John Holbrook d. Matthew *Woo*d

10. What word BEST describes how Kit feels about America?

a. Sad b. Overjoyed C. Scared d. Happy

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