**Reading Analysis Questions: Witch of Blackbird Pond**

**Ch1: Answer the following questions in detailed, complete sentences.**

1. What can you infer about Kit from the paragraph?

“Kit hesitated. She didn’t want to admit how disappointing she found this first glimpse of America. The bleak line of shore surrounding the gray harbor was a disheartening contrast to the shimmering green and white the fringed the turquoise bay of Barbados which was her home. The earthen wall of the fortification that faced the river was bare and ugly, and the houses beyond were no more than plain wooden boxes.”

1. Who is Nathaniel Eaton? How does Kit feel about him?
2. Who is Mistress Eaton? Why is Kit saddened to see her disembarking the ship?
3. Where is Kit Tyler going?
4. Describe Goodwife Cruff and her child?
5. Why does Kit jump into the water? What do the other passengers think of her actions?
6. Describe Kit’s character thus far. Give at least 2 examples from the text to support your opinion.
7. Who is John Holbrook? What does he plan to do in Wethersfield?
8. What does Goodwife Cruff think of Kit?
9. What do you think of Kit’s character? What predictions can you make about Kit and the people of Wethersfield?