

Survival at Plymouth

Directions: Access the above book in Benchmark. After reading answer the following questions. You only need to read the first story in this book. Email me or screen shot your answers at laramidb@pwcs.edu or 703-967-7040.

1. On page 7, why does the author say William Bradford Jr. is part jackrabbit?

- a. William is part human and part rabbit.
- b. William has a pet rabbit.
- c. William moves fast and bounces on his toes.
- d. William is smart and knows how to get his father medicine.

2. Why was no one else available to go to the Indian village to get the medicine except John and Will?

- a. No one knew the way to the village.
- b. Everyone else was busy harvesting crops.
- c. The Indians were their enemies.
- d. No one cared about the boy's father enough to make the trip to the village.

3. Which detail most likely explains why Alice let the boys go to the Indian village?

- a. Alice wanted to trade tools and food with the Indians.
- b. The Indian's village was a day's journey by foot.
- c. Alice stood quietly watching her husband's slow breathing.
- d. Alice carried a tray of warm broth for her husband.

4. What caused Alice to pack two silver spoons in the boy's bag?

- a. So, the boys could eat the pudding she had made.
- b. So, the boys could use the spoons to pay for a place to stay the night.
- c. So, the boys could trade them for the medicine.
- d. The silver spoons were good luck.

5. Which of the following character traits describe Will?

- a. Nervous b. Quiet c. Curious D. Shy

6. All of the following were effects of the boys trading with the Indians to get medicine except...

- a. John lost the last connection he had with his mother.
- b. The boys' father recovered from his fever.
- c. The boy's father was able to return to his job as governor.
- d. The chief Indian did not want the sugar John offered him.