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for

The Witch of Blackbird Pond

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## **INTRODUCTION**

If you already own the LitPlan for this title, this Puzzle Pack will refresh your Unit Resource Materials and Vocabulary Resource Materials sections plus give you additional materials you can substitute into the tests. If you do not already have a complete LitPlan, these pages will give you some supplemental materials to use with your own plan. There are two main groups of materials: one set for unit words (such as characters' names, symbols, places, etc.) and one set for vocabulary words associated with the book.

## **WORD LIST**

There is a word list for both the unit words and the vocabulary words. These lists show you which words are being used in the materials and the clues or definitions being used for those words. You may want to give students a word list with clues/definitions to help them, or you may want students to only have a word list (without clues/definitions) if you want them to work a little harder. Both are available for duplication. The word lists can also be your "calling key" for the bingo games.

## **FILL IN THE BLANK AND MATCHING**

There are 4 each of the fill in the blank and matching worksheets for both the unit and vocabulary words. These pages can be used either as extra worksheets for students or as objective parts of a unit test. They can be done individually if students need extra help or as a whole class activity to review the material covered.

## **MAGIC SQUARES**

The magic squares not only reinforce the material covered but also work on reasoning and math skills. Many teachers have told us that their students really enjoy doing these!

## **WORD SEARCH PUZZLES**

The word search words go in all directions, as indicated on your answer keys. Two of the word search puzzles have the clues listed rather than the words. This makes the puzzle a little more difficult, but it reinforces the material better. Two word search puzzles have words only for students who find the clue puzzles too difficult.

## **CROSSWORD PUZZLES**

Both unit and vocabulary word sections have 4 crossword puzzles.

## **BINGO CARDS**

There are 32 individual bingo cards for the unit words and 32 individual bingo cards for the vocabulary words. You can use your word list as a "call list," calling the words at random and marking them off of your list as you go, or you could use the flash cards by cutting them apart and drawing the words at random from a hat (or box or whatever). To make a better review, you might ask for the definition and spelling of each word as you call it out—or you could call out the definitions and have students tell you the words they need to look for on the puzzle.

## **JUGGLE LETTERS**

The vocabulary juggle letter game is intended to help students learn the spellings of the words. One sheet has the definitions listed on it as an extra help for students who need it or to reinforce the definitions if you choose to do so.

## **FLASH CARDS**

We've included a set of vocabulary flash cards you can duplicate, cut, and fold for your students. Some teachers make a few sets for general use by the class; others make a set for each student. Some teachers duplicate them for each student and have the students cut & fold their own. You can cut out just the words and put them in a hat, have each student pick out one word and write the definition and a sentence for that word. Students then swap words and papers, with the next student adding a sentence of his own under the last one. You can have students swap as many times as you like. Each time the student will read the sentences written prior to his own and then add a sentence. You can cut out the words and definitions separately and play "I Have; Who Has?" Each student in the room draws a word and definition. The first student says, "I have (the name of the word). Who has the definition?" The student with the definition reads it then says, "I have (the name of the vocabulary word she has). Who has the definition?" The round continues until all words and definitions have been given.



## Witch of Blackbird Pond Matching 1

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|----------------------|---|
| ___ 1. ILLUMINATED   | A. Kit's uncle  |
| ___ 2. SHED          | B. John's last name   |
| ___ 3. CLOTHES       | C. Governor   |
| ___ 4. CHURCH        | D. Mistress Eaton spent her summers there.                              |
| ___ 5. PLAYS         | E. Goodwife Cruff thought Kit was a ___ because she didn't drown.       |
| ___ 6. DOLPHIN       | F. Reading these for enjoyment was considered sinful.                   |
| ___ 7. JOHN          | G. Dr. Bulkeley thought Matthew was a ___.                              |
| ___ 8. HOLBROOK      | H. The Reverend   |
| ___ 9. BULKELEY      | I. Boat where Kit hid Hannah  |
| ___ 10. CRUFF        | J. Kit tried to give these to the Woods, but Matthew wouldn't allow it. |
| ___ 11. MATTHEW      | K. Kit detested going to ___ services.                                  |
| ___ 12. FLOWERS      | L. Goodwife ___; somber mother of Prudence                              |
| ___ 13. KIT          | M. Kit was locked in a ___ until her hearing.                           |
| ___ 14. NAT          | N. Rich bachelor  |
| ___ 15. WILLIAM      | O. Sailor   |
| ___ 16. ANDROS       | P. Kit met John Holbrook on the boat to ___.                            |
| ___ 17. TRAITOR      | Q. A group of men ___ William's new home on Halloween.                  |
| ___ 18. WITCH        | R. Came from Barbados   |
| ___ 19. SAYBROOK     | S. The townspeople thought Hannah had changed herself into one.         |
| ___ 20. QUAKER       | T. Hannah Tupper's religion   |
| ___ 21. MERCY        | U. He was studying to be a minister.                                    |
| ___ 22. WRITE        | V. Prudence left ___ for Kit.   |
| ___ 23. WETHERSFIELD | W. Was crippled by a childhood illness                                  |
| ___ 24. MOUSE        | X. Quaker woman   |
| ___ 25. HANNAH       | Y. Kit taught Prudence to read and ___.                                 |

Witch of Blackbird Pond Magic Squares 1

Match the definition with the vocabulary word. Put your answers in the magic squares below. When your answers are correct, all columns and rows will add to the same number.

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|------------|-----------------|-------------|
| A. BOAT    | G. BIRD         | M. KIT      |
| B. MOUSE   | H. SHED         | N. WITCH    |
| C. CRUFF   | I. CHURCH       | O. HOLBROOK |
| D. PLAYS   | J. WETHERSFIELD | P. SAYBROOK |
| E. CLOTHES | K. HANNAH       |             |
| F. FLOWERS | L. MATTHEW      |             |

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|---|--|
| 1. Came from Barbados                         | 9. Quaker woman  |
| 2. Prudence left ___ for Kit.                 | 10. Reading these for enjoyment was considered sinful.                   |
| 3. Kit was locked in a ___ until her hearing. | 11. The townspeople thought Hannah had changed herself into one.         |
| 4. John's last name                           | 12. Kit detested going to ___ services.                                  |
| 5. Kit's uncle                                | 13. Goodwife Cruff thought Kit was a ___ because she didn't drown.       |
| 6. Goodwife ___; somber mother of Prudence    | 14. Kit tried to give these to the Woods, but Matthew wouldn't allow it. |
| 7. Kit jumped off the long ___ to get a doll. | 15. Nat compared Kit to a tropical ___.                                  |
| 8. Kit met John Holbrook on the boat to ___.  | 16. Mistress Eaton spent her summers there.                              |

A=	B=	C=	D=
E=	F=	G=	H=
I=	J=	K=	L=
M=	N=	O=	P=

## Witch of Blackbird Pond Word Search 1

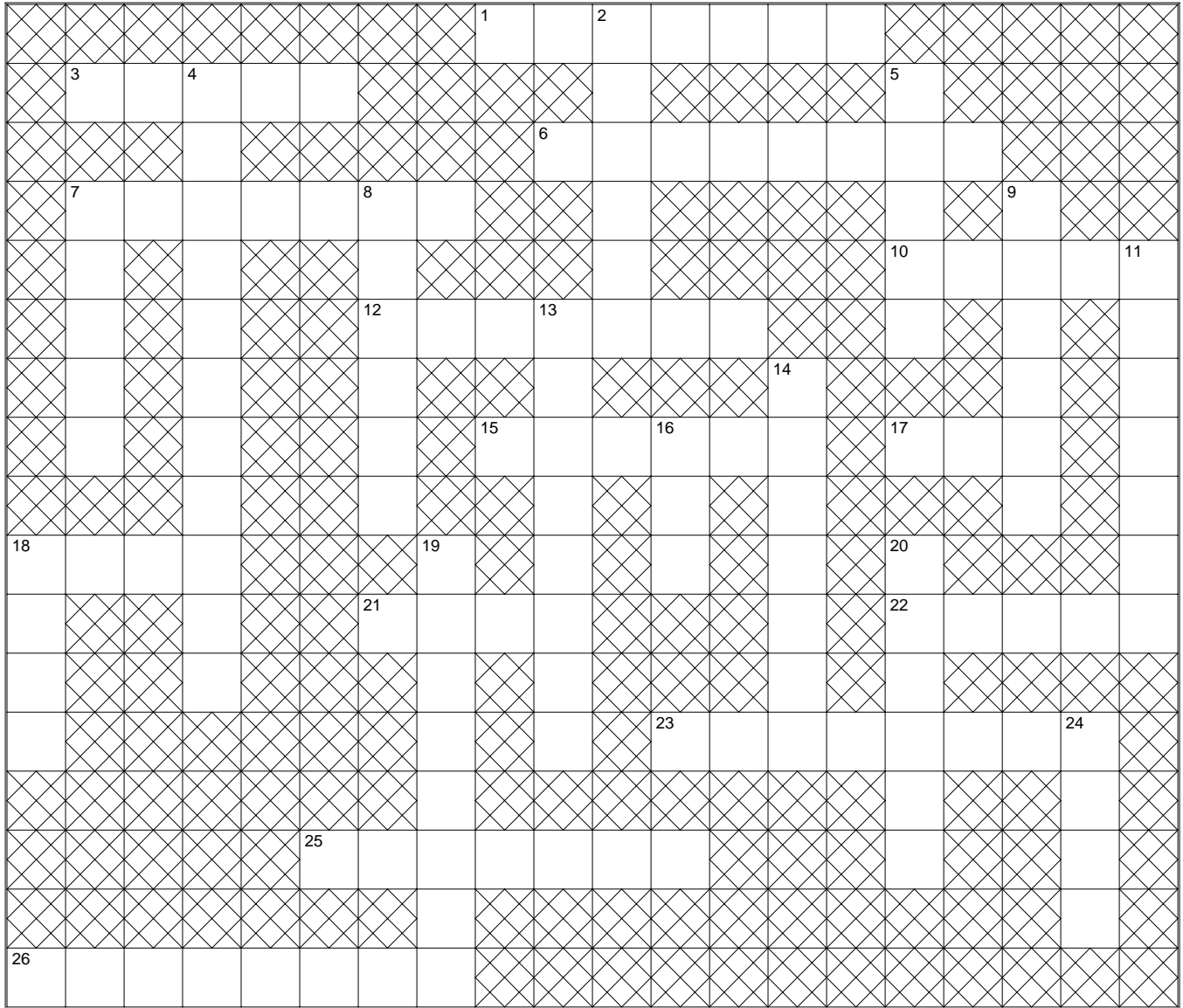
Words are placed backwards, forward, diagonally, up and down. Clues listed below can help you find the words. Circle the hidden vocabulary words in the maze.

R	Q	M	Y	F	K	R	Z	L	G	X	N	F	G	X	D	D	Z	B	D
W	H	J	H	H	V	K	C	Z	R	P	Y	X	W	X	D	X	B	U	Y
L	H	B	Q	Q	J	F	X	L	K	P	F	C	A	F	M	D	B	L	V
N	M	L	C	M	T	S	G	K	O	Q	J	D	N	B	A	K	Z	K	V
X	Q	G	P	Z	E	R	H	K	M	T	V	V	D	G	I	F	S	E	T
S	K	S	B	I	S	R	V	T	O	J	H	X	R	R	L	F	H	L	G
B	I	N	L	Y	L	Q	C	X	U	Q	U	E	O	F	L	U	E	E	R
D	T	N	A	E	P	L	A	Y	S	F	Y	D	S	B	I	R	D	Y	V
O	R	M	C	T	W	B	U	P	E	S	G	R	I	M	W	C	L	J	J
L	T	H	K	I	M	S	E	M	B	F	E	Q	Z	T	R	N	E	M	X
P	H	Z	B	R	Y	A	S	F	I	W	F	C	M	Q	H	C	I	A	N
H	C	T	I	W	R	Y	G	M	O	N	H	O	J	N	A	T	F	T	V
I	O	D	R	E	C	B	L	L	X	U	A	X	M	S	D	Q	S	T	S
N	T	L	D	X	L	R	F	S	R	C	N	T	Z	X	L	U	R	H	C
M	J	J	B	R	B	O	Z	C	F	B	N	Z	E	K	P	A	E	E	Q
J	T	Y	P	R	Q	O	H	F	S	Q	A	R	S	D	R	K	H	W	T
X	R	Q	R	Y	O	K	A	J	Z	K	H	O	A	O	Y	E	T	S	M
W	G	X	U	T	D	O	S	T	Q	R	D	P	T	C	H	R	E	D	W
T	B	W	D	J	N	T	K	F	K	A	S	I	Q	N	H	Z	W	K	X
H	B	L	E	M	K	C	S	P	B	W	A	N	M	Q	H	A	R	C	J
X	G	W	N	Q	K	H	D	R	L	R	C	Q	S	Y	R	G	E	T	J
M	K	H	C	R	C	L	A	K	T	H	R	Q	Z	V	K	V	G	L	Q
N	K	P	E	V	D	B	C	S	X	Q	N	B	C	B	B	Y	S	X	Y
F	L	Z	K	F	P	N	D	P	Z	C	V	G	J	J	X	C	M	L	S
K	T	Z	P	H	S	W	W	W	L	T	L	V	H	Y	L	P	X	H	J

A group of men \_\_\_\_ William's new home on Halloween. (11)  
 Author (6)  
 Boat where Kit hid Hannah (7)  
 Came from Barbados (3)  
 Dr. Bulkeley thought Matthew was a \_\_\_\_\_. (7)  
 Goodwife Cruff thought Kit was a \_\_\_\_ because she didn't drown. (5)  
 Goodwife \_\_\_\_; somber mother of Prudence (5)  
 Governor (6)  
 Hannah Tupper's religion (6)  
 He was studying to be a minister. (4)  
 John's last name (8)  
 Kit detested going to \_\_\_\_ services. (6)  
 Kit jumped off the long \_\_\_\_ to get a doll. (4)  
 Kit met John Holbrook on the boat to \_\_\_\_\_. (12)  
 Kit taught Prudence to read and \_\_\_\_\_. (5)  
 Kit taught her to read and write. (8)

Kit tried to give these to the Woods, but Matthew wouldn't allow it. (7)  
 Kit was locked in a \_\_\_\_ until her hearing. (4)  
 Kit's aunt (7)  
 Kit's former home (8)  
 Kit's uncle (7)  
 Mercy's sister (6)  
 Mistress Eaton spent her summers there. (8)  
 Nat compared Kit to a tropical \_\_\_\_\_. (4)  
 Prudence left \_\_\_\_ for Kit. (7)  
 Quaker woman (6)  
 Reading these for enjoyment was considered sinful. (5)  
 Rich bachelor (7)  
 Sailor (3)  
 The Reverend (8)  
 The Witch of \_\_\_\_ Pond (9)  
 The townspeople thought Hannah had changed herself into one. (5)  
 Was crippled by a childhood illness (5)

Witch of Blackbird Pond Crossword 1



Across

1. Kit's aunt
3. Kit taught Prudence to read and \_\_\_\_.
6. The Reverend
7. Rich bachelor
10. Goodwife \_\_\_\_; somber mother of Prudence
12. Boat where Kit hid Hannah
15. Hannah Tupper's religion
17. Sailor
18. Kit jumped off the long \_\_\_\_ to get a doll.
21. He was studying to be a minister.
22. Reading these for enjoyment was considered sinful.
23. Kit's former home
25. Kit tried to give these to the Woods, but Matthew wouldn't allow it.
26. Mistress Eaton spent her summers there.

Down

2. Kit detested going to \_\_\_\_ services.
4. A group of men \_\_\_\_ William's new home on Halloween.
5. Was crippled by a childhood illness
7. Goodwife Cruff thought Kit was a \_\_\_\_ because she didn't drown.
8. Governor
9. Mercy's sister
11. Prudence left \_\_\_\_ for Kit.
13. Kit taught her to read and write.
14. Dr. Bulkeley thought Matthew was a \_\_\_\_.
16. Came from Barbados
18. Nat compared Kit to a tropical \_\_\_\_.
19. John's last name
20. Author
24. Kit was locked in a \_\_\_\_ until her hearing.

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ANDROS	MOUSE	BARBADOS	CLOTHES	WITCH
JUDITH	HOLBROOK	BIRD	WILLIAM	WRITE
PLAYS	CRUFF	FREE SPACE	FLOWERS	KIT
PRUDENCE	QUAKER	DOLPHIN	WETHERSFIELD	BLACKBIRD
SPEARE	HANNAH	TRAITOR	RACHAEL	JOHN

Witch of Blackbird Pond

SHED	ILLUMINATED	BULKELEY	MATTHEW	NAT
CHURCH	MERCY	SAYBROOK	JOHN	RACHAEL
TRAITOR	HANNAH	FREE SPACE	BLACKBIRD	WETHERSFIELD
DOLPHIN	QUAKER	PRUDENCE	KIT	FLOWERS
BOAT	CRUFF	PLAYS	WRITE	WILLIAM