A Walk in the Woods: Ch. 6

Worksheet B

1.) During the blizzard, Bill Bryson stop to try to find his map of the AT before they set up camp. He goes on to call these maps “monumentally useless” and “seriously inadequate”.(pg. 104-105) Which of the following was one of the reasons he gave:

a.) They have much less detail and do not mark all side trails

b.) They are too old

c.) They are too new

d.) They rip easily

2.) While finding shelter from the snow Bryson and Katz met Jim and Heath, a father and son hiking team. Why do Bryson and Katz urge the father and son not to take the trail back to their car?(pg. 111)

a.) They can’t find the right trail

b.) There are bears around it

c.) It’s very steep and covered in snow

d.) They want to have company on the trail

3.) On pages 118-120, Bryson and Katz find refuge from the storm in the town of Franklin. What is Katz’s reaction to Bryson wanting to leave Franklin earlier than originally planned? He is:

a.) Happy

b.) Disappointed

c.) Nervous

d.) Joyful

4.) Why did Bryson want to leave Franklin early?

a.) He was scared of the town

b.) He did not like the townspeople

c.) He wanted to find new hiking partners

d.) He was getting bored and wanted to get back to hiking