Teacher’s Guide: Lesson 1

Discuss Key Characters

Setting

 Culture

 Perkin having to be a plowman like his father

 Pilgrims

 Beggars

 Time similar to Robin Hood

 Crusades

 Ignorance

 Power and influence of the church

How would it be to be left for 5 months at boarding school by your father?

Notice there is no mention of his mother.

 That comes later in the book.

Discussion of real people and places

Religious holidays