

Cinderella



Once upon a time, there was a girl called Cinderella. She lived with her stepmother and two sisters. They were very unkind and made Cinderella do lots of work.

One day, they were all asked to go to a ball at the palace. Cinderella's stepmother said she could not go.

On the day of the ball, Cinderella was left alone.

"I wish I could go to the ball," said Cinderella.

Just then, a lady with a wand appeared.

"I am your fairy godmother and you **will** go to the ball!" she said.

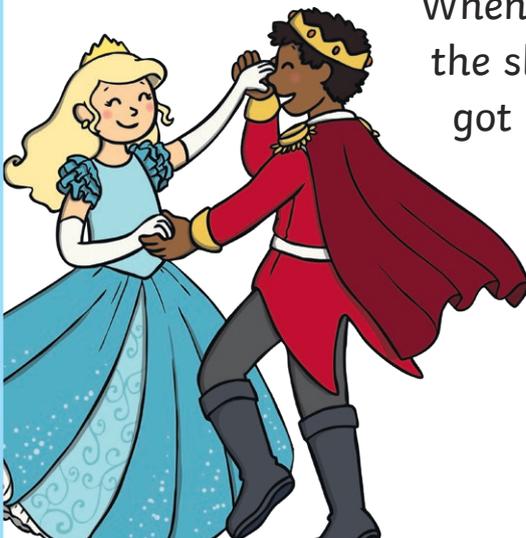


The fairy godmother gave Cinderella a new dress and glass slippers. The fairy godmother told Cinderella she must leave the ball before midnight.

Cinderella went to the ball and danced with the prince all night. At midnight, Cinderella ran out of the palace but she left behind one glass slipper.

The prince tried to find the owner of the slipper.

When he came to Cinderella's house, she tried on the slipper and it fit! Cinderella and the prince got married and lived happily ever after.



Questions

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- stepmother
- two brothers
- two sisters

2. Which word describes the people she lived with? Tick **one**.

- nice
- unkind
- silly

3. What time did the fairy godmother tell Cinderella to leave the ball? Tick **one**.

- before midday
- in the afternoon
- before midnight

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- one wooden boot
- one glass slipper
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One day, everyone was invited to a ball at the palace. The wicked stepmother said that Cinderella could not go.

On the day of the ball, Cinderella was left at the house.

“I wish I could go to the ball,” she said.

Just then, a lovely lady appeared in the room.

“I am your fairy godmother and you shall go to the ball!” she said.

With her wand, the fairy godmother turned Cinderella’s old rags into a beautiful dress and gave her a pair of pretty glass slippers. The fairy godmother told Cinderella she must leave the ball before midnight.

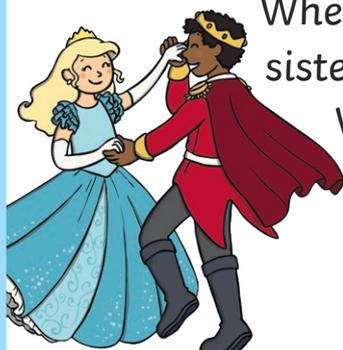


Cinderella went to the ball and danced with the prince all night. When the clock began to strike twelve, Cinderella ran out of the palace. The prince ran after her but he was too late! Cinderella left one of her glass slippers behind on the palace steps.

The prince went from house to house with the glass slipper.

When the prince came to Cinderella’s house, the ugly sisters tried on the slipper but it did not fit them.

When Cinderella tried on the slipper, it fit her foot perfectly! The prince asked Cinderella to marry him and they both lived happily ever after.



Questions

1. Where did the ball take place? Tick **one**.

- the park
 the palace
 the school

2. Number these events to show the order they happened in the story. The first one has been done for you.

- Cinderella's fairy godmother appeared.
 The prince asked Cinderella to marry him.
 1. Cinderella lived with her stepmother and two sisters.
 Cinderella went to the ball and danced with the prince.

3. Draw lines to match the characters to words used to describe them in the story.

stepmother ●

fairy godmother ●

two sisters ●

lovely ●

ugly ●

wicked ●

4. Fill in the missing word.

The fairy godmother told Cinderella she must leave the ball before _____.

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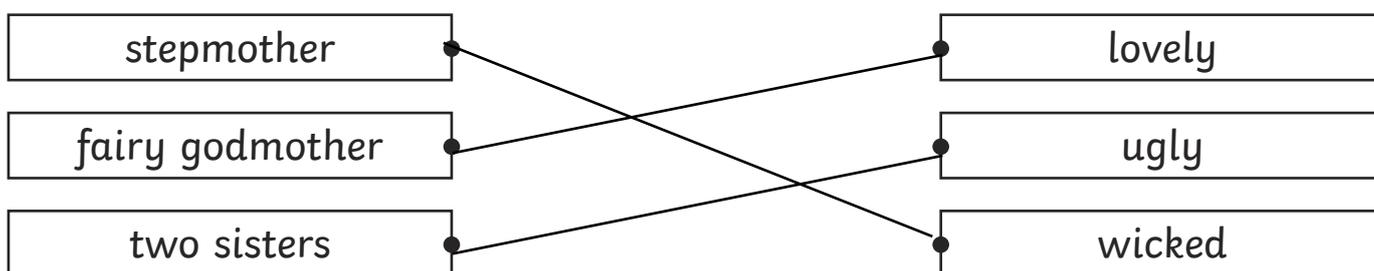
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One day, an invitation came from the palace. It invited everyone to the prince's ball. The wicked stepmother said that Cinderella was not allowed to go.



The day of the ball arrived and poor Cinderella was left alone at the house.

"I wish I could go to the ball," she sighed.

Just then, a lovely lady with a gold wand in her hand appeared in the room.

"I am your fairy godmother and you shall go to the ball!" she said.

With the touch of her wand, the fairy godmother turned a pumpkin into a magnificent coach and six mice into six splendid white horses. Next, she turned Cinderella's ragged dress into a beautiful gown and her old shoes into the prettiest glass slippers.



"Remember, you must leave the ball before the clock strikes twelve," the fairy godmother warned her.

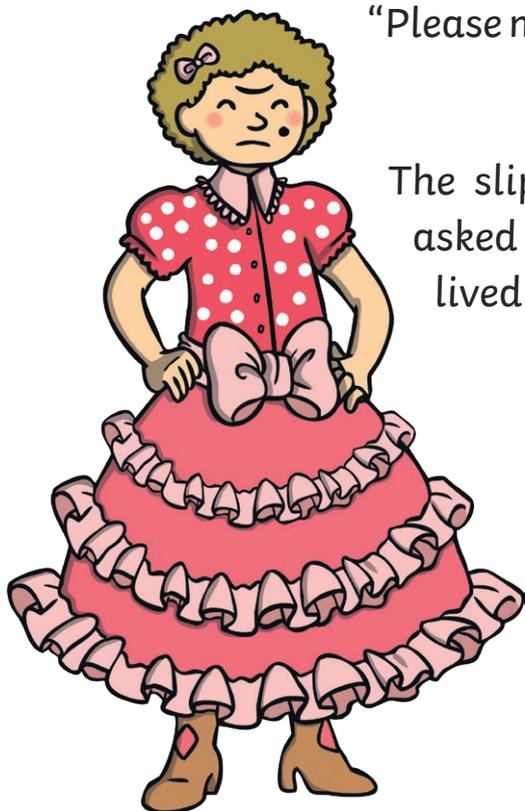
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Cinderella had a wonderful time at the ball and danced with the prince all night. Cinderella was enjoying herself so much that she didn't notice the time. Midnight approached and the clock began to strike. Cinderella ran out of the palace, leaving one of her glass slippers behind. The prince ran after her but he was too late!



The next morning, the prince went from house to house with the glass slipper. Finally, the prince came to Cinderella's house. The first ugly sister tried on the slipper but it was too small. The second ugly sister tried on the slipper but it was too big.

"Please may I try on the slipper?" asked Cinderella.



The slipper fit Cinderella perfectly! The prince asked Cinderella to marry him and they both lived happily ever after.



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 unkind
 cheerful

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 Cinderella's fairy godmother appeared in the room.
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3. Fill in the missing words.

The fairy godmother turned a pumpkin into a _____ and turned mice into six _____.

4. **Find** and **copy** an adjective which describes the fairy godmother's wand.

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gold

5. Why did the prince go from house to house with the glass slipper?

Pupils' own responses, such as: The prince went from house to house because he was trying to find the owner of the slipper.

6. What do you think happened next to the wicked stepmother and the ugly sisters? Give a reason for your answer.

Pupils' own responses, such as: I think the wicked stepmother and the ugly sisters said sorry to Cinderella because they had been mean to her and they wanted to be forgiven.