

INSTITUTO AMADEUS-APRENDO INGLÉS CON CUENTOS

Beauty and the Beast

In a land far away lived a merchant and his daughter beauty. Beauty like her name was very pretty loving and kind. One day the merchants got lost deep in the woods and reached a castle hidden among the trees. He went inside and yelled hello is anybody home. Since nobody seems to be here he thought. "I'll spend the night here"

In the morning just as he was preparing to leave, he thought of Beauty and plucked a rose. Suddenly he heard a shout. A horrible beast was standing before him. "Ungrateful man how dare you steal from my garden even after I let you stay here?" he cried.

The merchant shivered with fright. He begged the Beast not to hurt him and try to explain that the flower was for his daughter Beauty. The Beast said I will let you go if you promise to send Beauty to live with me. The merchant fearfully agreed. At home he sorrowfully told Beauty the whole story. She said "you should keep your promise". I will go to the Beast. Don't worry and she left for the castle.

In the beginning she too was frightened by the ugly beast and his gruff boys but in a few days she realized that the Beast was actually very kind and gentle. He took good care of her and she slowly began to like him. She was no longer afraid of him. Even though the beast dearly loved her. Beauty missed her home and her father. She often thought of him and cried.

One day she looked through a magic mirror that the Beast gave her and saw that her father was terribly unwell. ¡Oh! father is ill. I must go to see him she cried in panic. Unable to see her sadness the beast sighed and said, "go back home but I hope you will never forget me" "Thank You beast!" beauty was so happy that she hugged the Beast and ran home.

Beauty was glad to be home again and under her care, her father quickly recovered. One day she thought of the Beast and looked into the mirror to her dismay she saw that the Beast too was ill. He was on the ground moaning in pain. She sped to the castle, the Beast was dying and was very glad to see her.

She held him and sobbed "Beast what's wrong? Don't die I love you!". Then she kissed him softly. At that very instant the Beast changed into a handsome prince. Beauty was so surprised! "Thank You beauty! A wicked witch had cast a spell on me. Your sweet words broke the spell. He said beauty and Beauty and the prince were soon married, and they lived happily ever after.

APRENDO EL VOCABULARIO Y SU PRONUNCIACIÓN

1-land-tierra

2-merchant-comerciante

3-loving-amorosa, cariñosa

4-kind-bondadosa

5-reached-llegó

6-castle-castillo

7-hidden-escondido

8-among-entre

9-yelled-gritó

10-anybody-alguien

11-seems-parece

11-thought-pensó

12-spend-pasar

13-plucked-arrancó

14-before-delante

15-ungrateful-desagradecido

16-dare-atreverse

17-even after-incluso después

18-let-permitir

19- shivered-tembló

20-fright-miedo

21-begged-suplicó

22-whole-completo

23-send-enviar

24-fearfully-temerosamente

25-agreed-aceptó

26-sorrowfully-tristemente

27-keep-mantener

28-left-partió

29-beginning-comienzo

30-too-también

31-frightened-temerosa

32-gruff-brusca

33-realized-dió cuenta

34-actually-en realidad

35-gentle-amable

36-took care-cuidaba

37-no longer-no más

38-even though-aunque

39-dearly-profundamente

40-missed-extrañaba

41-often-con frecuencia

42-mirror-espejo

43-unwell-indispuesto

44-unable- incapaz

45-sadness-tristeza

46-sighed-suspiró

47-glad-contento

48-again-otra vez

49-recoverd-recuperó

50-dismay-consternación

51-ill-mal, enfermo

52-moaning-gimiendo

53-wicked-malvado