

Reading: a story

1 Read the story. Answer the questions.

- 1 How old is Cinderella? She is young.
- 2 Who does she live with? _____
- 3 What time is the party? _____
- 4 Whose party is it? _____
- 5 Can the prince find Cinderella? _____
- 6 Whose feet are the right size for the shoe? _____



Cinderella is a fairy tale about a young girl. She's got blue eyes and blonde hair. She lives with her two ugly sisters and her wicked stepmother. She gets up early and cleans the house every day. One day she gets a party invitation. It says:

Come to a party at the palace on Saturday. It starts at seven o'clock.

Prince Harry

Cinderella asks her wicked stepmother, 'Can I go to the party?' but her stepmother says, 'No, you can't.'

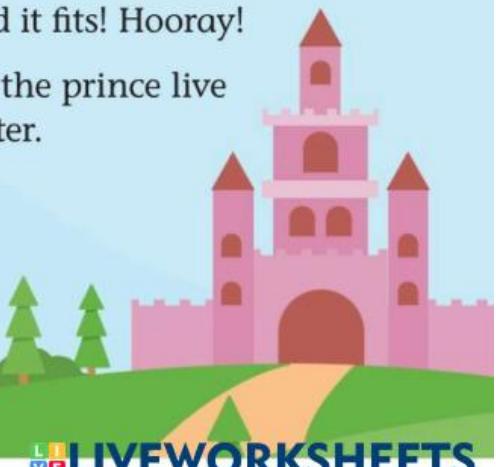
But Cinderella has got a fairy godmother. She helps Cinderella get a dress and she helps her get to the party.

Cinderella is wearing a beautiful dress and shoes. She meets Prince Harry at the party. At twelve o'clock Cinderella goes home. She runs and she has only one shoe. The prince says, 'Where is Cinderella?'

The next day the prince looks for Cinderella but he can't find her. He looks all around town. He has got Cinderella's shoe and he asks the girls in town to try on the shoe.

He goes to Cinderella's house and her sisters try on the shoe. Their feet aren't small, but the shoe is. Cinderella tries on the shoe and it fits! Hooray!

Cinderella and the prince live happily ever after.



1 Put the sentences in order to make the story of *Sleeping Beauty*, a princess who lives in a palace.

- a The wicked witch isn't invited. She is angry.
- b When Sleeping Beauty is 16, she pricks her finger on a spinning wheel.
- c A prince finds her. The people in the palace wake up.
- d She and everyone in the palace sleep for 100 years.
- e The wicked witch says, 'She will prick her finger and die.'
- f A forest grows around the palace.
- g Sleeping Beauty is a baby. Her parents have a birthday party for her.

2 Use the sentences from Activity 1 to write the story of *Sleeping Beauty*.

When Sleeping Beauty is a baby