

Tiger 6 Unit 6 Story summary

The red running shoes

- What traditional fairy tale is this similar to?
- Two people help Josh. Who?

1 Once upon a time, there was a boy called Josh. He lived in Canada with his stepfather and his two stepsisters.



Put that magazine away, Josh.

Make our beds and take out the rubbish.

2 Josh dreamed of winning marathons. But on the day of the marathon in his town, his stepsisters took his running shoes.



You can't run in the marathon today.

We want you to tidy the house.

3 Josh was very unhappy.



Don't forget to do the washing up.

And remember to clean the windows.

4 Then suddenly there was a flash!



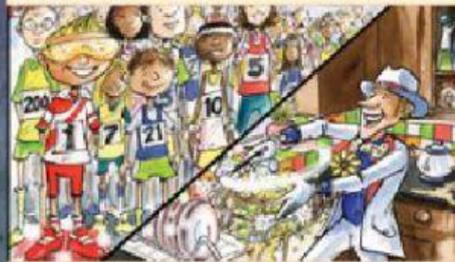
Don't be sad, Josh. I am your fairy godfather. I am here to help you.

5 The fairy godfather waved his magic wand, and suddenly Josh was in different clothes.



Now run, run, run! But be home before 12 o'clock.

6 Josh joined the other runners on the starting line.



And the fairy godfather did the washing up, made the beds and took out the rubbish.

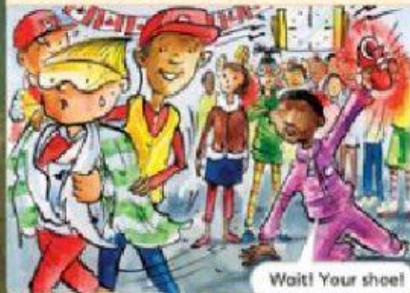
7 Josh was the first runner to finish the marathon.



The boy in red is the winner!

Who is he?
I don't know.

8 Josh didn't want his stepsisters and the photographers to see him. He ran home.



Wait! Your shoe!

9 One week later, an athletics coach visited Josh's house. He put the running shoe on Josh's foot.



The shoe fits! You are the winner of the marathon!

10 Now, Josh is training for the next Olympics. And his stepsisters do their own cleaning.



Do you know...?

A marathon is 42.195 kilometres long. The fastest marathon runners can complete the race in less than two and a half hours!

- 1 The story is a **true story / a modern fairy tale**.
- 2 The story takes place in **Jamaica / Canada**.
- 3 The story is about a boy called Josh. He lives with his stepfather and his **stepsisters / cousins**.
- 4 Josh wants to run a marathon but his stepsisters take his **shorts / shoes**.
- 5 Josh's **grandfather / fairy godfather** gives him new shoes, and Josh wins the race.
- 6 At the end of the story, **the fairy godfather / an athletics coach** is training Josh for the Olympic Games.

The story is _____. It takes place in _____. It's about _____.

Josh wants _____. Josh's fairy godfather wants _____.

At the end of the story, _____.

My favourite character in the story is _____.

My favourite part of the story is when _____.

I think this story is _____ because _____.

_____ I give the story ____/10.

1. **Write the summary.** [Con la ayuda de las pistas que hay más arriba, escribe un resumen del cuento]

The story is...