

Activities

1 How did Miss Minchin find out about Ermengarde's cake and the tea party in the attic? Put her conversation with Lavinia in the correct order, and write in the speakers' names.

a _____ 'She's upstairs, in the attic.'

b _____ 'Yes, Lavinia, what is it?'

c _____ 'A big cake. She said Sara was hungry.'

d _____ 'Having tea with—! How do you know this, Lavinia?'

e Lavinia _____ 'Oh, Miss Minchin. I have something to tell you!'

f _____ 'A box? What was in it?'

g _____ 'She's having tea with Princess Sara.'

h _____ 'Of course she isn't hungry! Right. I'm going upstairs at once. You were right to tell me this, Lavinia. You can go back to bed now.'

i _____ 'I saw her on the stairs, with a big box.'

j _____ 'But it's after ten o'clock! Where is she?'

k _____ 'What's she doing up there?'

l _____ 'Ermengarde isn't in her bed, Miss Minchin.'

2 Correct the underlined words in these sentences.

1 Sara was hungry because she didn't have any digger. dinner

2 When Sara woke up there were warm brackets on her bed.

3 There was a red cloak on the table.

4 Sara had some cold meal tie for breakfast.

5 Sara's kind friend didn't want her to know his game.