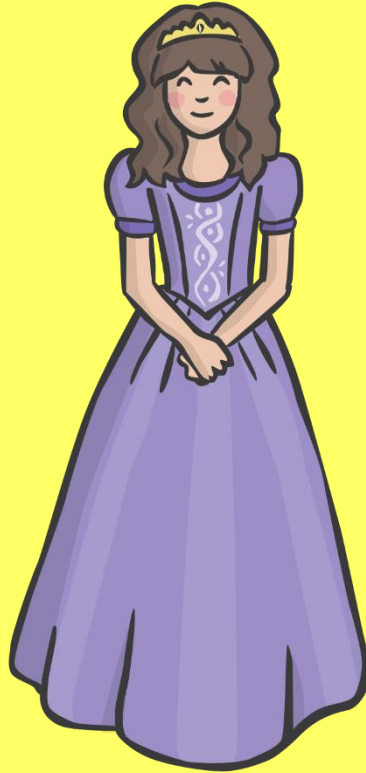


The Princess and the Pea



Once upon a time there lived a prince. He wanted to marry a princess, but she must be a true princess.



He travelled far and wide to find his princess,
but he never found her.



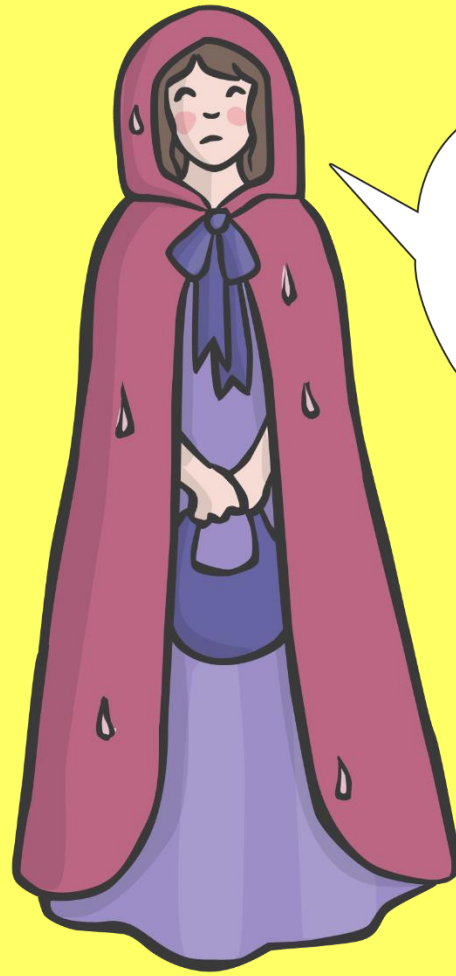
The prince returned to the castle feeling sad.



One night there was a big storm.

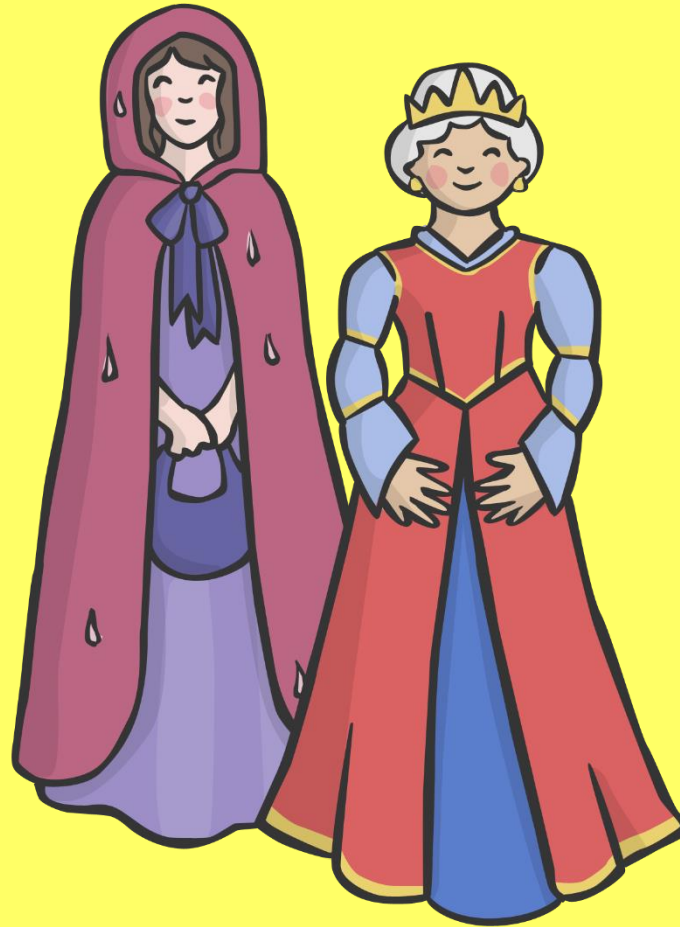


A very wet princess knocked on the castle door.

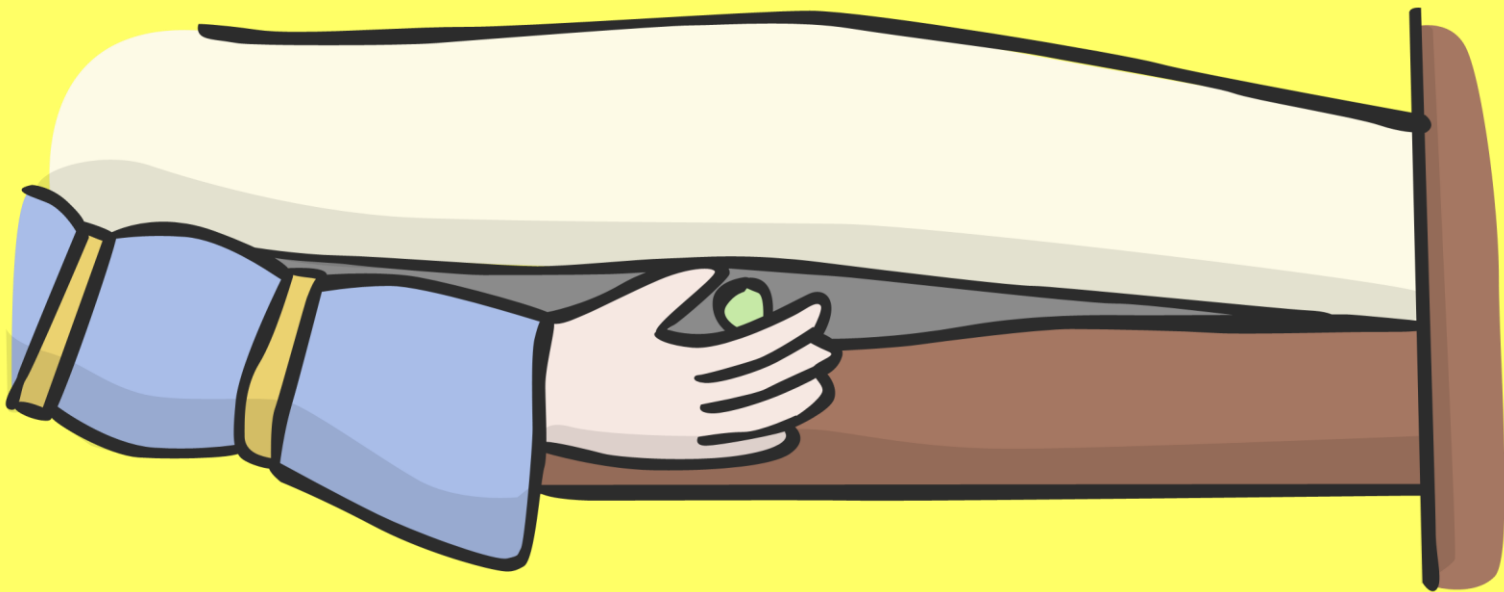


"I am a princess,
can I come in to
get dry?"

The queen had answered the door. We shall find out if she is a true princess she thought.



The queen put a pea in the princess' bed.

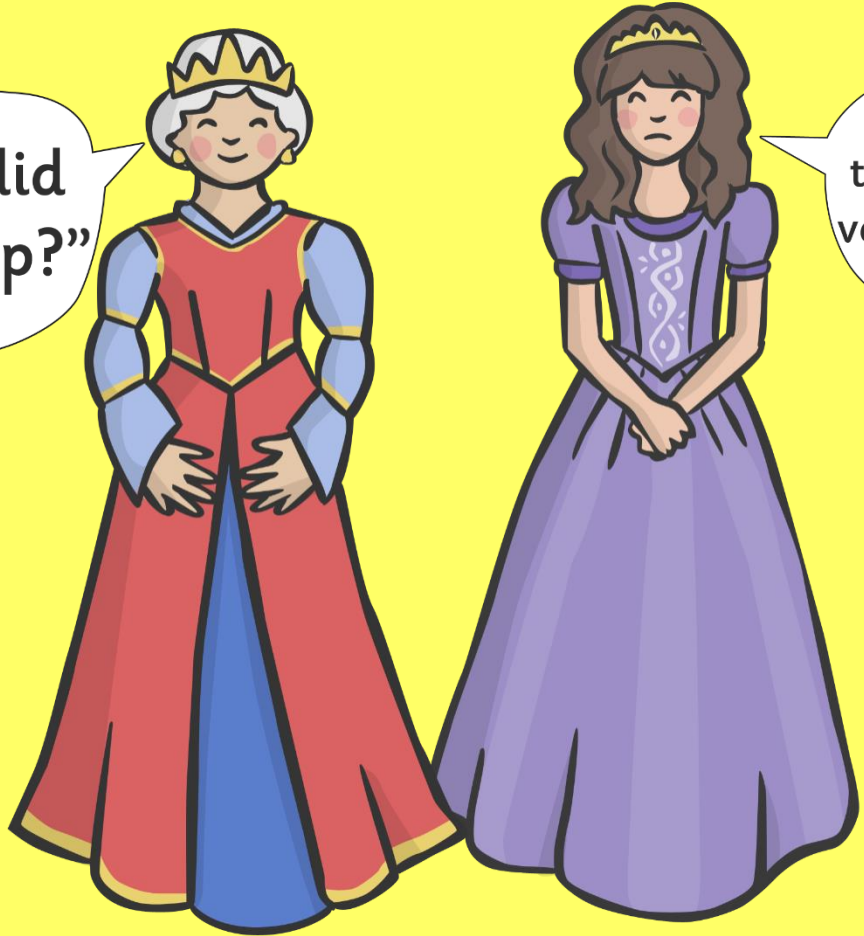


Then she put twenty mattresses and twenty quilts
on the bed!



That night, the princess slept in the bed.

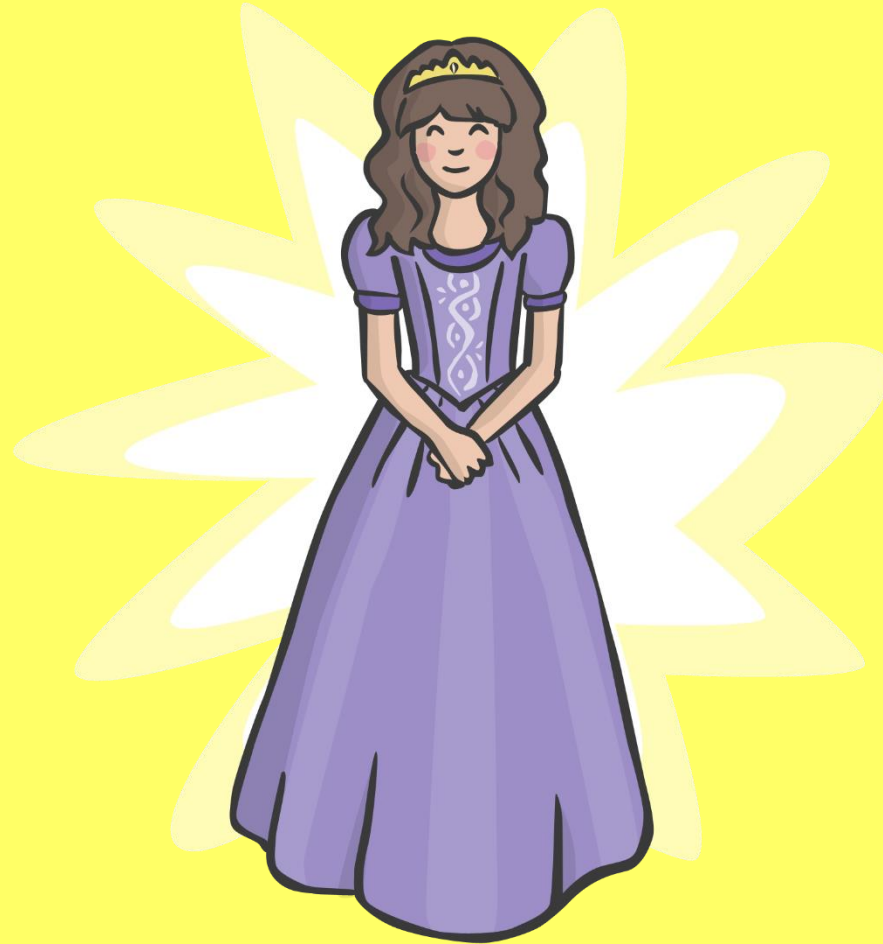




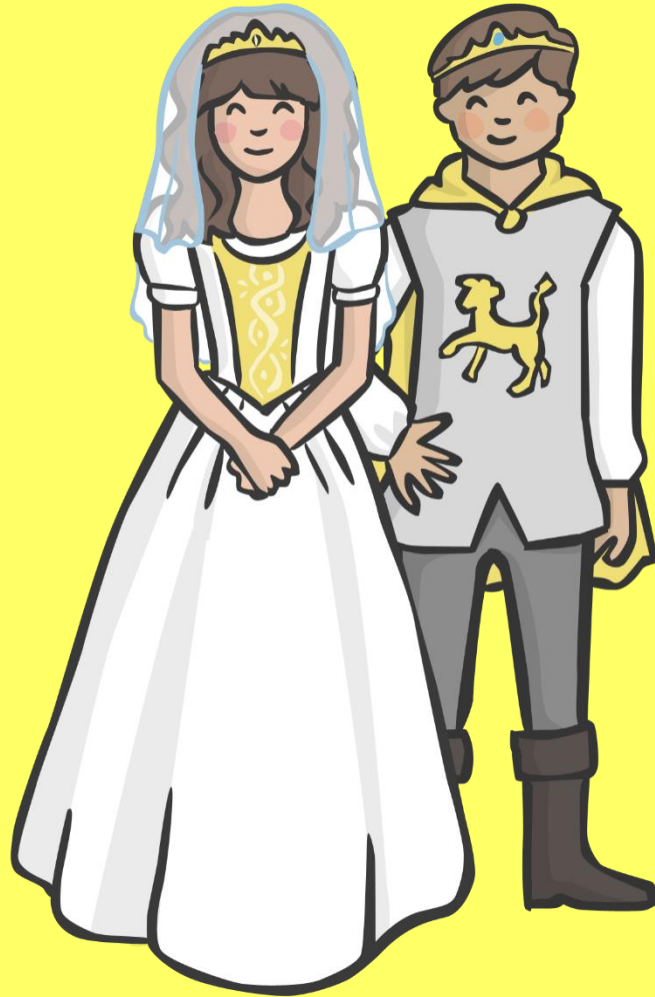
“How did you sleep?”

“Very badly, there was something very uncomfortable in the bed.”

From that they knew she was a true princess, because she had felt the pea through the twenty mattresses and twenty quilts!



The prince and the princess got married.



The pea was put in the royal museum.

