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# The Shadow in the Deep Blue Sea



It started off as a wonderful trip with my family. We were sailing in the Atlantic from Buenos Aires to Ushuaia. We were in the middle of the ocean and I was looking down into the deep blue sea when I saw a dark shadow under the boat . . .

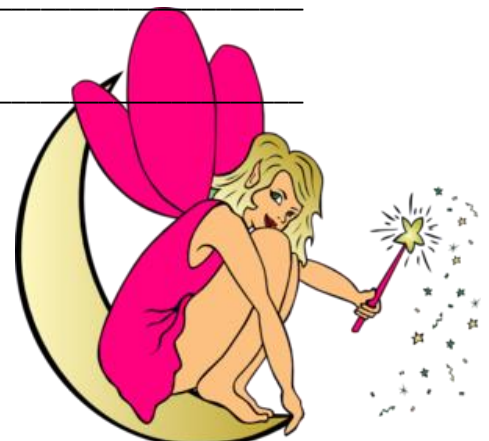
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# Fairies in Danger



Imagine you are a fairy living in a beautiful forest. One day you are walking near the edge of the forest and you hear a loud noise so you go towards the noise to investigate. You see a strange machine with many wheels that can

dig up the earth and knock down trees. You overhear some humans talking. They say they are going to clear the forest with this machine and build a shopping mall. You rush back to the fairy village to tell the other fairies . . .





A collection of 12 cartoon superhero cutouts arranged in three rows on a lined background. The top row shows Flash, Spider-Man, Captain America, Robin, Superman, and Batman in flying poses. The bottom row shows the same six characters in standing poses.

## TALKING WITH ANIMALS



Imagine you could / ca talk with animals. What would / do you do? What animals would / do you talk to? What would / do you talk about?

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# The Portal




*Whirrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr*. There was a strange sound. Was I dreaming? No, I was definitely awake. It was just past midnight and the clock downstairs was chiming. The noise was coming from my wardrobe door. There was a colored light coming out of the crack underneath the door. I got out of bed and opened the wardrobe. To my surprise there was a portal inside, but to where?

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# The Tricksters in the Tree



I was camping with my friends and sitting around the campfire when I heard a sound coming from the forest. I went into the forest to check it out. It was dark, but there was a light coming from inside an old oak tree. Silently, I crept up to the tree and looked inside. There was a dog and frog in the middle of the tree. Suddenly, they changed into old grey-bearded men. One of the men said, "I can hear children laughing nearby. Let's trick them..."



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## The Evil Villain



Hahahahahahaha!

Evil laughter rang out. I knew something was wrong. I turned around and there he stood, showing me his wicked smile.

“You have taken my poison. It will kill you within a day unless you take this antidote which only I have. However, if you do something for me, I will give you the antidote. What I want you to do is . . .”

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## The Mad Scientist

You are a mad scientist and you have managed to cross two animals. Tell the whole world what the name of your animal is, what it looks like, what it can do, and what it likes eating... If you have time draw a picture of it.

Example:

*I crossed a monkey and a snake and the animal is called a snakey! A snakey is an animal with a monkey's face and ears, but it has got a snake's tongue. The body also looks like a snake, with a long tail and no legs. Snakeys are very silly animals and they like squeezing bananas with their bodies and eating them later...*

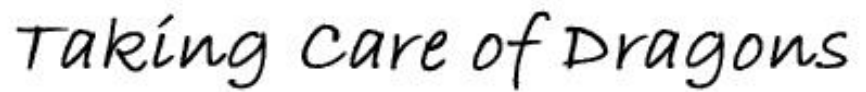
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## How Do You Take Care of a Dragon?



When mom came home from her trip to the desert, she brought a smooth, shiny, blue, oval-shaped rock that she found buried in the sand. She thought it was the prettiest thing she had ever seen. Was she ever surprised when the rock began to hatch! Out popped a baby dragon! Well, mom looked at it, and then looked at me and said, "Happy birthday! You always wanted a pet." It's true. I did want a pet, but how do you care for a baby dragon?

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## Christmas Elves on Strike!

We're on strike. That's it. We are tired of working day after day with no breaks and no holidays. We are fed up with working for zero wages. We're sick of the cramped, confined sleeping and working quarters at the workshop. And most of all, we refuse to wear these silly, uncomfortable elf suits anymore. We, the Union of Workshop Elves, refuse to make any more toys until the following demands are met:

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I followed the evil scientist into a dark room.  
What I saw, I would never forget...

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# The Only Tree Left

I was walking past the great forests of Tree Land and thinking to myself "Where are all the trees?" So I . . .

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## The Monster Match

When my friend Mary called and told me that we would be playing a bunch of monsters this weekend for the soccer playoffs, I thought she was just kidding. But when I arrived at the field, my eyes nearly fell out of my head. There, in the middle of the field, was a horde of the nastiest, meanest looking trolls, ogres, and goblins I had ever seen. They were huge with long horns, sharp teeth, and ugly warts all over their bodies. I knew there was going to be trouble when the first thing they did was eat the referee . . .



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Two hundred dollars a day for looking after somebody's pet! "Easy money," I thought, so I took the job. When I arrived at the house, a man gave me the keys and said, "Rexie's out back." And then he left with his suitcase. So I went to the window, and there in the backyard stood a 5-ton T-Rex. And it had just eaten the neighbor's cat!

# SAVING SANTA

The alert came over the radio:



"Emergency! Santa Claus trapped in chimney. Christmas will likely be canceled."



As soon as I heard it, I knew I would have to do something—and do it fast. I quickly gathered my gear and headed out the door . . .

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# The Shrinking Potion

The label on the jar said, 'Shrinking Potion.' I didn't believe it would actually work...

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# The Prank

When I woke up this morning, I decided I would pull the greatest prank ever.

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# ARE YOU A VAMPIRE?

*Would you like to find out?*

There are several simple tests that you can use to determine if you are a vampire.



If you have any of these symptoms, you may wish to consult your family physician (not that they'll help you or anything).



# ARE YOU A WEREWOLF?

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# ARE YOU A WITCH?

*Would you like to find out?*

There are several simple tests that you can use to determine if you are a witch.



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