

Improve this story by adding in anything from your Year Group SC that this text does not have. To help you start, blank gaps are where you could add a skill to improve the story. Words that are in bold need to be upskilled.

Long ago, in a faraway land, a _____ house stood at the end of a _____ road. In there, lived a _____ girl called Cinder with her _____ father, her **horrible** step mum and her _____ step sister Stacey.

_____, Cinder would have to do _____ chores around the house: tidying the mess, sweeping the _____ floors and washing the **dirty** pots. She was never allowed out, even if she did manage to complete her chores in time.

The next day, there was a **loud** bang on the door. Running _____, Stacy pushed Cinder out of the way and dashed to open it. A King's knight handed her an invitation which read: you are all invited to the grand ball at the palace. Almost instantly, Cinder's stepmother turned to her with a wicked grin and announced that she would not be going.

_____, they all went to the grand ball, leaving Cinder alone in the _____ house.

Desperate, Cinder **said**, "I wish I could go to the ball!" Just then unexpectedly, something amazing happened! There was a burst of light and a fairy appeared. "Don't be alarmed, Cinder," whispered the fairy, waving a sparkling wand. "I know you would love to go to the ball. And so you shall!" Within seconds, Cinder was at the ball in a striking dress. She danced and spoke all night long with the prince. Suddenly, she realised that she needed to get home. The clock was about to strike 12. Cinder **ran** home.

Early next morning, there was another bang at the door. A smile ran across Cinder's face when she realised it was the prince. The handsome, **rich** prince had fallen in love with poor, beautiful Cinder and together they lived happily ever after.