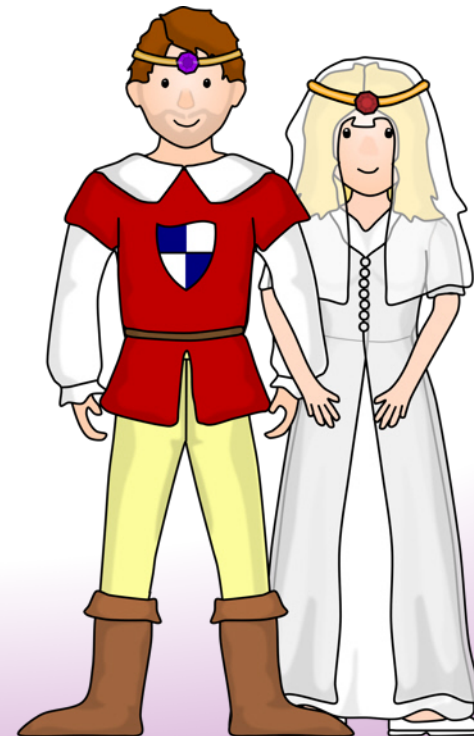
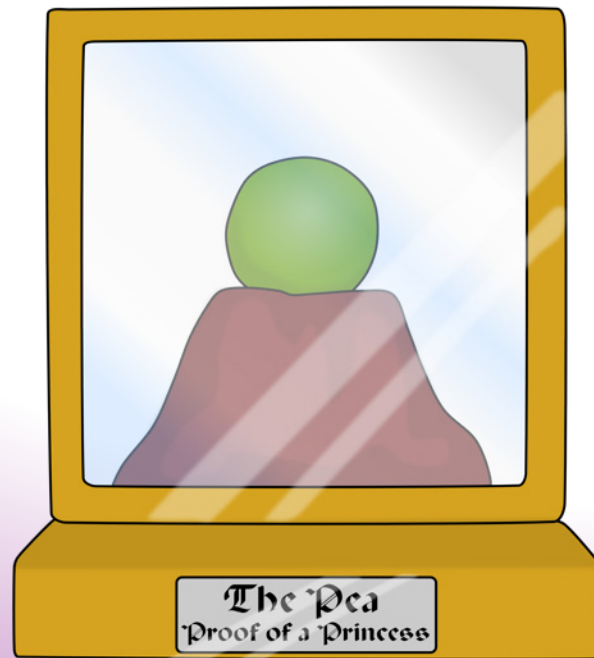
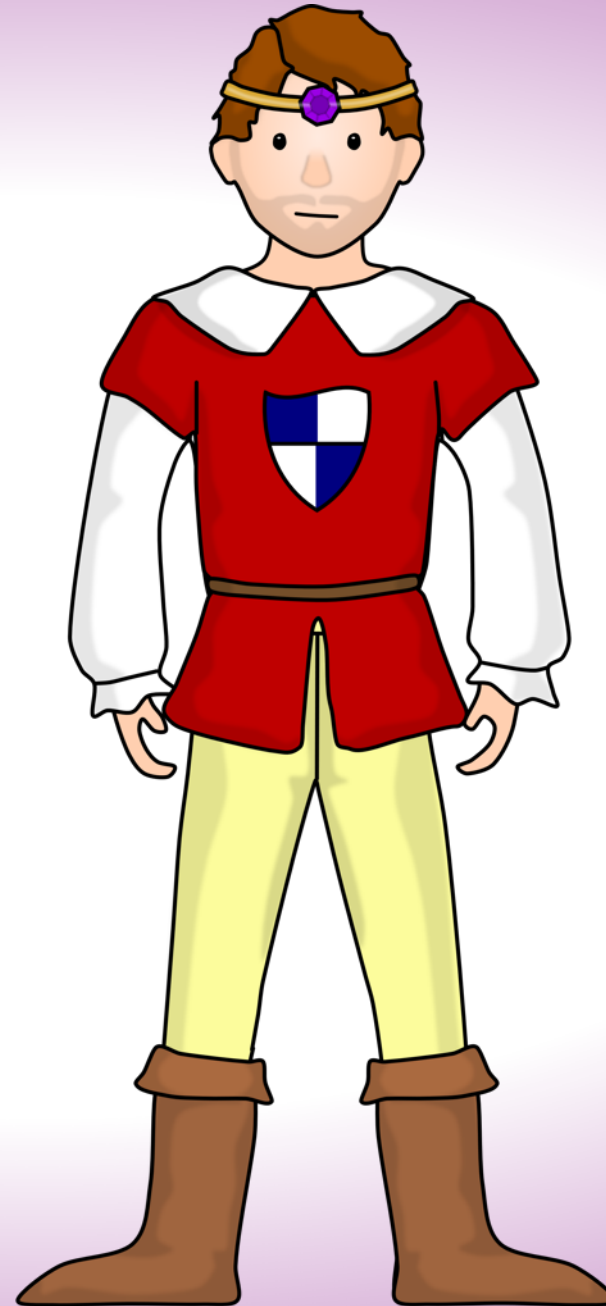


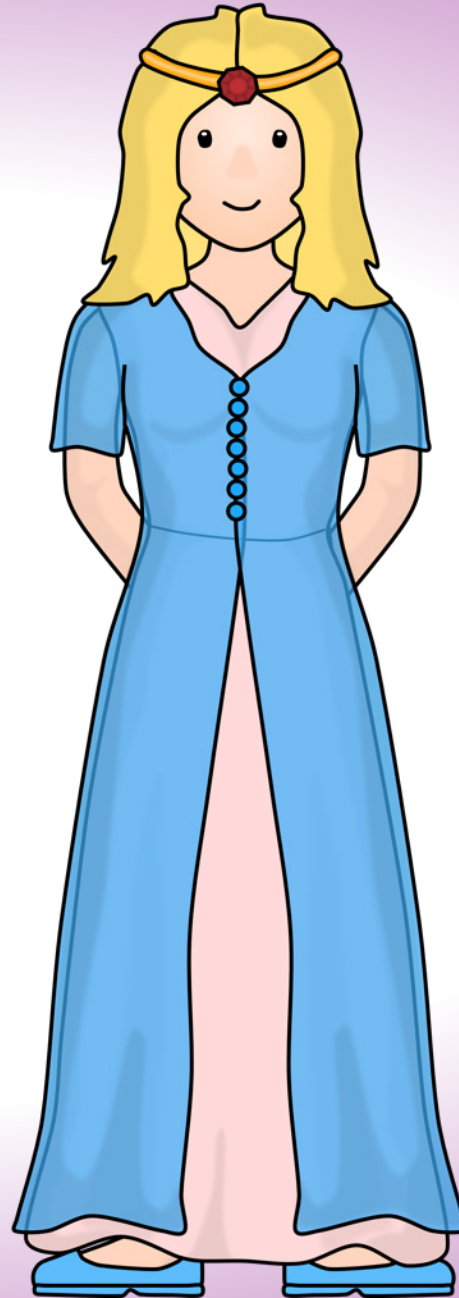
Once upon a time
there was the
Princess and the Pea



Prince



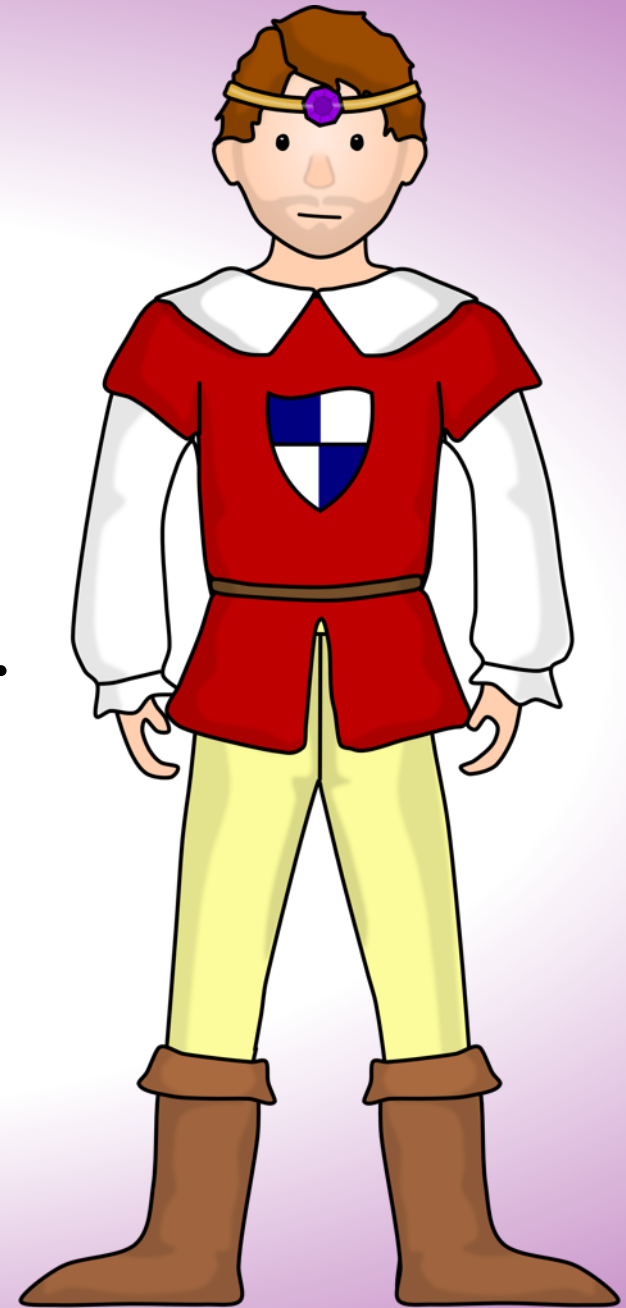
Princess



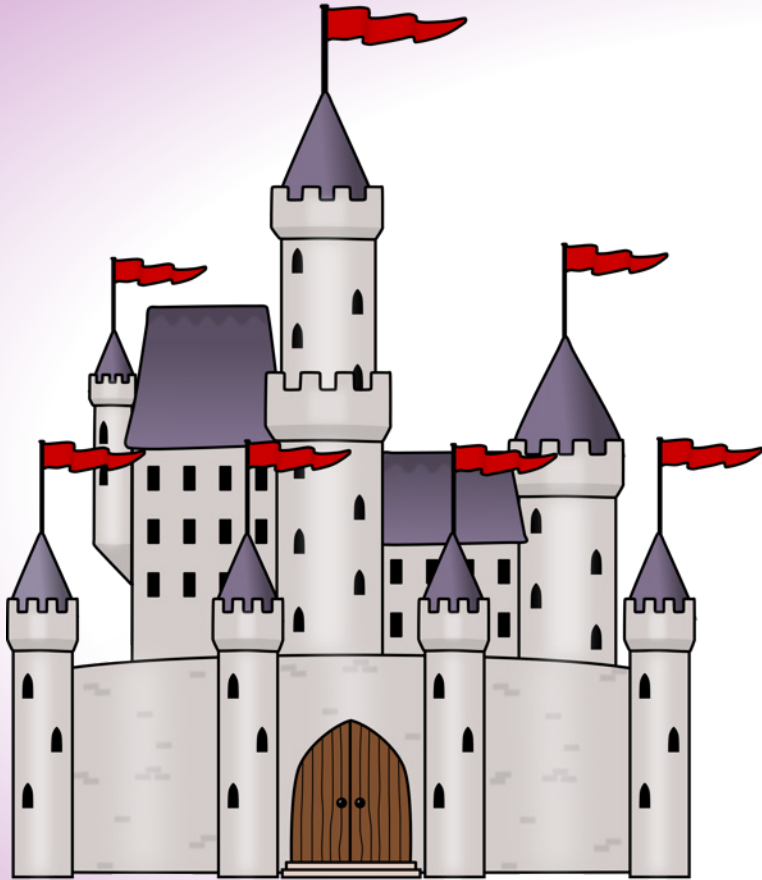
The prince wanted to marry a real princess. He travelled and searched...



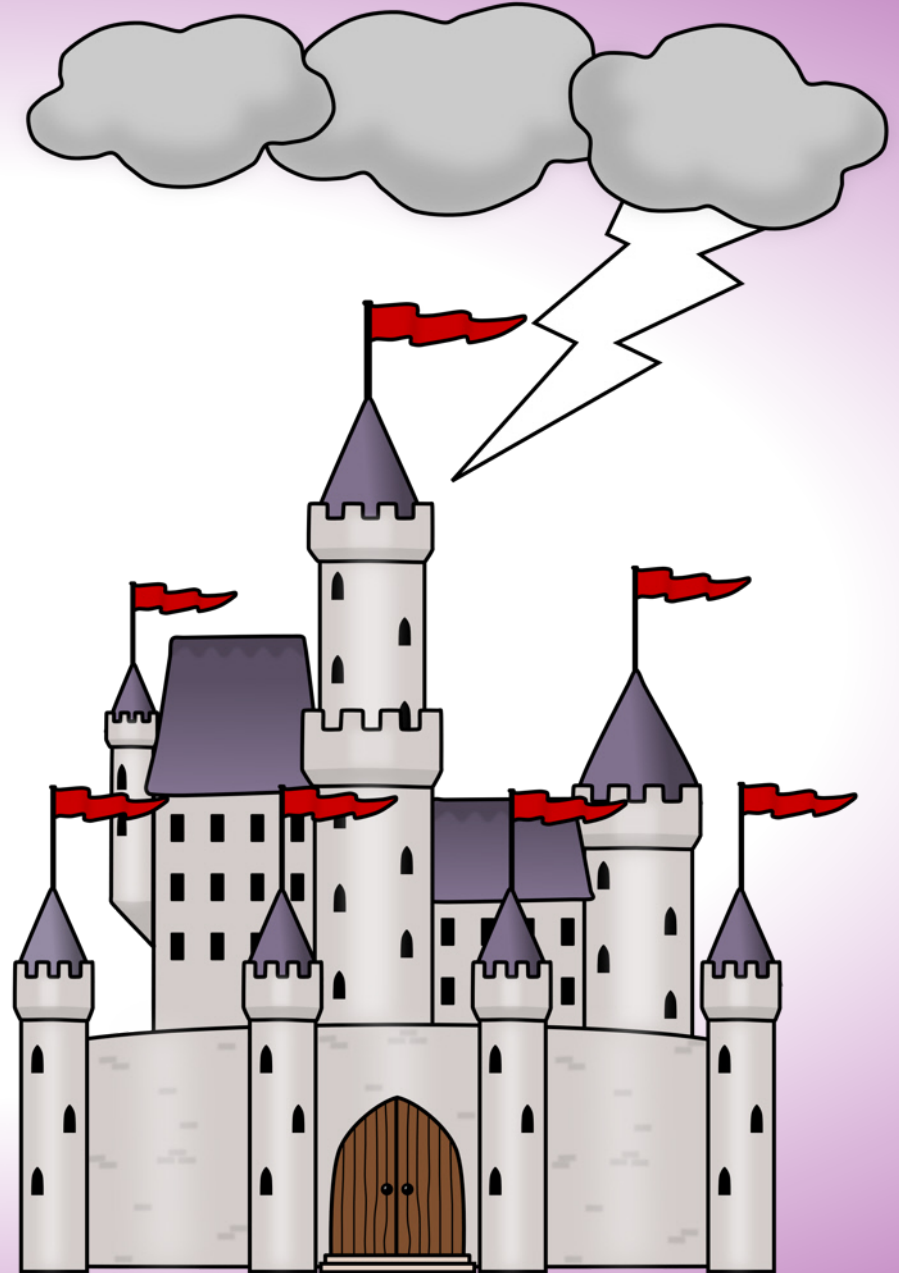
...but he never found her.



He returned to the castle feeling sad.




One night there was
a big storm.

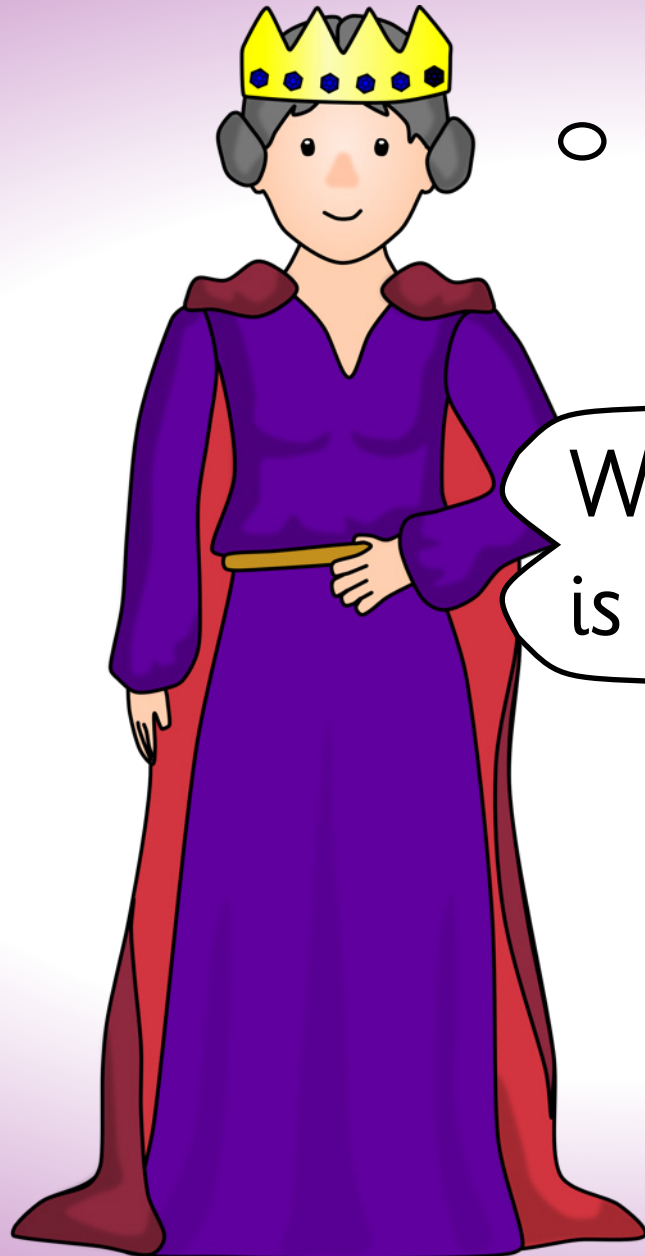


A ragged and wet princess
knocked on the castle door.



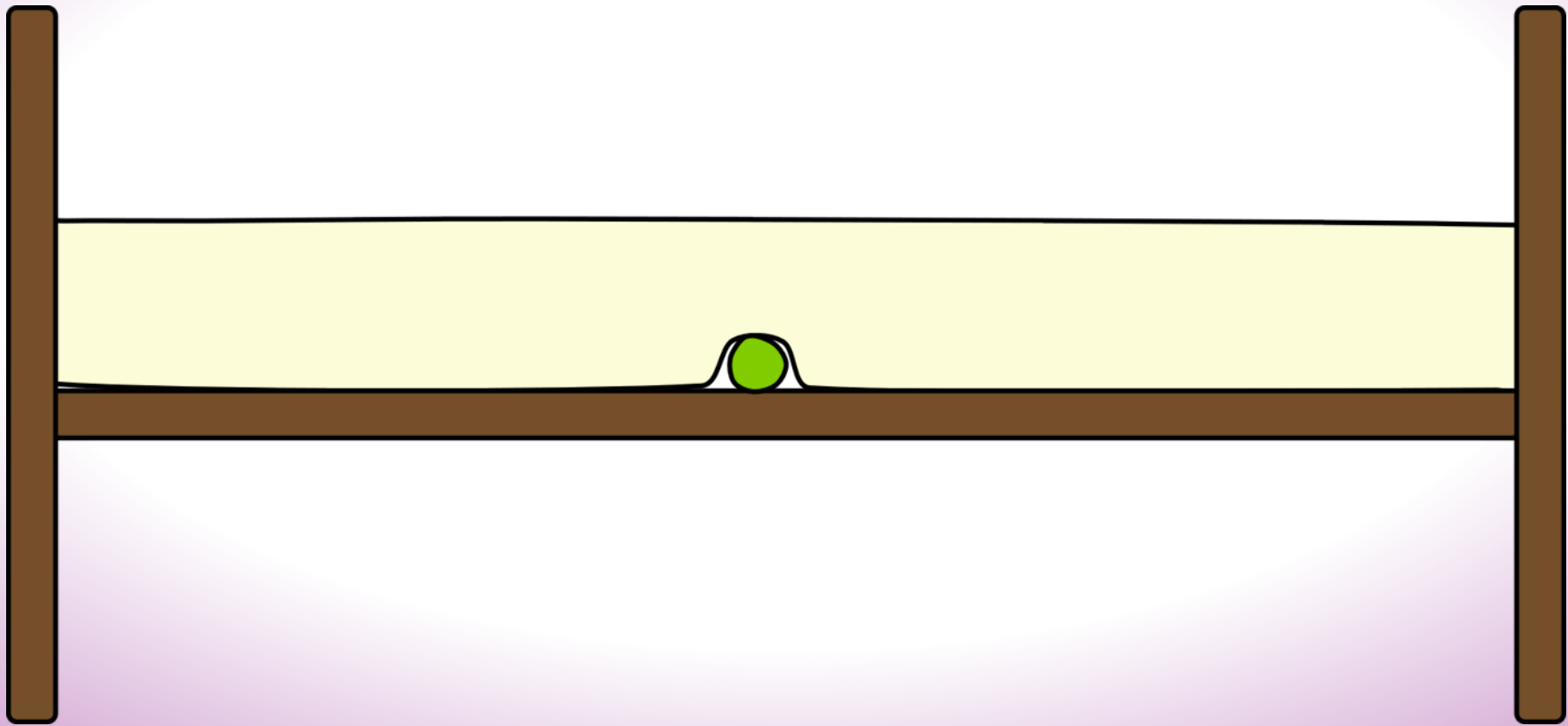


I am a princess,
can I come into
the warm?

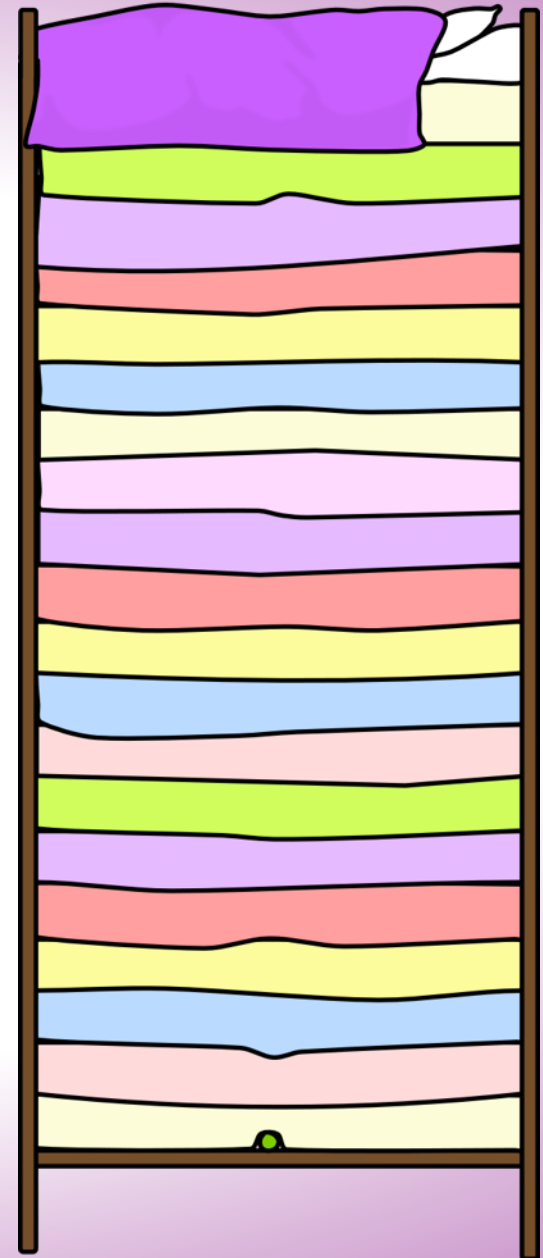


We shall see if she
is a real princess.

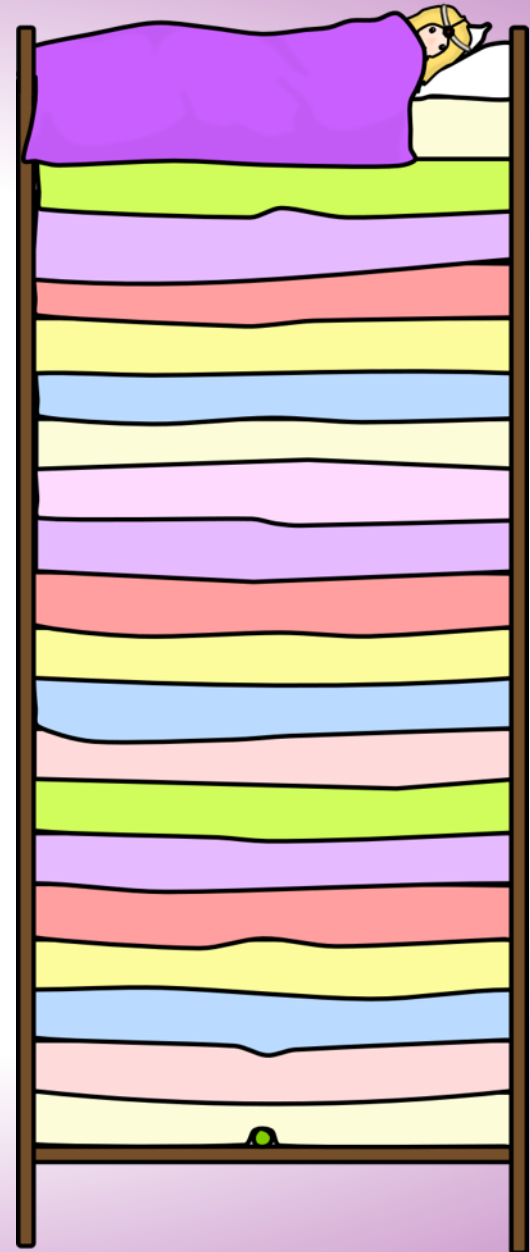
The queen put a pea on the bed...




...and piled twenty
mattresses and twenty
feather quilts above!



That night, the princess
slept in the bed.

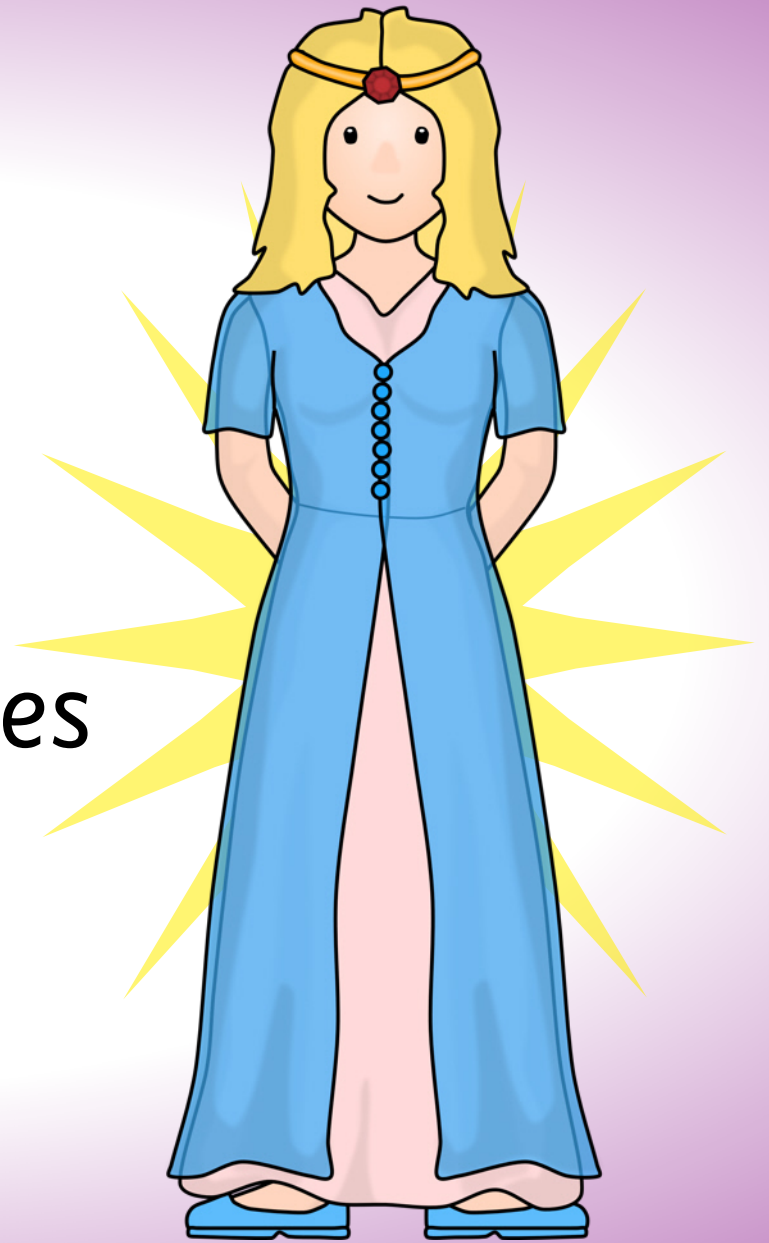




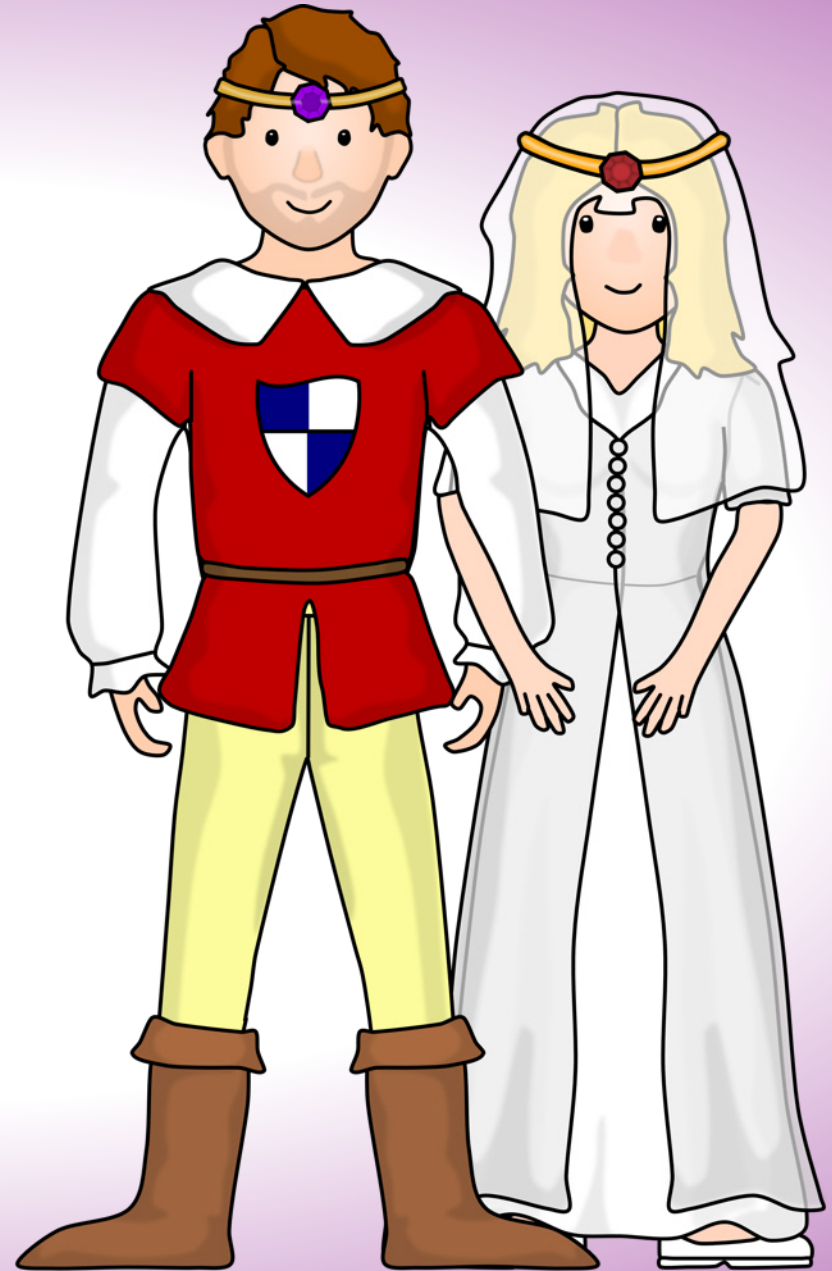
How did you sleep?

I slept awfully! What was in the bed to make it so uncomfortable?

Only a real princess
would feel a tiny pea
through twenty mattresses
and quilts!



The happy prince and princess got married.



The pea was put on exhibition at the royal museum.

