Verity Fairy AND Snow White

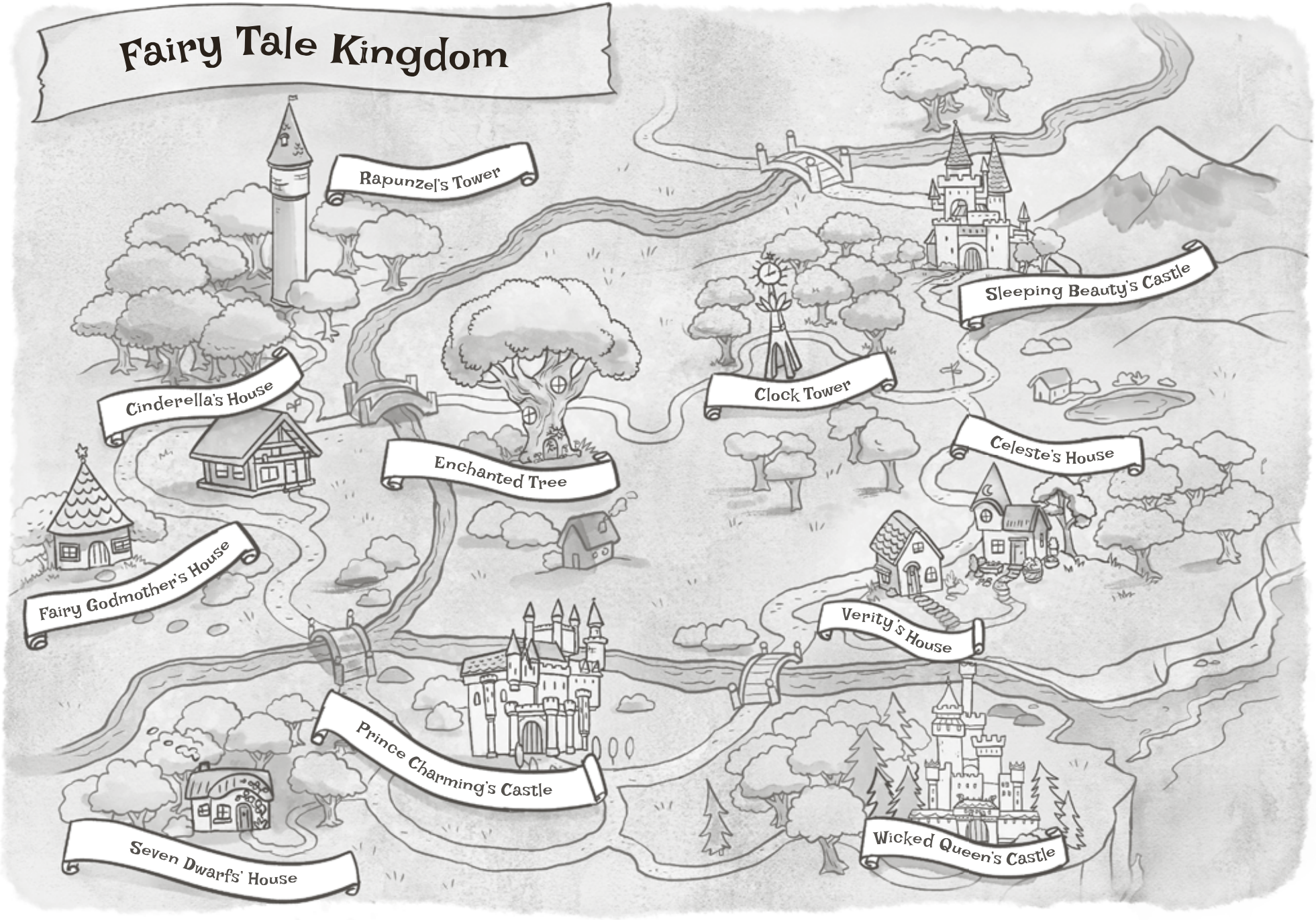


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Fairy Tale Kingdom
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Chapter One

Verity's Task



All the fairies gathered around the enchanted tree by the light of the full moon. They worked hard to keep everyone happy and safe in the Fairy Tale Kingdom. Tonight, the fairy who had worked the hardest would be announced. Tatiana, the Queen of the Fairies, would present the winner with a beautiful sparkly star.



Verity stood next to her best friend, Celeste, as they waited. The two fairies loved spending time together. They liked baking fairy cakes, playing games, and reading their favourite magazine, *Sparkle Time*.

"Please let it be me, please let it be me." Verity crossed her fingers tightly.

"I think it will be Fay," whispered Celeste. She tucked a lock of her dark-brown hair behind her ear. "She's been working non-stop!"

"Oh, pickled pumpkins!" grumbled Verity.

"And the winner is... Fay!" Tatiana announced happily.

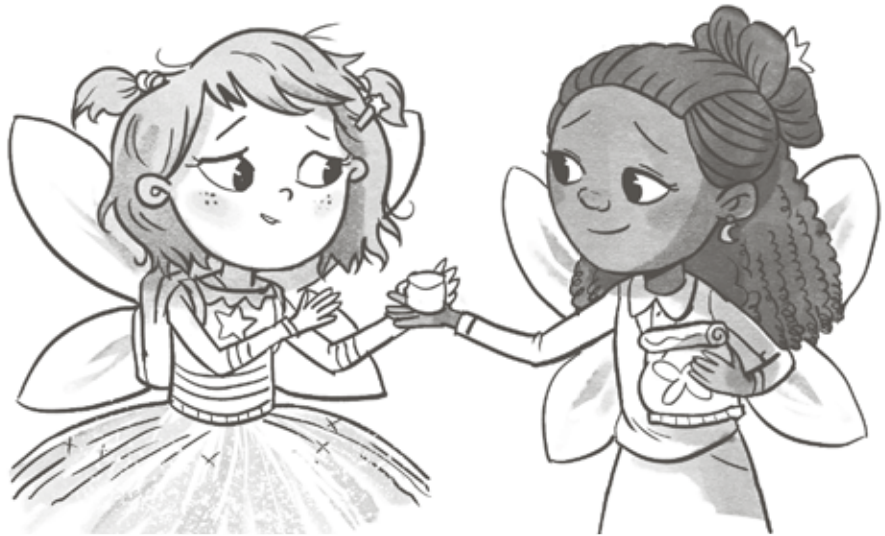


Everyone clapped. Fay stood up and proudly opened the magical box. All the fairies gazed with wonder. A sparkly orange star floated high into the sky and then came back down to land in Fay's hands.

"Phew, I thought she was going to get a lilac star," chuckled Verity. She tried to hide her disappointment. "I've already got an orange star," she boasted. "I want to be the first fairy to get a lilac star!"

Verity worried that she didn't win stars as often as the other fairies. She liked to tell the truth ALL the time, which of course is a good thing, but it could cause problems. Luckily, Celeste was always there to help. Sometimes Verity would surprise herself and save the day. She just wished it would happen more often.

"It doesn't matter what colour the star is," Celeste said kindly. She offered Verity her favourite sweet, a marshmallow, to cheer her up.

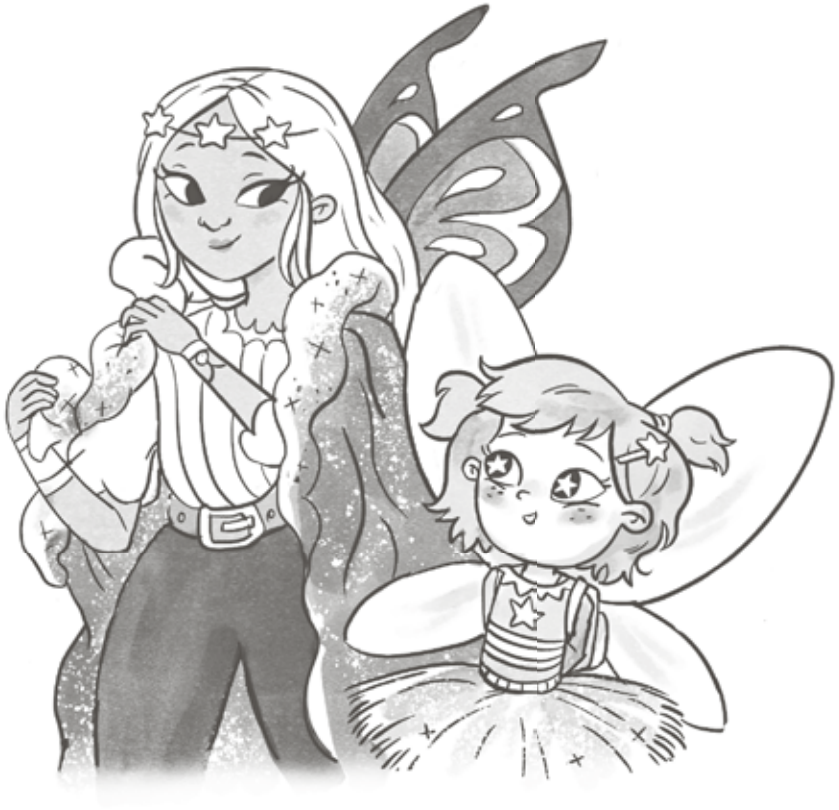


"It does when you want to have all the colours of the rainbow. Also, lilac is the **rarest**. Everyone wants a lilac star," said Verity. She popped the marshmallow into her mouth. She was determined to try harder with the next task she was given.

"That's true," agreed Celeste. "It looks like Tatiana is calling you over. This might be your chance to earn another star. Good luck!" Celeste's big brown eyes sparkled with excitement.

Verity waited as Tatiana removed her golden cloak. It matched her shiny long golden hair. Verity twiddled her pink hair and wondered what the task would be. She hoped it wouldn't be too difficult. She really wanted to do well this time.

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Tatiana smiled. "Verity, I would like you to be the voice of the Wicked Queen's magic mirror. You must do everything you can to protect Snow White, her lovely step-daughter. Remember Verity, the Queen is very wicked, so you have to be careful!" said Tatiana.

"How can I protect Snow White when I'm in a mirror?" Verity asked.

"You must answer the Wicked Queen's questions and tell her whatever she wants to hear. If you don't, she will become very cross and will be mean to Snow White. It is our duty, as fairies, to keep everyone happy and safe in the Fairy Tale Kingdom. Do you understand?" Tatiana raised an eyebrow at Verity.

Verity was worried. What if she accidentally blurted out the truth? But she really wanted to help Snow White. She screwed up her nose and nodded **reluctantly**. "I understand," she said.



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