

# SLEEPING BEAUTY COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS ANSWER KEY

## VOCABULARY

Look at the words in the box and write them under the correct pictures

- throne
- king
- tower
- golden plate
- princess
- queen
- wise woman
- magic
- thorny hedge
- spindle
- prince
- maid



tower



wise woman



prince



spindle



throne



queen



maid



magic



golden plate



king



thorny hedge



princess

## WRITE TRUE OR FALSE

1. **FALSE** The king and the queen want to have a son.
2. **TRUE** The frog says they may have a baby girl.
3. **FALSE** The princess pricks herself with a spindle and dies in the end.
4. **TRUE** The thorny hedge is very dangerous.
5. **TRUE** The princess sleeps for a hundred years.

## ANSWER THE QUESTIONS

1. What do the king and the queen wish to have?  
**They wish to have a child.**
2. Does the frog give good news to the queen?  
**Yes, it does.**
3. Do they have a daughter or a son?  
**They have a son.**
4. What does the king do after he has a child?  
**He gives a big feast.**
5. Who comes to the big feast in the castle?  
**His friends and the wise women come to the feast.**
6. How many golden plates does the king have?  
**He has twelve golden plates.**
7. Do the wise women enjoy the big feast?  
**Yes, they do.**
8. What do they do after the feast?  
**They give magic gifts to the king's daughter.**
9. Why is the thirteenth wise woman sad?  
**Because she can't come to the feast.**
10. Does she wish good luck or misfortune?  
**She wishes misfortune.**
11. What does she do after she tells her wish?  
**She runs away.**
12. What does the twelfth wise woman do?  
**She changes the evil wish a little.**
13. Does the princess grow up to be beautiful?  
**Yes, she does.**
14. What does the princess do when she is 15?  
**She goes for a walk in the castle.**
15. Where does she meet the old lady?  
**She meets the old lady in a little room.**
16. What is the old woman doing in the room?  
**She is spinning her flax.**
17. Does the princess prick herself with the spindle?  
**Yes, she does.**
18. Does she die when she touches the spindle?  
**No, she doesn't. (She falls asleep.)**
19. Do all the people and animals in the castle sleep?  
**Yes, they do.**
20. What is there around the castle?  
**There is a thorny hedge around the castle.**
21. Can kings' sons be successful?  
**No, they can't.**
22. Who comes after one hundred years?  
**A prince comes after one hundred years.**
23. Can he save the princess in the end?  
**Yes, he can.**
24. What does he do when he sees the princess?  
**He kisses her.**
25. Is the king angry with the prince?  
**No, he isn't.**
26. Do the prince and the princess get married?  
**Yes, they do.**