

NARRATIVE TEXT #1 - The Fancy Dress Party

It was Isabel's ninth birthday. She had invited all her friends over to a special fancy dress party. Chloe came as Cinderella, Grace came as Tinkerbell and Amelia came as Alice in Wonderland. Noah came as Captain Hook, George was Harry Potter and Finn was Aladdin. Isabel herself was Princess Jasmine.

Isabel's mother, Sarah, wanted to make sure the children all had a good time so she organised some fun games.

"Now kids, we're going to play Scarecrow first," she said.

"What's that?" asked Captain Hook.

"You run around and when the music stops, you stand like a scarecrow - completely still. Anyone who moves is out."

The next game was *Pass the Parcel*. Isabel's mum had wrapped up a giant parcel in brightly coloured birthday paper. The children sat in a circle and passed the parcel around. When the music stopped, whoever was holding it unwrapped it. Each time there was a little present.

"This is the best game ever!" said Harry Potter.

The final game was *Charades*. The children had to mime a song, movie or book while the others had to guess what it was.

After the games, they all went outside. There, Isabel's mother had prepared a feast. There were mini hot dogs, sausage rolls, party pies, cupcakes and a special treat...

"What's this?" said Tinkerbell.

"Fairy bread!" said Isabel. Everyone laughed.

"What a great party!" said all the children.

1. How many friends did Isabel invite to her party?
four
five
six
seven
2. What game did the children play just before eating the party food?
Charades
Pass the Parcel
Musical Chairs
Scarecrow
3. Who thought Pass the Parcel was the best game ever?
Noah
George
Finn
Isabel
4. Why did everyone laugh when Tinkerbell didn't recognise the Fairy Bread?
because Tinkerbell is a fairy.
because they were being mean.
because she used a funny voice.
because everyone knows what Fairy Bread looks like.
5. Why did Isabel's mother organise the games for the party?
because Isabel asked her to.
because it was raining outside.

because she never had a party when she was a child.

because she wanted the children to have fun.

6. Which of the following statements is a fact?

Scarecrow is a fun game to play.

Fairy bread is delicious.

You need music to play Pass the Parcel.

Everyone loves dress up parties.