

rumours of a mysterious cave that was said to lead to a magical land, and they were determined to find it. Armed with backpacks filled with snacks, water, and torches, they set out early one morning, eager to discover what secrets lay hidden inside the cave.

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As they made their way deeper into the cave, they noticed that the air was getting cooler and the rocks on the ground were becoming smoother. Suddenly, they heard a strange humming noise, and as they turned a corner, they found themselves standing in front of a shimmering portal. Without hesitating, they stepped through it and gasped in awe at the sight before them. They had discovered the magical land! The sky was filled with rainbows, unicorns pranced in fields of flowers, and there were castles made of candy as far as the eye could see. Overwhelmed with excitement, the friends set off to explore this wondrous new world, filled with endless possibilities and adventure.

Number these facts from 1 to 5 in the order in which they happen.

- [1] Rumours of a mysterious cave surfaced.
- 4 A strange humming noise could be heard.
- 2 The friends set out with snacks to find the cave.
- 5 They saw rainbows and unicorns in the sky.
- 3 The air inside the cave got cooler.



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The Stars

- 1. Stars up high in the sky, Moving with a purpose, up so high, Dancing, spinning, shining bright, Putting on a show all through the night.
- 3. Some stars form shapes, like a bear or a swan, Others form patterns, one after one, Each one moving with a cosmic grace, Leaving a trail in its endless space.

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2: Some shoot across in a fiery blaze, Leaving trails in+their cosmic race, Others twinkle in their own unique way, Brightening up the night with their display.

4. Stars change positions, moving all around, Dancing to the rhythm of the universe's sound, Some disappear while others shine bright, In the never-ending dance of the celestial light.

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5. So look up high and watch them go, Dancing with the cosmic flow, Stars in the sky, an endless delight, Moving and shining, a celestial sight.

- **4** Stars change positions and move around in the sky.
- 5 Watching the stars moving in the sky is a celestial sight.
- 3 Some stars make patterns in the sky.
- 1 The stars are dancing, spinning and shining in the sky.
- 2 Some shoot across the sky.

Evacuation!

I woke up early one morning to the sound of my mum calling my name. When I opened my eyes, I saw her standing by my bed with a small bag in her hand. She told me that we had to leave our home and go somewhere safe because of the war.

I didn't really understand what she meant, but I could tell from the look on her face that it was serious. I quickly got dressed and grabbed my favourite teddy bear, knowing that I wouldn't be coming back to my room for a while.

We walked to the train station with lots of other families, all carrying bags and suitcases. I saw children crying and parents trying to reassure them that everything would be okay. I felt scared and confused, but I tried to be brave for my mum.

When we got to the station, we were put on a train with lots of other children and taken to the countryside. We were greeted by a family who would be looking after us for a while. They were kind and welcoming, and they showed us to a small room where we would be staying.

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Although I missed my home and my friends, I started to settle into my new surroundings. I played with the other children and explored the fields and woods around our new home. I received letters and parcels from my family, which made me feel loved and cared for.

- 2 I got dressed and grabbed my teddy bear.
- 4 The train took us to the countryside.
- 5 I received letters and parcels from my family.
- 3 We walked to the train station.
- 1 Mum woke me up early one morning.



Rosa Parks

Rosa Parks was an African American civil rights activist who is best known for her act of defiance on a Montgomery, Alabama bus in 1955. At the time, the city had laws that segregated black and white people on buses, with black people being forced to give up their seats to white people if the bus was full. Parks refused to give up her seat and was arrested, sparking a boycott of the city's buses that lasted for over a year.

Parks' act of defiance was a turning point in the civil rights movement and helped to inspire other protests and demonstrations across America. She became known as the 'Mother of the Civil Rights Movement' and continued to work for racial equality throughout her life. Parks received numerous awards and honours for her activism, including the Presidential Medal of Freedom in 1996, and she is remembered as an icon of the struggle for civil rights in America.

Number these facts from 1 to 5 in the order in which they happen.

- 4 She became known as the 'Mother of the Civil Rights Movement'.
- 2 Parks refused to give up her seat.
- 1 Laws were in place that segregated black and white people on buses.
- 5 Parks received numerous awards.
- **3** Rosa was then arrested.

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The Art Heist

The art museum was bustling with visitors from all over the world, admiring the beautiful paintings and sculptures on display. Suddenly, the alarms went off, and people started to panic. A group of masked thieves had broken in and were stealing the museum's most valuable paintings.

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They were quick and efficient, grabbing the artworks off the walls and disappearing into the night.

The police arrived on the scene and launched an investigation into the robbery. They interviewed witnesses and studied the CCTV footage, but the thieves had covered their tracks well. The art world was in shock, and people wondered who could have been responsible for such a daring heist. The museum closed for a few days as security was tightened, and people hoped that the stolen artworks would be recovered and returned to their rightful place.

- 2 The alarms in the museum started to sound.
- 1 The art museum was busy.
- 3 Masked robbers were stealing the paintings.
- 4 A police investigation was launched.
- 5 The museum closed for a few days.



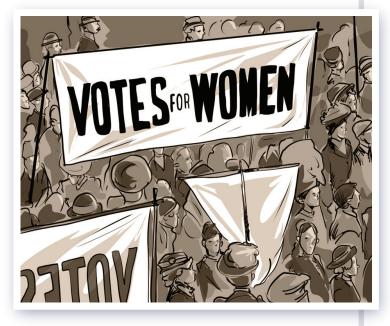
Rights!

Through sweat and tears, And even quaking fears, For a right they deserved all along, To have their voices heard and belong.

They marched and protested with great force, Demanding change, a new course, With persistence and dedication shown, Their right to vote, finally known.

Now we remember those brave women, Who fought for our rights, again and again, Their voices raised to break down each wall, Their legacy guiding us, as we stand tall.

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- 3 Women gained the right to vote.
- 2 They marched and protested.
- [4] The bravery of these women is remembered every year.
- 5 We are guided by their lasting legacy.
- 1 Women wanted to have their voice heard.



Henry VIII



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Henry VIII was a king of England who ruled from 1509 to 1547. He is famous for his many marriages and his role in the English Reformation. Henry was born in 1491 and was the second son of King Henry VII. When his elder brother died, Henry became heir to the throne and was crowned king at the age of just 18.

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Henry's reign was marked by many important events, including his break from the Roman Catholic Church and the establishment of the Church of England. This was partly motivated by his desire to divorce his first wife, Catherine of Aragon, who had failed to give him a male heir. He went on to marry five more times, with two of his wives being executed for treason. Henry was also known for his love of sports and hunting and his extravagant lifestyle, which included building many impressive palaces and mansions. Despite his achievements, Henry's legacy is often overshadowed by his ruthless treatment of those who opposed him, and his reign is remembered as one of the most tumultuous in English history.

- 1 Henry VIII began his reign in 1509 at the age of 18.
- 3 Henry divorced his wife Catherine of Aragon.
- 4 He executed two of his following wives.
- 5 Henry's legacy is often overshadowed by his ruthless treatment of those who opposed him.
- 2 Henry VIII established the Church of England.





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Peter and Friends

In a little cottage in the countryside, there lived a family of animals who were the best of friends. There was Peter, the adventurous rabbit who loved to explore the woods, and Jemima, the motherly duck who always looked after her young. There were also Squirrel Nutkin and his mischievous gang of squirrel friends, who spent their days gathering nuts and playing pranks on their neighbours.

One sunny afternoon, the animals decided to have a picnic in the meadow. Peter brought along his favourite carrot sandwiches, and Jemima brought a basket of freshly baked bread. Squirrel Nutkin brought a bag of acorns, which he had gathered earlier that day, and the other squirrels brought a variety of nuts and berries. They all sat on a checked blanket and enjoyed the delicious food while chatting and playing games. It was a perfect day, and the animals felt grateful for each other's company and the beauty of nature that surrounded them.



- 2 The animals decided to have a picnic in the meadow.
- 3 They packed their favourite snacks for the picnic.
- 4 They ate their food and played games.
- 5 The animals felt grateful for each other's company.
- 1 A family of animals lived together and were the best of friends.





Claude Monet

Claude Monet was a French painter who lived during the 19th and early 20th centuries. He is known for his Impressionist style of painting, which focuses on capturing the fleeting moments of light and colour in nature. Born in Paris in 1840, Monet grew up near the coast of Normandy, where he developed a love of the sea and the changing colours of the sky.

As a young man, Monet studied art in Paris and eventually became a leader of the Impressionist movement.

He painted a wide variety of subjects, including landscapes, seascapes, and portraits, but he is perhaps best known for his series of paintings of water lilies, which he created over the last 30 years of his life. Monet's work had a profound influence on the art world, and his innovative techniques and use of colour continue to inspire artists today. He passed away in 1926 at the age of 86, leaving behind a vast collection of beautiful paintings and a lasting legacy as one of the greatest artists of all time.



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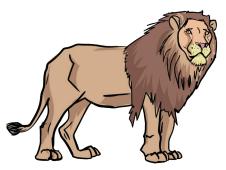
- 3 Monet studied art in Paris and became a leader of the impressionist movement.
- 1 Monet was born in the 19th century.

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- 2 He grew up on the coast of Normandy.
- 4 He is best known for his paintings of water lilies.
- 5 Monet died at the age of 86 in 1926.



The Wizard of Oz



Once upon a time, in a land far away, there lived a young girl named Lily. Lily lived in a small village with her parents and siblings, but she always dreamed of adventure and excitement. One day, a powerful wizard appeared in the village and offered to grant Lily her greatest wish. Lily eagerly accepted and the wizard transported her to a magical land filled with strange creatures and wondrous sights.

As Lily travelled through the magical land, she met a scarecrow who longed for a brain, a tin man who yearned for a heart, and a cowardly lion who sought courage. Together, the group embarked on a journey to meet the powerful Wizard of Oz, who they believed could grant their wishes. Along the way, they faced many challenges and obstacles, but with determination and teamwork, they persevered and finally reached the Wizard's castle. There, they discovered that the Wizard was not what he seemed and that they had the power all along to achieve their dreams. With newfound confidence, the group returned to their homes, forever changed by their magical adventure.

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- 4 While in the magical land, Lily met a scarecrow.
- 2 A wizard offered to grant Lily her greatest wish.
- 1 Lily lived in a small village with her parents and siblings.
- 5 They journeyed together to meet the powerful Wizard of Oz.
- 3 The wizard transported Lily to a magical land.





