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The Emperor's New Clothes

storytime

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emperor







change clothes



wardrobe



throne



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There was a man, an emperor, who lived in days of old.
He loved to wear expensive clothes all made of silk and gold!
He changed his clothes ten times a day. His wardrobe was his home.
He only cared about himself—the wrong man for the throne!

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Song

What A Treasure!

Chorus: What a treasure!
What a find!
The kind of cloth
to blow your mind!

This news is quite amazing!
The Emperor will be pleased!
A man so wise and clever—
this cloth is what he needs!

Repeat chorus (x2)

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Repeat chorus

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H **Read the story. Choose a word from the box. Write the correct word next to numbers 1 – 5. There is one example.**



afraid
wonderful
clever
heavy
lovely
light
strange
delicate

Last Sunday was a **(0)** ....wonderful.... day for Katy. It was her birthday, and her parents gave her a **(1)** ..... little puppy as a present. It was black, with green eyes and a tiny tail. Katy named him Blackie and put a blue silk ribbon around his neck. Everything was **(2)** ..... to Blackie at first. He was very **(3)** ....., but he didn't know the way around the house and kept tripping over things all the time. While he was playing in the living room, he ran into a small table and a **(4)** ..... glass vase fell on the floor! Poor Blackie was so **(5)** .....! He hid under the sofa and stayed there for a long time until Katy came looking for him. She bent down and looked under the sofa, smiling.

"Come out, Blackie; don't be scared. Good boy, good boy! No one liked that vase, anyway!"

(6) Now choose the best name for the story. Tick one box.

- The birthday ☐
- A new friend ☐
- Katy's party ☐

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Activities for pages 32 – 41

I **Read and draw a line from the word to the correct picture. There is one example.**







wardrobe

cloth

trousers

cloak

scarf

underwear







J **Look at the pictures and write the words on the lines. Then match.**









find out ....

0 find			on
1 take			in
2 put			out
3 join			off

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Stage 1

Stage 2

Stage 3

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