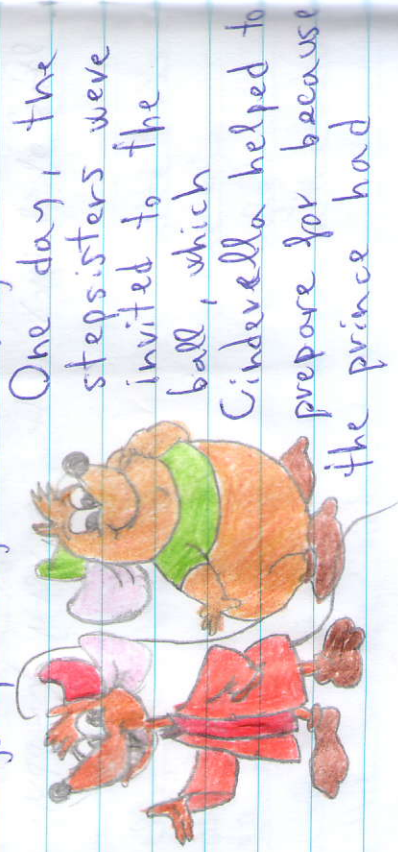


# Cinderella

characters: Cinderella  
Prince  
stepmother  
stepsisters

story:

Cinderella lived with her mean stepmother and two stepsisters. She worked hard all day long, cooking and cleaning and washing dishes. The only friends Cinderella had were two little mice named Jug and Gus, a horse, a dog and two birds. "Cinderella, we love you," they would say.



One day, the stepsisters were invited to the ball, which Cinderella helped to prepare for because the prince had

chosen a wife. Then she asked, "May I come, too?" "You can't go to the ball," answered her stepmother. "You don't have a dress to wear."

But Cinderella's friends Jug and Gus and the birds sewed ribbons and bows to one of her dresses. "Oh," said Cinderella, "it looks so pretty."

Thank you, my little friends. "Wait!" cried Cinderella. "I'm coming too."

The cruel stepsisters

were angry because

Cinderella looked so

lovely. They tore

her dress until

it hung in rags.

Poor Cinderella.

She cried and cried. Her friends

cried, too. Then a small woman

appeared in a cloud. It was

Cinderella's fairy godmother.

"Bring me a pumpkin," she said.

"I'll fix things!" "Diddidi, babsidi,

boo!", sang the fairy godmother



as she waved her magic wand.

The pumpkin changed into a coach, the

mice into horses, the

dog into a footman,

and the horse

into a coachman.

She waved her magic

wand again, and

Cinderella's rags

turned into a beautiful

dress. On her feet

were tiny glass slippers.

"Good-bye," called the fairy godmother,

"The magic spell will end at midnight.

You must leave the ball before then."

When the prince saw Cinderella, he

fell in love. Cinderella and the

prince whirled around the ballroom.

They danced every dance together.

As the clock began to strike

midnight, Cinderella ran away. One

of her glass slippers fell off her

foot. As the clock began to strike

midnight, Cinderella ran away. One of her glass slippers fell off her foot.

Her coach disappeared, too, but

Cinderella was still wearing the other

glass slipper. The prince said:

"The girl who can wear this slipper

will be my wife." Cinderella's

stepsisters tried to make the glass

slipper fit. But their feet were

too big. The grand duke put the

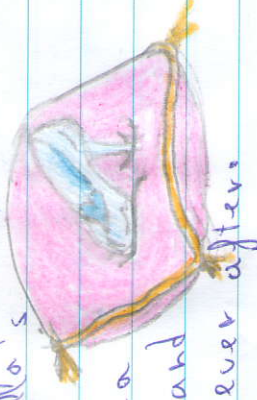
slipper on Cinderella's

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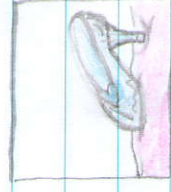
perfectly. Cinderella

married the prince and

they lived happily ever after.



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