

- 1 Read the text and complete the gaps 1–5. Use the words from the box. All the words must be used in the correct form. There is one extra word that you do not need to use.**

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Once upon a time, there was a beautiful girl who lived together with her father, stepmother and two stepsisters. However, she was sad because she missed her mother, and her new family didn't treat her very well. One day, she was cleaning the house when an ¹ _____ to a party in the nearby palace arrived. While she was reading it, her two stepsisters ² _____ it from her: 'You can't go!' they laughed. 'You haven't got anything to wear'. The girl ³ _____ to cry because she really wanted to go with them. Later on, when the stepsisters had left for the party, a strange old woman appeared and ⁴ _____ her some clothes, ⁵ _____ and transport, so the girl went to the party. A handsome young man asked her to dance ... Do you know what happened next?

- 2 Complete the sentences a–f with the correct form of the words in brackets. Add any other words to make the sentences correct. You must use no more than four words, including the words given.**

- a They arrested him _____ (hijack / plane).
- b We were _____ (still / dance / six) in the morning!
- c A thief _____ (break / my / house) while I was reading.
- d What _____ (you / do) when the teacher called out your name?
- e She started to scream as soon _____ (thief / run) away with her purse.
- f Excuse me, I'd like to _____ (turn / shoplifter) that I've just seen in your shop.

- 3 Translate the Polish parts of the sentences a–f into English. You must use no more than four words. Do not change any of the words given in English.**

- a The vandals ran away (*kiedy przyjechała policja*) _____.
- b When you get over the bridge, (*skręć w trzecią ulicę*) _____ on the right.
- c When I got to the party, (*wszyscy śpiewali*) _____ 'Happy Birthday'.
- d The hacker (*włamał się do*) _____ boss' computer without any problems.
- e My neighbour caught the thief when he (*próbował ukraść*) _____ his car.
- f It's quite far from here, but you could (*podjechać autobusem*) _____.

- 4 For sentences a–f, complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one. You must use between two and four words. Do not change any of the words given.**

- a The shop assistant was so nice!
The shop assistant was such _____ !
- b The robbers escaped right after they heard the police sirens.
The robbers ran _____ as they heard the police sirens.
- c He was chatting on the Net when he got a message.
He got a message while _____ the Net.
- d Walking there will take about five minutes.
It _____ minutes to walk there.
- e She left the company right after she learnt about their financial problems.
She left the company as _____ out about their financial problems.
- f The suspect escaped while the policemen were questioning a witness.
The policemen were questioning a witness _____ escaped.