

## The Young King and Other Stories

### Book key

1.1 1 F 2 B 3 E 4 A 5 G 6 C 7 D

1.2 Open answers (1 c 2 b 3 b)

2.1 1 X 2 X 3 ✓ 4 X 5 ✓

2.2 1 The first dream: a long, low room; thin, pale faces; gold cloth

The second dream: a slave ship; dead and bloody men; pearls from the sea

The third dream: a dark forest; men breaking rocks; a search for jewels

2 Open answers

2.3 Possible answers:

1 ... her child was born.

2 ... he watches his daughter.

3 ... he laughs too.

4 ... she gives him a white rose.

5 ... he has hopes for a future with the Infanta.

6 ... his heart breaks.

7 ... the dwarf dies.

2.4 Open answers

3.1 1 soon 2 dry 3 sorry for 4 was 5 can  
6 unhappiness

3.2 1 A 5 B 6 C 4 D 1 E 3 F 2

2 a cold, dies, God, sing

b two, bird, destroyed, city

3.3 1 has happened; has lost

2 has ... gone; has taken

3 have ... disappeared; has carried

4 has ... done; has given

3.4 Open answers

4.1 1 j 2 e 3 k 4 b 5 f 6 l 7 a 8 d

9 h 10 c 11 i 12 g

4.2 1 ✓: a, b, e

2 He wants to see the dancing women because his mermaid can't dance.

4.3 1 darkness 2 happiness 3 stranger

4 kindness 5 understanding 6 crying

4.4 1 Open answers (b a rose tree c it has no roses/flowers)

2 Open answers (7: b, e, f, g)

5.1 1 dance 2 gold 3 colour 4 cold 5 blood

6 jewels 7 love

5.2 1 a 1 b 1 c 3 d 2 e 3 f 2 g 3

2 Open answers

5.3 1 If the student has a red rose, he will be happy.

2 He'll sit alone at the dance if he doesn't take one to the girl.

3 If he doesn't dance with her, she will dance with other men.

4 A rose will grow if the nightingale sings all night.

5 If she presses her heart against a thorn, the life blood will run out.

6 The rose will turn red if it is covered with her blood.

5.4 Open answers

6.1 1 Silver stars. 2 Thieves. 3 He becomes ugly.

4 A great city. 5 A magician/old man.

6 White, yellow and red. 7 A rabbit.

8 He helps a sick man. 9 The king.

10 The king's son.

6.2 1 ✓: A, C, E, F

2 B

6.3 1 going 2 to eat 3 looking 4 to help

5 coming 6 to meet 7 to forgive

6.4 1 Open answers

2 Open answers (c)

**Talk about it** Open answers

**Write about it** Open answers

**Project** Open answers (2 UNICEF is a charity that helps children. It tries to give poor children and children with disabilities the same protection and hopes for the future as other children.)

### Discussion activities key

1–2 Open answers

3 D: I love you and want to marry you. You are so beautiful!

I: Me marry you! You are the ugliest thing I have ever seen. I only like to see you because you make me laugh.

D: But I am a beautiful person inside.

I: I am a princess and you are nobody. How can I marry you?

D: We can live in the forest and no one will know.

I: In a forest! I am .....

4 Open answers

5 Suggested answers:

The prince's eyes are made of blue jewels. The bird wants to go to Egypt. There are dead flowers at the writer's side. The bird flies through a hole in the roof. The girl drops the eggs. An important man says the statue looks like a beggar. The statue is put on a fire.

6 Suggestions: giants, witches, goblins, elves, vampires, werewolves, fairies. + Open answers

7–12 Open answers

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### Activity worksheets key

- 1 a narrow b employer c gold d waist  
e blood f crowd g mirror h rose
- 2 a musician > painter  
b Paris > Venice  
c black > green  
d nose > mouth  
e a young > an old  
f coat > stick
- 3 a An Indian man played music on a pipe.  
b The Infanta gave the dwarf a white rose.  
c The dwarf went through a little door.  
d There were red books on a big, round table.  
e The dwarf pulled the rose to pieces.  
f The dwarf died of a broken heart.
- 4 a 5 b 3 c 6 d 1 e 2 f 4
- 5 look-sad  
fall-asleep  
finish-a story  
break-in pieces  
throw-away  
strange-lands
- 6 a palace b unusual c wonderful d brighter  
e important f servants
- 7 a air b palace c metal d dress e friends  
f blue g beggar
- 8 a as b touching c of d than e watched  
f through g broken
- 9 a heavy b deep c wild d metal e special  
f bad g wise
- 10 a awake > asleep  
b sister > daughter  
c a young > an old  
d saw > smelt  
e bought > stole  
f wiser > richer  
g paid > killed
- 11 a X b ✓ c X d X e X f ✓
- 12 a its roses were white.  
b the winter cold froze them.  
c important than the heart of a bird.  
d written in books.  
e she was lying dead in the long grass.  
f the colour of the girl's dress.

- 13 a Pieces of gold.  
b In a big box.  
c Ten years ago.  
d Three years.  
e A sick man.  
f He gave bread and clothes to the poor, and was kind and good to everyone.
- 14 lose-your way  
gates of-the city  
sad-ending  
look after-someone  
loud-noise  
throw-stones  
wise-men
- 15 a spring b grass c ice d neck

### Progress test key

- 1 a 4 b 7 c 2 d 3 e 1 f 5 g 6 h 7 i 6  
j 1 k 2 l 5 m 4 n 3
- 2 **Story 1:** a dry river, a dead stick  
**Story 2:** a dwarf, Spain  
**Story 3:** a statue, Egypt  
**Story 4:** a witch, a mermaid  
**Story 5:** a thorn, beautiful songs  
**Story 6:** white gold, a gold coat  
**Story 7:** a cold garden, fruit trees
- 3 a 2 b 3 c 3 d 2 e 2 f 2 g 1
- 4 a The Young King  
b The Giant  
c The Fisherman  
d The Student  
e The Happy Prince  
f The Star Child  
g The Infanta  
h A Witch  
i The Nightingale
- 5 a The most important priest.  
b Because there were no mirrors where he lived.  
c Because he wanted to stay with the happy prince.  
d Because he had no heart.  
e Because he wanted to give it to a girl.  
f Three pieces of gold.  
g In his garden, under a tree.