



Cinderella

IMPORTANT NOTE: Access the Online Oral Reading Fluency Program



COPYRIGHT ©2021 by Lumos Information Services, LLC. **ALL RIGHTS RESERVED.** No part of this work covered by the copyright hereon may be reproduced or used in any form or by any means graphic, electronic, or mechanical, including photocopying, recording, taping, Web distribution or information storage and retrieval systems- without the written permission of the publisher.

ISBN-13: 978-1-949855-47-0

Printed in the United States of America

For permissions and additional information contact:

Lumos Information Services, LLC
Email: support@lumoslearning.com
PO Box 1575, Piscataway,
NJ 08855-1575

Tel: (732) 384-0146
Fax: (866) 283-6471
<http://www.LumosLearning.com>

*Curious Reader Series:
Cinderella - Includes Online Oral Reading
Fluency Practice*

Author	-	Unknown
Source	-	www.gutenberg.org
Senior Consultant	-	George Smith
Designer	-	Sowmya R.
Illustrator	-	Abira Das

Table of Contents



Introduction	1
Cinderella	3
Fun Activities	45
Reading Proficiency Progress Chart	53



Introduction

The Story of “*Cinderella*” is an exciting tale for children in the age group of 12-13. This book is a part of the Lumos Curious Reader Series and is designed to help young readers enjoy the story and develop their critical reading skills. It includes exercises to create opportunities for young readers to identify settings, plots, characters, etc. The activities are designed to help them recognize how the author has developed the story. This tedBook also includes access to engaging and interactive online resources.

About Curious Reader Series

One of the most enriching experiences for a child is to enjoy stories and fascinating new activities. The Curious Reader Series by Lumos Learning is designed to provide that special reading experience to help children become successful readers. This series is the perfect package to build students’ interest in reading, writing, and language skills.

Each book in the series offers an engaging story that is at a specific reading-level and includes activities that improve reading fluency, reading comprehension, and writing skills. The stories included in the Curious Reader series are fiction by expert children book authors. The activities in the book are tied to tips and pointers that will help children write independently. The stories and activities inspire new ideas and imagination in kids while making reading more enjoyable.

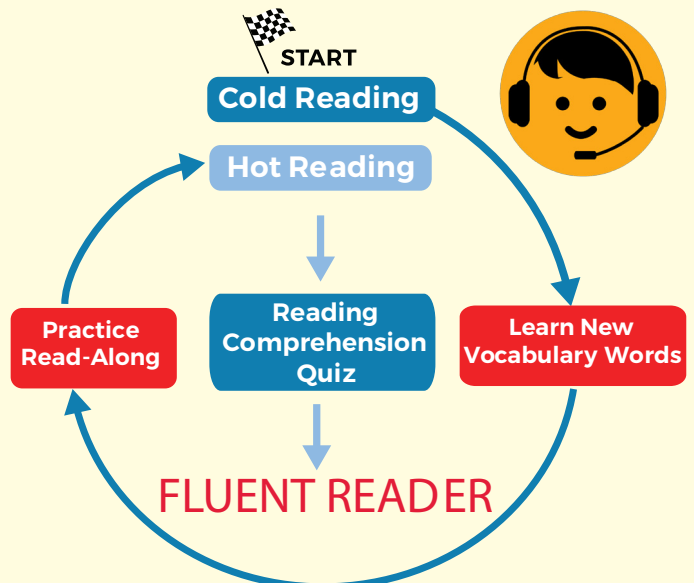
About the Online Fluency Program

Oral reading fluency plays a crucial role in developing children’s ability to read a text accurately, quickly, and with expression. Research indicates that oral reading fluency is correlated with students’ cognitive understanding of the text. Fluent reading leads to more success with writing, better vocabulary skills, and a greater understanding of what is being read.

In an industry first, an innovative online fluency improvement program will be accessible to the users of this Lumos tedBook. Parents and educators can easily unlock this access by following the steps provided in the signup section.

The Lumos fluency improvement program is an elearning solution that creates an opportunity for the students to:

1. **Cold Reading:** Children can Read, Record, and Listen to the story in their voice.
2. **Vocabulary Practice:** Lumos FlashCube and Quiz for Word Mastery.
3. **Teacher Modeling:** Read-To-Me with an expert storyteller while paying attention to the highlighted text.
4. **Hot Reading:** Children can Re-Read, Record, and Listen to the Story in their voice.
5. **Interactive Quiz:** Demonstrate reading comprehension by answer the questions in an Interactive Quiz.



Get Instant Access to Fun Oral Reading Fluency Program

Read-To-Me



Listen to the story read by an expert to benefit from **teacher modeling**

Independent Reading



An independent reading activity to support **repeated reading**

Vocabulary Practice



Practice challenging vocabulary words via Fun Lumos FlashCube and enhance word mastery

Measure Progress



An interactive Reading Comprehension Quiz to measure growth



In former times, a rich man and his wife were the parents of a beautiful little daughter; but before she had arrived at womanhood, her dear mother fell sick, and seeing that death was near, she called her little child to her, and thus addressed her: "My child, always be good, and bear everything that occurs to you with patience; then, whatever toil and troubles you may suffer during life, happiness will be your lot in the end."

After uttering these words, the poor lady died, and her daughter was overwhelmed with grief at the loss of so good and kind a mother.

The father, too, was very unhappy; but he sought to get rid of his sorrow by marrying another wife; and he looked for some amiable lady who might be a second mother to his child and a companion to himself. Unfortunately, his choice fell on a widow lady, of a proud and overbearing temper, who had two daughters by a former marriage, both as haughty and bad-tempered as herself.



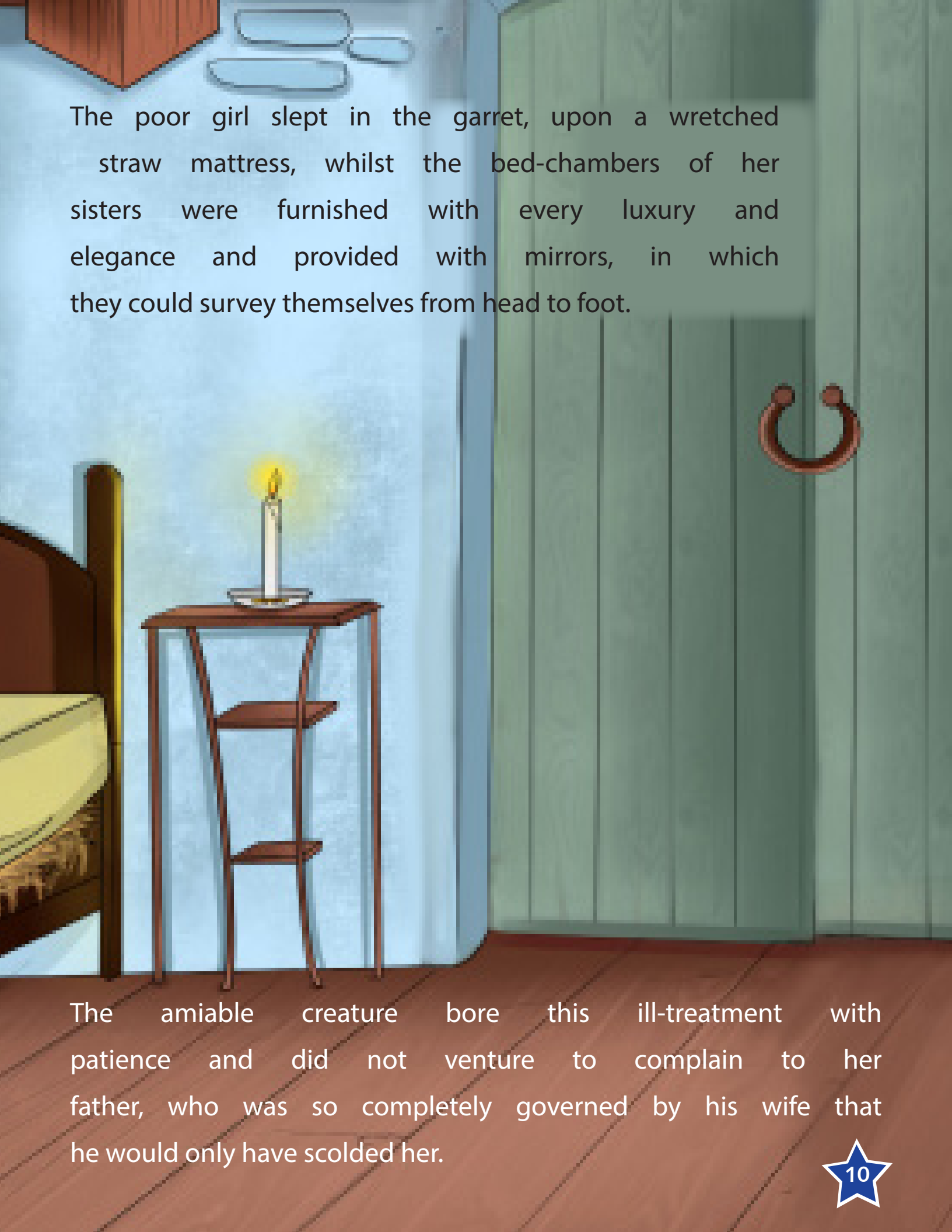
Before marriage, this woman had the cunning to conceal her bad qualities so well that she appeared to be very amiable; but the marriage was scarcely over when her real character showed itself.





She could not endure her amiable step-daughter, with all her charming qualifications, for they only made her own daughters appear more hateful. She gave her the most degrading occupations and compelled her to wash the dishes and clean the stairs and sweep her own rooms and those of her sisters-in-law. When the poor girl had finished her work, she used to sit in the chimney corner amongst the cinders, which made her sisters give her the name of "Cinderella." However, in her shabby clothes, Cinderella was ten times more handsomer than her sisters, let them be ever so magnificently dressed.



The illustration shows a room with a wooden bed on the left, a small wooden nightstand with a lit candle, and a green door on the right. The floor is made of wooden planks. The background is a light blue wall with a window showing a view of a city or town.

The poor girl slept in the garret, upon a wretched straw mattress, whilst the bed-chambers of her sisters were furnished with every luxury and elegance and provided with mirrors, in which they could survey themselves from head to foot.

The amiable creature bore this ill-treatment with patience and did not venture to complain to her father, who was so completely governed by his wife that he would only have scolded her.