**Typical characteristics of a fairy tale (expected solutions):**

* typical phrases: “Once upon a time…” and “and they lived happily ever after.”
* fast paced and short
* unspecific time and place
* flat characters
* use of magic, monsters, disguises etc.
* often involving royalty
* ending marriage
* taking place in a castle, woods etc.

**Expected solutions fairy tale:**

The story…

* …has retained the original plot structure and characters.
* …uses typical fairy tale characteristics.
* …is written in an interesting manner.
* …is changed in some way from the original (new characters, magical elements, further plot points etc.).
* …uses correct grammar and spelling.
* …is between 1-3 pages long.