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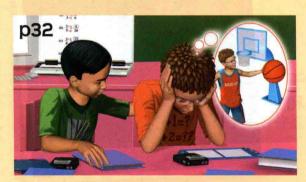
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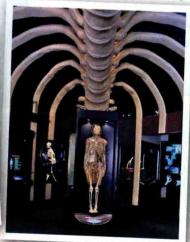
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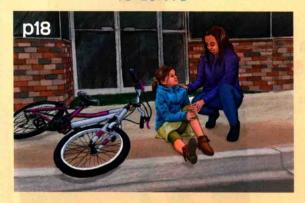




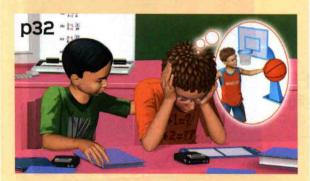
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#### Thumbelina:

Chapter 6



## Wedding Preparations

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#### Words

- 1. wedding / wedin/ n. 婚礼
- 2. preparation / prepəˈreɪʃn/ n. 准备 (工作)
- 3. hurt /hɜːt/ v. 使······伤心
- 4. miss /mis/ v. 思念, 想念
- 5. allow /əˈlaʊ/ v. 允许
- 6. married /'mærid/ adj. 结婚的
- 7. mole /məʊl/ n. 鼹鼠

#### Notes

- But Tiny knew it would make the mouse sad if she left. 拇指姑娘知道,如果她离开了,老鼠
  - 何指如娘知道,如果她离开了,老鼠会难过的。
- 2. Aren't you lucky that the mole wants you to be his wife?! 鼹鼠要你做他的妻子, 你难道不感到幸运吗?!



Soon it was Spring. The sun warmed up the ground. It was time for the bird to go. He asked Tiny to come with him. She could sit on his back and they would fly to the woods. But Tiny knew it would make the mouse sad if she left.\* The mouse had been so kind to let her stay. She could not **hurt** her. "I cannot go with you," she said.

"Goodbye, then. Thank you for saving my life." And the bird flew out into the sunshine.

Tiny began to cry. She liked the bird very much. She knew she was going to **miss** him. She also wanted to go out into the warm sunshine. But she was not **allowed**.



"You are going to get **married**, Tiny," said the mouse. "Aren't you lucky that the **mole** wants you to be his wife?!\* Now we will get some clothes ready for your wedding."

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Tiny did not feel lucky. She did not want to **marry** the mole. He visited every day. He talked about how much he **disliked** the summer. He could not wait for it to be over.\* When the summer was over, he **decided** they would have their wedding.

Each morning and each evening, Tiny would look outside. She **dreamed**of going out and enjoying the **warmth**.\* She dreamed of seeing the
green trees and the flowers. She dreamed of hearing the birds sing
again. And she missed her friend, the bird.



Autumn arrived, and the mouse talked about the wedding, "Your dress is ready. You will be married in four weeks."

Tiny cried and cried, "I don't want to marry the mole!"

"Nonsense," the mouse told her. "He is a very handsome mole. He has lots of beautiful clothes. And he has lots of food saved for the winter.\* You should be **thankful**."

#### Words

- 8. marry /'mæri/ v. 嫁
- 9. dislike /dɪsˈlaɪk/ v. 不喜欢
- 10. decide /di'saɪd/ v. 决定
- 11. dream of 梦想
- 12. warmth /wɔːmθ/ n. 温暖
- 13. nonsense /'nonsns/ n. 胡说
- 14. thankful /ˈθænkfl/ adj. 感激的, 感谢的
- 15. way /wei/ adv. 很远
- 16. nearby / niə bai/ adv. 在附近, 不远

#### Notes

- **3.** He could not wait for it to be over. 他等不及了,希望夏天赶快结束。
- She dreamed of going out and enjoying the warmth.
  - 她梦想着出门,梦想着享受(太阳的)温暖。
- And he has lots of food saved for the winter.
  - 他还储备了很多过冬的食物。saved for the winter是过去分词结构,作food的后置定语。

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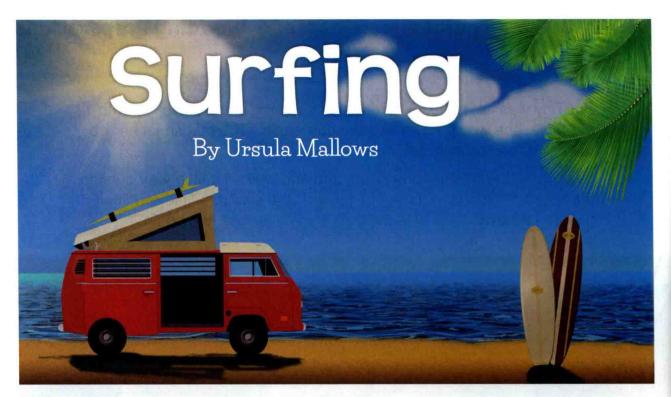
But Tiny was not thankful. She knew that once she went to live with the mole, she would never see the sun again.\* The mouse let her go to look at the sun one last time.

"Goodbye, bright sun," she cried, and she walked a little **way** outside the house.\* "Goodbye, beautiful flower," she said to a little red flower growing **nearby**. "Say hi to the bird if you ever see him again."\*



- **6.** She knew that once she went to live with the mole, she would never see the sun again. 她知道,一旦她和鼹鼠一起生活,她就再也见不到太阳了。
- **7.** She walked a little way outside the house. 她向离房子稍远处走去。
- **8.** Say hi to the bird if you ever see him again. 如果你再见到那只鸟,(替我) 向他问好。





My hobby is surfing. I live near the **beach** so it's a very **popular** hobby. Both of my parents like surfing, and my brother does too.\*

We like doing it together as a family!



Surfing is a water sport. It's a sport you do on water like canoeing or sailing.\*





You usually **surf** in the sea, but you can **windsurf** on a lake if you want to. **Windsurfing** is like surfing but there is a **sail**.

#### Words

- 1. surfing /'sa:fin/ n. 冲浪运动
- 2. beach /bi:tʃ/ n. 海滩
- 3. popular /ˈpɒpjələ/ adj. 受欢迎的
- 4. canoeing /kəˈnuːɪŋ/ n. 划独木舟运动
- 5. sailing /'seilin/ n. 帆船运动
- 6. surf /sa:f/ v. 冲浪
- 7. windsurf / winds3:f/ v. 风帆冲浪
- 8. windsurfing / windsa:fiŋ/ n. 帆板运动
- 9. sail /seil/ n. 帆

#### Notes

- 1. Both of my parents like surfing, and my brother does too.
  - 我父母都喜欢冲浪, 我哥哥也喜欢。
- 2. It's a sport you do on water like canoeing or sailing. 它是一项你在水上做的运动, 像划独木 舟或者帆船运动一样。you do on water 是定语从句, 修饰sport。