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Once there was a princess who lived in a _____ Noun out on the moors, where the heather gathered like the folds of a king's _____ Noun. Most of the windows looked out the front of the _____ Adjective walls at the _____ Noun, but the princess' room faced the opposite direction. She awoke every day to see not waves, but trees; hundreds and hundreds of trees stacked on top of one another like _____ Adjective balls of green _____ Noun.

A few days after she turned 8, the princess had _____ Verb Past Tense farther into the forest than she had before. Just as she reached the top of an especially _____ Adjective hill, she noticed a _____ Adjective shape curling like a ribbon across the forest floor below. But it was much bigger, much longer, and much scaliier than any ribbon she'd seen before. With a start she realized she must be looking at the back of a _____ Noun, just like the kind she'd been warned about. The princess _____ Verb Past Tense behind a tree, but it was too late. One _____ Adjective eye, bigger than her whole body, opened, and a voice slithered up the slope.

"Good morning, princess."

The princess, who was very wise, knew there was no use hiding from something that already knew she was there. She _____ Verb Past Tense out into the open and put her hands on her hips. "You're not going to _____ Verb Past Tense me away, if that's what you think."

"I don't think that at all," said the _____ Noun, and for the first time the princess realized how _____ Adjective his voice sounded. "I'm afraid you've been told some very _____ Adjective stories about me."

"I have," said the princess. "They say you will give me terrible _____ Noun."

"I have never given a _____ Noun _____," said the dragon, "but I do tell stories."

"Stories?" Cried the princess, who loved a good _____ Noun _____ more than anything in the world.

"Yes."

"Don't you want to _____ Verb Past Tense _____ me off?"

"Of course not."

The dragon sounded so sincere when he said this that the princess believed him. She sat down and

_____ Verb Past Tense _____, taking in every word. That day the princess learned an _____ Adjective _____ lesson about

dragons, and about believing everything others tell you.