Level 4-2 Beauty and the Beast

Workbook

Teacher's Guide and Answer Key

Teacher's Guide

A. Summary

1. Book Summary

Beauty was the daughter of a wealthy merchant. She was beautiful outside and inside. Then the merchant lost his wealth and became poor. One day, he went to get goods from a ship and got lost on the way home. He came to a beautiful palace where he found food to eat and a bed to sleep on. But he saw no one there. The next morning, as he was leaving, he picked a rose from the garden. Just then, an angry beast appeared. Pleading for his life, the merchant explained that the rose was for Beauty. The Beast made him promise to bring Beauty to the palace.

Beauty came and lived in the palace. Every day the Beast asked her to marry him. But because he was ugly, she always said no. Finally, the Beast asked her to never leave him and she agreed. However, she wanted to go home for a week to see her father. When she returned more than a week later, the Beast was dying. He missed Beauty so much that he could not eat. Beauty had come to love the Beast, and she asked him to marry her. Suddenly, the Beast changed into a handsome prince. He explained that a wicked fairy had turned him into a beast and only a beautiful woman who agreed to marry him could save him. The prince and Beauty were married and lived happily together.

2. Chapter Summary

► Chapter 1

Beauty was the daughter of a wealthy merchant. She was beautiful on the outside and on the inside. But she had two sisters who were only beautiful on the outside. Suddenly, the merchant lost his wealth, and the family had to move to a farm in the country.

► Chapter 2

One day, the merchant heard that a ship had come with his goods. The family would have money again. The two oldest daughters asked their father to buy them expensive things. But Beauty only wanted a rose.

However, when the merchant went to collect his goods, he realized that there was nothing for him, and he was as poor as before. On his way back home, he got lost in a storm and came to a palace. He did not find anyone inside, but he found food and drink and a bed.

► Chapter 3

The next morning, as the merchant was leaving the palace, he saw some beautiful roses. He picked one for Beauty, but suddenly an angry beast appeared. He was the owner of the palace, and he was unhappy that the merchant had taken his rose. The frightened merchant explained that he took the rose for his daughter. The Beast became interested and told him to send his daughter to the palace if he didn't want to die. The merchant agreed.

► Chapter 4

The merchant returned home and explained what had happened. Beauty agreed to go to the palace to save her father's life. They went back to the palace, and the Beast thanked the merchant for his honesty. Beauty was afraid of the Beast. Her father was allowed to stay one night.

► Chapter 5

The next morning, the merchant left, and he and Beauty cried. Later, Beauty looked around the palace and found a room with a sign that said "Beauty's Room." Inside the room was a library. There was a book that said Beauty was the queen there and she could have any wish. When she wished she could see her father, a looking glass appeared. Beauty saw her father looking sad. But her sisters looked happy because Beauty was gone.

► Chapter 6

At dinner, the Beast asked Beauty if he was ugly to her. Beauty did not want to lie, so she told him that he was kind. Then he asked if she would marry him. She said no.

For three months, they dined together each evening, and Beauty came to like the Beast. Every night he asked her to marry him, and the answer was always no. Finally, the Beast asked her to never leave him. She promised not to, but she wanted to see her father one more time. The Beast was unhappy, but he allowed her to go.

► Chapter 7

Beauty was away longer than the one week she had promised. She missed the Beast, and one night she had a dream about him. He seemed to be near death. Beauty immediately returned to the palace, but the Beast did not appear. She looked everywhere for him and finally found him, extremely weak. He had not eaten when she failed to return. Beauty told him that she loved him and begged him to marry her. Then music and a strange light began to shine. Suddenly, the Beast was gone, and standing before Beauty was a handsome

prince. The prince explained that a wicked fairy had turned him into a beast. To become a prince again, a beautiful woman had to agree to marry him. They were married and lived happily together.

B. Background and Themes

- ★ Love: Real love is not based on outside beauty.
- ★ Selfishness: If a person is beautiful but selfish, then that person is not truly beautiful.
- ★ Loyalty: Beauty was willing to give up her life to save her father.
- ★ True beauty: The Beast was really a very kind person underneath his ugliness.

Answer Key

Part A Story Focus

(Answers may vary.)

Before You Read

▶ Introduction

- 1. It was a story.
- 2. It is from France.
- 3. Jeanne-Marie Leprince de Beaumont rewrote it.

▶ Characters

1. Beast/Prince: scary, monster, rich

2. Beauty: beautiful, kind, young

3. Father: good, old, father

While You Read

(Answers may vary.)

► Chapter 1

A. Preview Questions

- 1. I think they are all sisters.
- 2. This looks like a scene from "Cinderella."
- 3. I think she will meet a prince.

B. Review Questions

- 1. The sisters were only beautiful on the outside, but Beauty was beautiful on the outside and inside.
- 2. The family suddenly became poor.
- 3. They had to work.

► Chapter 2

A. Preview Questions

- 1. I think he is caught in a storm.
- 2. I think he will go to the castle.
- 3. I think there is a rich and powerful man in the palace.

B. Review Questions

- 1. She wanted him to bring her a rose.
- 2. He could not get the goods and went home as poor as before.
- 3. He got lost.

► Chapter 3

A. Preview Questions

- 1. I think he is the owner of the palace.
- 2. I think he is angry because the merchant took his rose.

3. I think he is going to kill the merchant.

B. Review Questions

- 1. He was surprised because he found some magnificent clothes.
- 2. He picked a beautiful rose.
- 3. He was angry because he had treated the merchant kindly, but the merchant took his rose.

► Chapter 4

A. Preview Questions

- 1. She is in the palace of the Beast.
- 2. I think she will be a prisoner in the palace.
- 3. Yes, I think she will be friends with him.

B. Review Questions

- 1. She agreed to go to the Beast's palace.
- 2. They were happy.
- 3. Her father went with her.

► Chapter 5

A. Preview Questions

- 1. She is looking at her family in a mirror.
- 2. No, I don't think she's happy.
- 3. I think she is going to go home to see her father.

B. Review Questions

- 1. He made her the queen.
- 2. She wished to see her father.
- 3. She was able to see her family through a magic looking glass.

► Chapter 6

A. Preview Questions

- 1. I think he feels happy.
- 2. I think she feels sad.
- 3. I think he wants her to be his wife.

B. Review Questions

- 1. He asked her to marry him.
- 2. She promised that she would never leave him.
- 3. She wanted to visit her family for one week.

► Chapter 7

A. Preview Questions

- 1. He is a prince.
- 2. They are at the Beast's palace.
- 3. Yes, I think they will be married.

B. Review Questions

- 1. She dreamed that he was near death.
- 2. She used a magic gold ring that the Beast gave her.
- 3. He had to get a beautiful woman to agree to marry him.

Mini Quiz

- a. A leopard cannot change its spots.
 - → A person who is bad will probably always be bad.
- b. A picture is worth a thousand words.
 - → It is much easier to show how something is done than it is to tell how something is done.
- c. You cannot judge a book by its cover.
 - → A pretty face does not necessarily mean a good heart, and an ugly face does not necessarily mean a bad heart.

After You Read

(Answers may vary.)

▶ Pattern Practice

- 4. A: Will you eat lunch with me?
 - B: No, I'm sorry. I have an appointment.
- 5. A: Will you go to the library for me?
 - B: Yes, I don't mind doing that.

▶ Challenge

- 1. It will be beautiful inside. There will be very large rooms made of shiny stone. There will be a lot of beautiful things. There will be beautiful paintings on the wall.
- 2. My bedroom will have a huge bed. It will be big enough for ten people to sleep on.
- 3. I will eat steak, potatoes, salad, and pudding.
- 4. There will be all kinds of animals, like dogs, horses, deer, fish, and birds.

Part B Skill Focus

Vocabulary Preview

A.

Across

2. unkind 4. however 5. magnificent

7. promise 8. fairy 9. beg

Down

suddenly
 terrible
 handsome
 grief

В.

- 1. Suddenly, the merchant
- 2. However, her sisters
- 3. Life is terrible
- 4. collect his goods
- 5. explore the palace
- 6. crazy with grief
- 7. dine with the Beast

Reading Comprehension

► Beginning: Chapters 1–2

A.

1. T 2. T 3. F 4. T 5. F

В.

- 1. He is Beauty's father.
- 2. He is a merchant.
- 3. He is not rich.
- 4. He needs help.

C.

1. c 2. b 3. d 4. a 5. b 6. d

► Middle: Chapters 3–5

A.

1. F 2. T 3. T 4. F 5. F

В.

- 1. Merchant
- 2. Beast
- 3. Merchant
- 4. Beauty

C.

1. d 2. c 3. c 4. b 5. a 6. c

► End: Chapters 6–7

Α.

1. T 2. F 3. T 4. F 5. T

В.

 $b \to c \to d \to a$

C.

 $1. \ b \quad \ 2. \ c \quad \ 3. \ d \quad \ 4. \ d \quad \ 5. \ b \quad \ 6. \ a$

Think and Write

(Order may vary.)

Causes: 1. The merchant was lost.

2. The merchant found a palace.

Event 1: The merchant met the Beast.

Consequence: Beauty went to the palace.

Causes: 1. The Beast loved Beauty.

2. Beauty went home.

Event 2: The Beast nearly died.

Consequence: The Beast became a prince.

Vocabulary Review

1. merchant 2. farm 3. magnificent 4. crazy 5. honesty

6. roar 7. beast 8. beloved 9. dined 10. However

Summary

A.

$$b \rightarrow e \rightarrow a \rightarrow d \rightarrow c$$

В.

1. One night, the merchant got lost and found a palace.

2. The Beast told the merchant to bring his daughter.

3. The Beast turned into a prince and married Beauty.

Book Report

Story 1. merchant 2. palace 3. beast 4. rose 5. However