

The Little Mermaid

Reader

Answer Key



Page 47 – Activity 1

- 1 c
- 2 b
- 3 d
- 4 a

Page 48 – Activity 2

- 1 yes
- 2 yes
- 3 no
- 4 yes
- 5 no

Page 49 – Activity 3

- 1 mermaid
- 2 princess
- 3 prince
- 4 palace

Page 50 – Activity 4

- 1 The little mermaid’s sisters were **older** than her.
- 2 The sisters could see **people** on the land.
- 3 The little mermaid couldn’t swim above the water, because she was too **young**.
- 4 The sisters told the little mermaid about people who **walked** on two legs.

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- 1 A few years later, the little mermaid **swam** above the water for the first time.
- 2 She saw a young **prince** with a lovely face.
- 3 He had long, brown hair and two **legs**.
- 4 When she saw him, she knew that she **loved** him.

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- 3
- 4
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- 1 storm
- 2 ship
- 3 prince
- 4 mermaid
- 5 land

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Reader’s own answers

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| 1 a | 2 b |
| 3 a | 4 a |

Page 56 – Activity 10

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| 1 sisters | 2 where |
| 3 there | 4 sister |

Page 57 – Activity 11

- 1 The magic woman of the **ocean** was a mermaid.
- 2 The magic **woman** of the ocean had a magic drink.
- 3 She told the little mermaid, “This will turn your **tail** into legs.”
- 4 “If you drink it, you will not **speak** until the prince loves you.”
- 5 “After you drink this, you will go to **sleep**.”

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- 1 Now, the little mermaid **could** walk on her two new legs.
- 2 The little mermaid **couldn't** speak when the prince asked her a question.
- 3 The little mermaid **could** stay in the prince's palace.
- 4 “**Can't** you speak?” the prince asked the little mermaid.
- 5 The little mermaid **couldn't** tell the prince that she loved him.

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- 1 One day, a beautiful princess **came** to the palace.
- 2 The little mermaid watched the prince while he **walked** with the princess.
- 3 They **talked**, and the prince looked happy.
- 4 The little mermaid **felt** very sad.

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Reader's own answers

Model answers

- 1 No, she cannot go back to her family.
- 2 Yes, she will be happy because she is with the prince.
- 3 I think that she will miss swimming with her family.

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- 3 The magic drink changed the little mermaid's tail into legs.
- 1 After the little mermaid saved the prince, she told her sisters that she loved him.
- 5 The prince asked the little mermaid to marry him.
- 2 The little mermaid's sisters told her to go to see the magic woman of the ocean.
- 4 The prince did not want to marry the princess.

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Reader's own answers

Model answers

- 1 Do mermaids really live in the ocean?
No, mermaids only live in the ocean in stories!
- 2 Would you like to be a mermaid?
Yes, I would.
- 3 What do mermaids do every day, do you think?
They swim and play.
- 4 What do mermaids eat, do you think?
I think mermaids eat fish.