

# Unit 5

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## Reader's Notebook: The Princess and the Pizza

### Questions for The Princess and the Pizza

Write your responses to the questions below.

1 Why is the princess living like an ordinary person?

Her dad quit being king to become a wood carver.

2 Why does she enter the contest?

She wants her princess life back.

3 Make an inference: Why were the seven bright-eyed princesses sent home?

They look bright eyed in the morning, so they must have slept well. That means they're not real princesses.

4 What were the rest of the tests to see who gets the prince?

"Why I want Queen Zelda for my mother-in-law" essays, glass slipper fitting, cook a feast.

5 Make some more inferences: Who are the other princesses on page 112? What details lead you to think that?

One was Snow White because she was followed by seven little men, or the seven dwarfs. The other was Rapunzel because she had very long hair.

6 What problems did Paulina have making the food?

Rapunzel tripped her, and the dwarves stole most of the food for cooking.

7 Paulina says she's had it and is going home. Why does she change her mind?

The contest is just too hard when she is being sabotaged.

8 How does she end up making pizza?

She tried making bread but the dough stuck to the pan. She sprinkled the tomatoes and cheese on top, tossed garlic and herbs over the top, then put it in the fireplace.

9 How did it get the name pizza?

Paulina muttered, "Oh, for Pete's sake" and was overheard. In trying to cover it up, she said, "It's Pete's...ah..." and the queen thought she said pizza.

10 Why did Paulina choose to leave?

She opened a pizza restaurant.



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