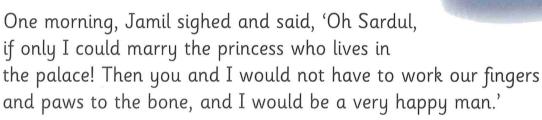
Traditional tale: 'Jamil's Clever Cat'

From 'Jamil's Clever Cat' by Fiona French with Nick Newby

Jamil the weaver lived on the poor side of town. He had a cat called Sardul, a very clever cat. Each night, while Jamil was asleep, Sardul wove material for his master to make into tunics and saris.



Sardul thought for a minute. Then he said, 'Give me the best waistcoat and the most beautiful sari we have made, Master, and I can make your dream come true.'

Get started

Copy the sentences and complete them using words from the story.

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Ask a teacher for help with any words in the story you do not know. Write a sentence to answer each question.

- 1. What did Sardul do at night?
- 2. What did Jamil do with the material Sardul wove?
- **3.** Why did Jamil want to marry the princess?
- 4. Why was Jamil lucky to have Sardul?



Now try these

- 1. What do you think Sardul's plan might be? Make notes about his plan.
- 2. Draw a picture of Jamil and Sardul meeting the princess. Add a sentence to show what the princess is thinking.



