

The Golden Hair

Cocoa is sharing her favourite short story with her classmates. Let's read the story!

Once upon a time, a king and a queen lived in a castle with their daughter Princess Wendy, who had very long golden hair.

One day, the king and the queen found their daughter missing! The queen was so worried. But the king comforted her and said, 'We **will** find her. She **will** be fine.'

In fact, Wendy was **kidnapped**² and **locked up**³ in a tower by an evil witch. She sang loudly day and night, hoping someone could find her. Finally when the witch was not there one afternoon, a prince passed by. He heard Wendy and decided to help her. 'Let your hair **down**⁴. I **am going to** climb it and **rescue**⁵ you!'

In the end, the prince brought Wendy back to her parents. 'You are my **life-saver**⁶! Are you **going to** stay with me?' Wendy asked. The prince replied, 'Of course! I **am going to** stay with you forever! Would you marry me?'

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CLASSROOM EDUCATOR'S TIPS

We use 'will' to talk about things we think will happen in the future. We use 'be going to' to talk about things we plan to do in the future.

e.g.

Kelly **will** travel to Japan next month.
We **are going to** hold a birthday party for Lily next week.

Vocabulary

1. golden 金色的 2. kidnap 綁架 3. lock up 監禁 4. let...down 放下 5. rescue 拯救 6. life-saver 救命恩人

