

# Imagine Your Story: **The Princess and the Pea**



Join Ms. Lisa  
**LIVE at 2pm,**  
**Tuesday, June 9**  
for a story and  
craft with the  
items in your  
Princess and the  
Pea activity  
pack!

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This story was written  
in Danish by  
Hans Christian  
Andersen  
In 1835 originally  
under the title  
*The Real Princess.*

This fairytale is about a prince who wanted to marry a real princess. One day a girl knocked at the door of the castle, lost, and all wet from the rain. Even though the girl claimed she was a princess, the Queen wasn't convinced. She presented one test to prove that the girl was a real princess. She set a single pea, under dozens of mattresses and blankets, to check whether the princess would feel it that night while she slept. The next morning when she awoke, the princess said she did not sleep well because she felt like she was sleeping on something hard. They realized she was a princess because she felt the pea underneath her and the prince asked for her hand in marriage!

# Princess and the Pea

## Cookie Recipe

### Ingredients:

- 1 cup peanut butter
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 egg
- Jam or Jelly
- Green M&Ms
- Parchment paper

**ALLERGEN ALERT!**

**THIS RECIPE CONTAINS PEANUTS!**

### ADULT SUPERVISION REQUIRED!

**PLEASE ASK AN ADULT TO HELP YOU WHEN MAKING THIS RECIPE, ESPECIALLY WITH USE OF THE OVEN!**

### Directions:

1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees Fahrenheit.
2. Mix peanut butter, sugar, and egg with an electric mixer until smooth.
3. Form dough into tablespoon sized balls. Place on parchment paper lined cookie sheet. Flatten with fork in a crisscross pattern.
4. Bake for 6-8 minutes. Remove from oven and let cool.
5. Once cooled, spread jam on top of one cookie, place an M&M in the middle, and then top it with another cookie to make a sandwich.

# ENJOY!

### Looking for more Princess and the Pea? These adaptations can be found in our library:

*LA PRINCESA AND THE PEA* (Bilingual) by Susan Middleton Elya (SPA JUV E ELY)

*THE PRINCESS AND THE PEA = LA PRINCESSA Y EL GUISANTE* (Bilingual) by Carol Ottolenghi (SPA JUV 398.2 OTT)

*LA PRINCESA Y EL GUISANTE = THE PRINCESS AND THE PEA: "A PEA IN A POD"* by Francesc Boada (SPA JUV E BOA)

*LA PRINCESA DEL GUISANTE: VERSIÓN DEL CUENTO DE HANS CHRISTIAN ANDERSEN* by Susan Blackaby (SPA BEGINNER FIC BLA)

*THE PRINCESS AND THE PEA* by Chloe Perkins (BOARD PER)

*YOU READ TO ME, I'LL READ TO YOU: VERY SHORT FAIRY TALES TO READ TOGETHER* by Mary Ann Hoberman (JUV 428.6 HOB)

*GRUMBLES FROM THE FOREST: FAIRY-TALE VOICES WITH A TWIST: POEMS* by Jane Yolen (E YOL)

*THE PRINCESS TEST* by Gail Carson Levine (JUV FIC LEV)

*TWO PEAS IN A POD* by Sarah Mlynowski (JUV FIC MLY)