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INSPECTOR FOX - CASE #90771063: Prosecution Report for aggravated burglary.			
Victim:	Baby Bear	Perpetrator:	Goldilocks

**Official Police Report:** filed by Inspector Fox, Fairytale Police, 11.5.17 - Case for the Prosecution of Goldilocks

On Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2017, I was called to Bear Cottage in Fairyland Woods. Since I had been there several times, I decided to walk and take in more of the scene of crime.

While I was walking the route, I noticed several flowerbeds had been trampled on and many of the flowers picked and then discarded on the path. Child-sized footprints similar to those of the perpetrator - Goldilocks - were found in this area. The footprints led to a small enclosure within the woods where the home of the Three Bears lies, towards the centre of Fairytale Woods. The case for the prosecution submits this as evidence that Goldilocks has uncontrollable vandalism issues.

Several witnesses said they had seen the offender walking this pathway at her leisure earlier in the week. One eye-witness, a Raccoon named Pete, said he saw her “scoping out the Three Bears’ house”. This is evidence of a premeditated act of burglary.

On arriving at the scene of crime, Bear Cottage, I found the door wide open, hanging from one hinge. A bicycle lay outside next to the door with a puncture in both tyres. On closer inspection, damage to both tyres appeared to be deliberate. This fits with the *modus operandi* of the perpetrator and we submit to the court that this was another spiteful act of vandalism.

The picture within was one of complete devastation. No room was left unsullied by this mindless creature. The following description is an attempt to capture the true scale of the destruction:

At the kitchen table, bowls of porridge were scattered and spilled. The largest dish was chipped, the middle-sized dish was overturned, while the smallest dish had been scraped so violently that the pattern had been scrubbed away.

In the lounge, chairs were scattered and many of the cushions were wrinkled, indicating that they had been the victims of severe bouncing. Clearly, the thoughtless criminal was determined to find pleasure in destroying other people’s precious furniture. A small chair was found to be smashed beyond repair, belonging to innocent Baby Bear. It is difficult to measure the impact this has had on such a young person.

Since his treasured bowl, bicycle and chair had been attacked, it is clear to the prosecution that Goldilocks had targeted the youngest member of the family in this vile act of jealousy.

Upstairs, the bedroom was in a similar state: carelessly ruffled bed clothes, muddy shoe prints on the duvet covers and a very badly slept-in small bed. Again, the property of Baby Bear.

Goldilocks was captured while sleeping, following her heinous act of vindictive burglary and incarcerated in Fairytale Prison where she awaits trial.

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END OF PROSECUTION REPORT. COURT DATE: 16.5.17

Judge Cindy(rella)

### W.A.L.T. draw inferences from a text

1. Read the text. Underline words you are unfamiliar with in **blue pen**.  
In your book, write one of the words you underlined. Guess its meaning from the sentence it is in. Check if you are right using a dictionary. Write the dictionary definition if it is different from yours.
2. In your book, make a list of the crimes that Mr Fox claims were done by Goldilocks. Use a heading to organise your list.
3. **Highlight parts of the text** which suggest that the author has used the evidence to 'frame' Goldilocks - **to make it seem like it was her, when it could have been anyone**.

Write one of these **highlighted** parts in your book. Write down why you think this evidence could be false.

4. Put a star \* next to any part of the text which shows Mr Fox is **biased** against Goldilocks. Copy it into your book. Use a heading to organise your work.
5. Inspector Fox picks his words carefully in his report  
What do these phrases infer about Goldilocks?



Report statement:	This infers (suggests) that...
<p>several flowerbeds had been trampled on and many of the flowers picked and then discarded</p>	
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<p>damage to both tyres appeared to be deliberate</p>	
<p>the smallest dish had been scraped so violently that the pattern had been scrubbed away</p>	
	<p>He thinks Goldilocks must have been on the bed in her muddy shoes. He is suggesting she does not care about other people's property.</p>

