

GLOSSARY

- abracadabra** a magic word
- jinnee** a supernatural, magic spirit in Arabic stories
- lazy** a lazy person does not want to work
- magic** when strange, exciting, unusual things happen
- magician** a man in stories who can do magic
- marry** to take somebody as your husband or wife
- master** a man who gives orders to servants and slaves
- mistress** a woman who gives orders to servants and slaves
- obey** to do what somebody tells you
- poor** with very little money; not rich
- protect** to keep somebody (or something) safe
- slave** a worker who belongs to another person and who must
work for that person for no money
- sleeping-powder** something which makes you sleep
- Sultan** a king; the most important man in an eastern country
- surprised** when something new, strange, or sudden happens,
you are surprised
- uncle** the brother of your mother or father
- unhappy** not happy
- Vizier** an important man in an eastern country
- wish** something you want
- Your Majesty** when you speak to a Sultan, a King, or a Queen,
you say 'Your Majesty'