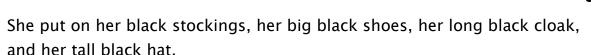


Once upon a time there was a witch called Meg. At midnight the owl hooted 3 times and woke her up. She got out of bed to dress for the spell party.



She went down the stairs to cook breakfast.

In the kitchen lay her big striped cat Mog. He was fast asleep. She trod on Mog's tail.

She took out of her cupboard 3 eggs, bread, cocoa, milk, a kipper and jam. She put it all in her cauldron and stirred it up. There was plenty of breakfast for everyone.

At 1 o'clock she got her broomstick, her cauldron and a spider. She flew up the chimney with Mog.

Up in the sky, she met her friends going to the party. Bess, Jess, Tess and Cress.

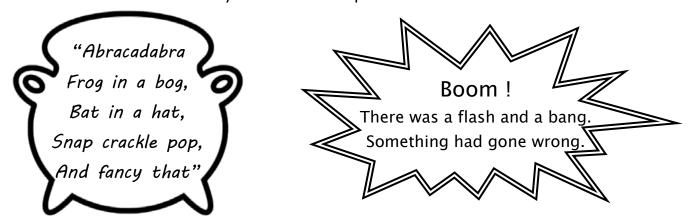
They landed on a hill in the moonlight to make the spell.

Each of them had brought something to put in the cauldron.

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They all stirred the cauldron as they chanted their spell.



Bess, Jess, Tess and Cress all changed into mice and Mog chased them.

"I'll have to change them back, next Halloween."

