

# Mister Fairy



## Book Information

<b>Author</b>	Morgane de Cadier
<b>Illustrator</b>	Florian Pige
<b>Publisher</b>	Red Comet Press/2018
<b>Ages</b>	4–8
<b>Genre</b>	Fiction
<b>Text Structure</b>	Third person narrative
<b>Themes &amp; Ideas</b>	Fairies, fitting in, self discovery, finding one's place in the world, everyone has a gift to share
<b>Language &amp; Literary Features</b>	Bolded words illustrate emphasis
<b>Sentence Complexity</b>	Simple, compound, and complex sentences
<b>Vocabulary</b>	wand, fluff, sighs, colorless, gloom, drab, confidently
<b>Special Vocabulary</b>	fairies, self-discovery, positive affirmations
<b>Illustrations</b>	Delightful illustrations make characters come to life

## Story Summary

Mister Fairy isn't like the other fairies. They all have special talents—but when Mister Fairy tries to copy them, it never turns out right. Morning fairies wake everyone up. Mister Fairy can barely get up in time for breakfast. Boo-boo fairies fix and heal and make things all better. When Mister Fairy waves his wand, the trees just turn to fluff.

One day, sad and unhappy, Mister Fairy decides he's had enough. He leaves the forest. But then he learns something he didn't expect—a secret that makes him see the world quite a bit differently. Will Mister Fairy find a place among the other fairies? Or will he always be an outsider, even with his discovery?



### Focus

Self-Discovery

## Activity Ideas

### Writing/Drawing

Write a story about how you can spread joy. Illustrate.

### Fairy Garden

Make a fairy garden using items you find from outside.

### Positive Affirmations

Write a list/make cards of positive affirmations about yourself.

*Additional activities can be found in the following pages of this document.*

# Mister Fairy

Mister Fairy doesn't fit in with the other fairies. So, he decides to leave the forest—and learns something unexpected.

Discuss the story and write your answers together.

**What is *Mister Fairy* about?**

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**Describe a time when you, or someone you know, has felt useless.**

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**Who or what can make you sad?**

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**Who or what can make you happy?**

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**What is something that you do to cheer up someone who is sad or feeling useless?**

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Mister Fairy finally realized that although he could not wake the forest or magic a kiss, he could make it all better in his own special way.



# Drawing and Writing

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Everyone has a gift to share. Write a story about sharing your gift.  
Illustrate.



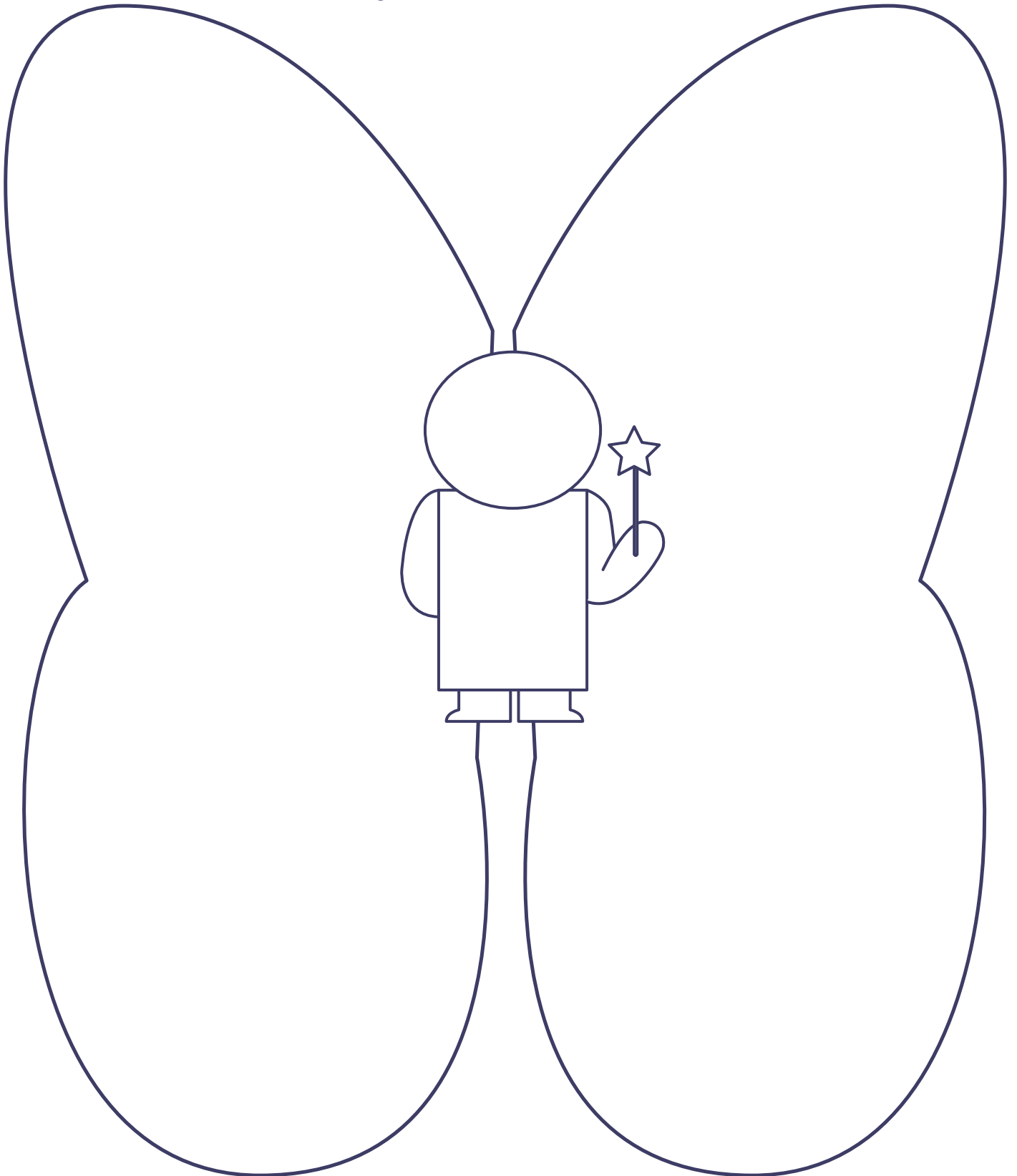
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## Fairy Wings

In *Mister Fairy*, the fairy learns that he is special in his own way and he is the only fairy that can bring color and laughter back to the forest. What makes you special? Color the fairy below and then, add two things that make you special. Write each one in the wings.



# 🕒 Positive Word Scratch Art

## Materials

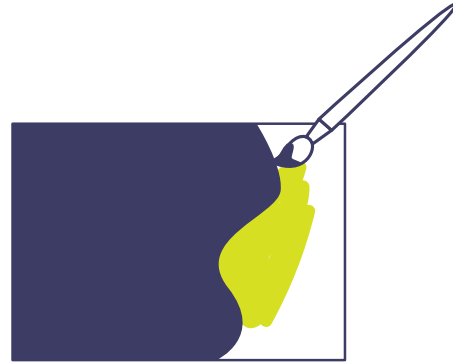
- Oil pastels
- Black tempera paint
- Paint brushes
- Cardstock
- Bobby pins or toothpicks

## Directions

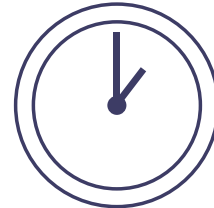
1. Color the entire piece of card stock with all different colors of oil pastels.
2. Paint over the oil pastel colors with black tempera paint.
3. Let the paint dry completely. If it's at all still wet, the paper will peel when you try to scratch the paint off.
4. Use a bobby pin or toothpick and begin to scratch a positive word or sentence into the paint. The paint should easily come off and the colors will be revealed below.



STEP 1



STEP 2



STEP 3



STEP 4