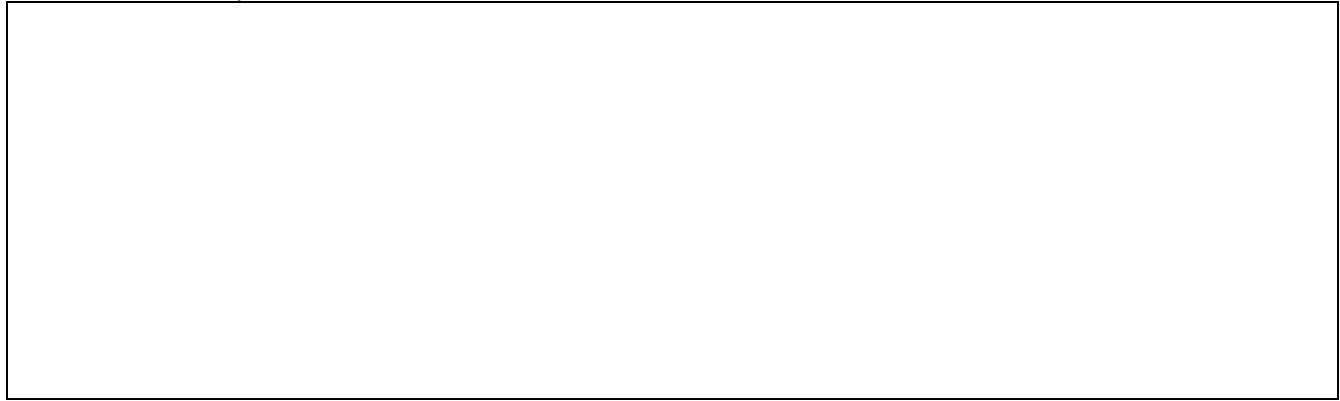


Stella the Chemist

Illustrate the story here:



Today at school, Miss Chang's students talked about the jobs they wanted to have when they grow up. Kenya, Wendy, and Gavin wanted to be artists. Hugo and Seema wanted to be farmers. Taylor wanted to be a dentist. Each student seemed excited, except for Stella.

Ever since she could remember, Stella has always wanted to be a doctor so she could help people. However, Stella is quite squeamish. If she sees needles or blood, her face turns a palish color, and she does not feel well.

"Have you ever thought about being a chemist instead?" Miss Chang asked Stella. "What does a chemist do?" Stella asked. Miss Chang explained that chemists conduct experiments, learn, and solve problems.

"Stella, you are bookish, so you love to read and learn. You are a hard worker, who is not foolish. You like to use your imagination and discover new things. All these features will make you a great chemist." Even though this was a newish idea, Stella was already getting excited. "Being a chemist seems like the best decision for me!" exclaimed Stella.