

## An Unforgettable Piano Competition



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Last Sunday, Sandy entered a piano competition in a hall. Sandy was nervous because she had never joined a piano competition before and she was the first one to perform on the stage.



When Sandy walked onto the stage, she could feel butterflies in her stomach. Sandy's heart was pounding like a drum. At first, Sandy could not play the piano well because her hands kept shaking.





***Suddenly, Sandy saw her family in the audience. Her family came to support her. Then, she remembered what her mum told her last night.***

***'You should never give up and keep trying.' Sandy's mum told her gently as she patted her head.***





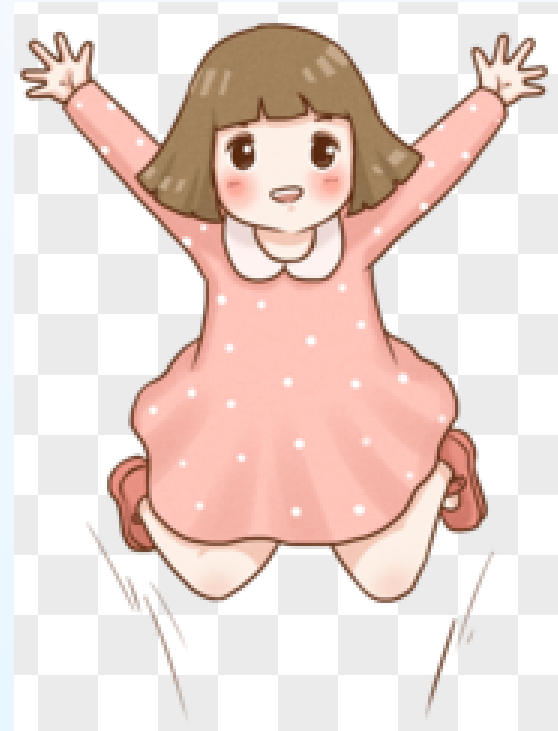
***Therefore, Sandy started playing the piano again calmly.***

***She played the song beautifully and perfectly. The audience all applauded for her and gave her a standing ovation. Sandy was grinning from ear to ear.***



Finally, Sandy won a gold medal and she was delighted. A smile spread across her face. Sandy jumped up and down with joy.

'Hurray! I got a first place !' she exclaimed with excitement.



Sandy learnt that confidence was important. She would try to believe in herself more in the future.



