



Hi, I'm Thea Stilton, Geronimo Stilton's sister! I am a special reporter for The Rodent's Gazette, the most famous newspaper on Mouse Island. I love traveling and meeting new mice all over the world, like the Thea Sisters. These five friends have helped me out with my adventures. Let me introduce you to these fabumouse young mice!



**Colette** has a real passion for fashion. She loves to design her own clothes in her favorite color, pink.



**Violet** loves studying and learning new things. She is a fan of classical music and dreams of becoming a famous violinist someday.





**Pamela** loves pizza so much she eats it for breakfast. She is a skilled mechanic who can fix just about any motor she gets her paws on.



**PAULINA** is shy and loves to read about faraway places. But she loves traveling to those places even more.



**Nicky** is from the Australian outback, where she developed a love of nature and the environment. This outdoors-loving mouse is always on the move.



The Sisters





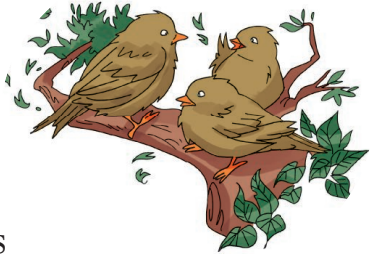
# SPRING FEVER STRIKES AT MOUSEFORD!

After a **cold** and rainy winter, spring had finally arrived on Whale Island. All over the Mouseford Academy campus, birds were chirping and *flowers* were budding.

As for the students, they had a full-blown case of **SPRING FEVER!**

The mouselets in the **LIZARDS** — Mouseford's

club for girl mice — were meeting in the garden to plan their spring activities. Their first topic: **journalism** class!



Tanja, the club's president, mentioned the



latest assignment from Professor Rattcliff. The professor had asked her students to publish their own **newspaper**, and Tanja wanted the Lizards to create a **BLOG** to go along with it. All the mouselets were **excited** about the idea.

“When you think about it, every one of us is **crazy** about a different subject,” Tanja pointed out.

“Right!” said Colette enthusiastically.





“So we can each pick a **favorite** issue to **REPORT** on.”

Violet agreed. “Yes! There can be sections on history, current events, new cheeses, fashion, and sports.”

“I’ll create the website for our blog,” offered Paulina, who was a technology **EXPERT**.

“Of course, we can’t do a newspaper without a *gossip* column,” said **Ruby Flashyfur**, her eyes **gleaming**.

Tanja nodded. “Why not? That sounds **FUN**.”

The Thea Sisters — **Colette**, **Nicky**, **Pamela**, **PAULINA**, and **Violet** — weren’t so sure. A gossip column sounded like a convenient excuse for spreading **rumors**, and they all knew Ruby loved to make **trouble** . . .

