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Currently there are 15 doors on the library property.



Door #62- A dusting of flour and sugar cover everything behind this door. Ginger loves to bake and her sugary confections are divine. As much as she loves baking, Ginger loves to share her goodies with new friends and neighbors. Tea and cookies with her new friend Merlin is such fun. So if you catch a whiff of lavender and vanilla you'll know she's baking.

Door #4 - Avery runs this area's fairy flight school. When she's not in class teaching new fairies to fly, she's out learning new techniques from the birds, butterflies, bats, bees, dragonflies . . . . well anything that flies. Her most favorite thing is learning how to swoop and do loop de loops from the goldfinches and the hummingbirds are teaching her to fly backwards!

Door #98 - Prose is a teller of stories. She spends much of her day visiting friends of all kinds collecting tales and experiences that she can later turn into a story to share with the fairies. She even visits the mice families, to learn a few tips and tricks, because mice are the best storytellers! Every week, Prose shares her stories at the fairy festival.

<u>Door #52</u> - Like any water fairy Periwinkle likes living by the "sea," where she can talk to fish and play with the tadpoles. During her free time she likes to sit by the water and fish, (unlike human fishing, fairy fishing is for feeding and making friends, not for catching). She could spend all day there fishing and watching the sparkles on the water.

<u>Door #245</u> - If you need to roundup a herd of ladybugs, Lacey is the fairy you need. Lacey tends the local ladybug herds and moves them to the gardens that need them the most. It's not an easy job, ladybugs have a mind of their own and they like to wander, plus they fly. So she has to be quick on her wings to keep all of her loveliness in line.

Door #11 - Now this door may look a little dark and scary, and that is how Needle likes it. Needle is a little bit grumpy and doesn't like company. But put him with a group of spiders and he's as happy as can be. That is why Needle makes the most wonderful spider silk creations of all. Unfortunately for him, every fairy wants one.

Door #7 1/2 - Mistral is a musician who likes to create beautiful melodies on his needle piano, acorn lute or reed flutes. Lately his tunes have been a little sad. His twin sister Flitter, who loves to dance, has taken a trip and it has left Mistral a little lonely. Luckily a new friend has moved in next door and maybe her creations will soon cheer him up.

Door #45 - Dash is a bright, playful and cheeky fairy, but you have to be when you're a squirrel sitter. Dash just loves playing hide and seek, pass the acorn, and way up high with all his little friends. So if you happen to see a squirrel scampering around the library grounds, keep an eye out for mischievous little Dash riding along.

Door #189 - Have you ever wondered who builds fairy doors? Ridge of the Fairy Construction Crew is in charge of making and installing all the fairy doors. He loves being creative, trying to make the best door to match his friends' talents. Making fairy doors takes a special kind of talent and Ridge is a master of making something beautiful from wood, paint, time and of course a touch of magic.