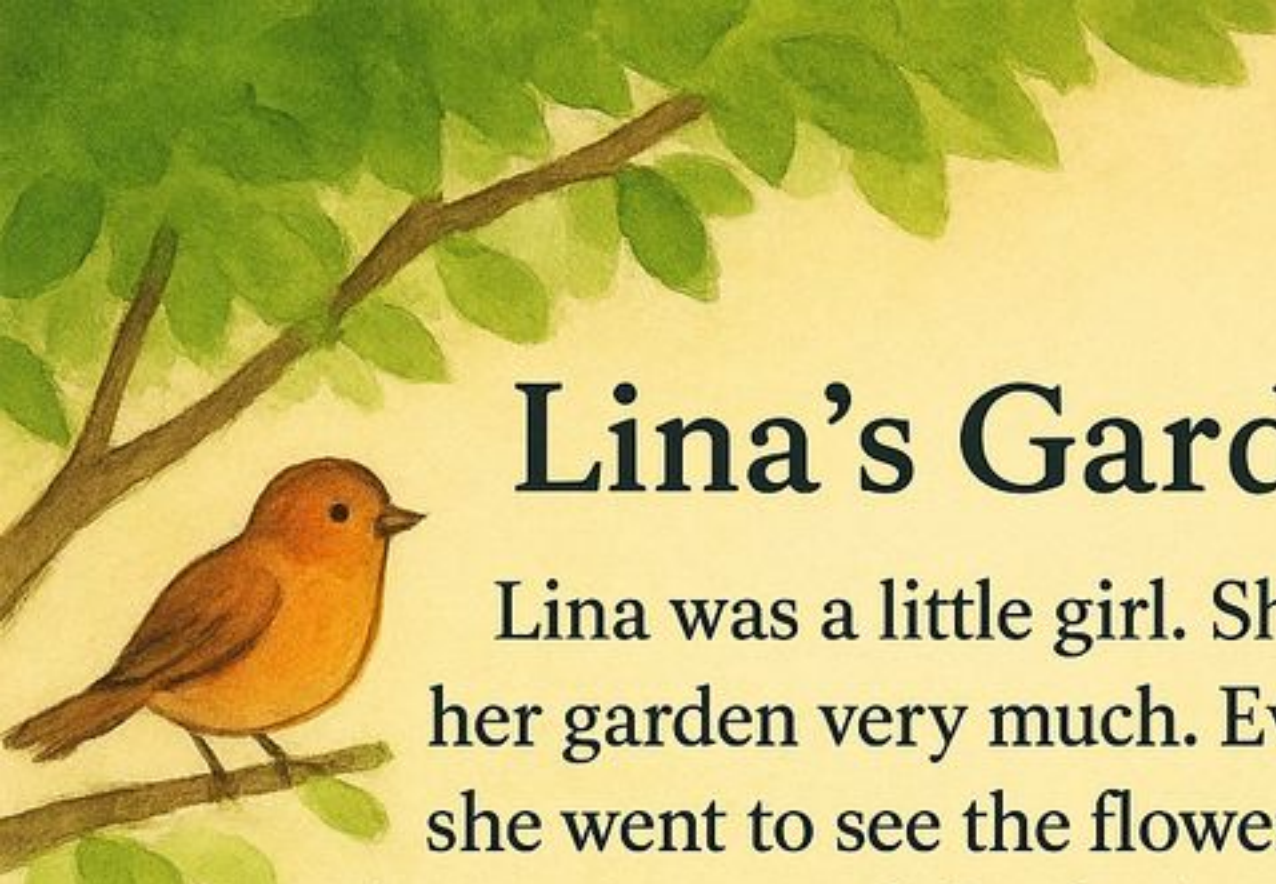




Lina's Garden



Lina was a little girl. She loved her garden very much. Every morning she went to see the flowers and birds.

The garden was full of colors and made Lina happy. The neighbors also liked it.

Lina said: "This garden is for everyone."



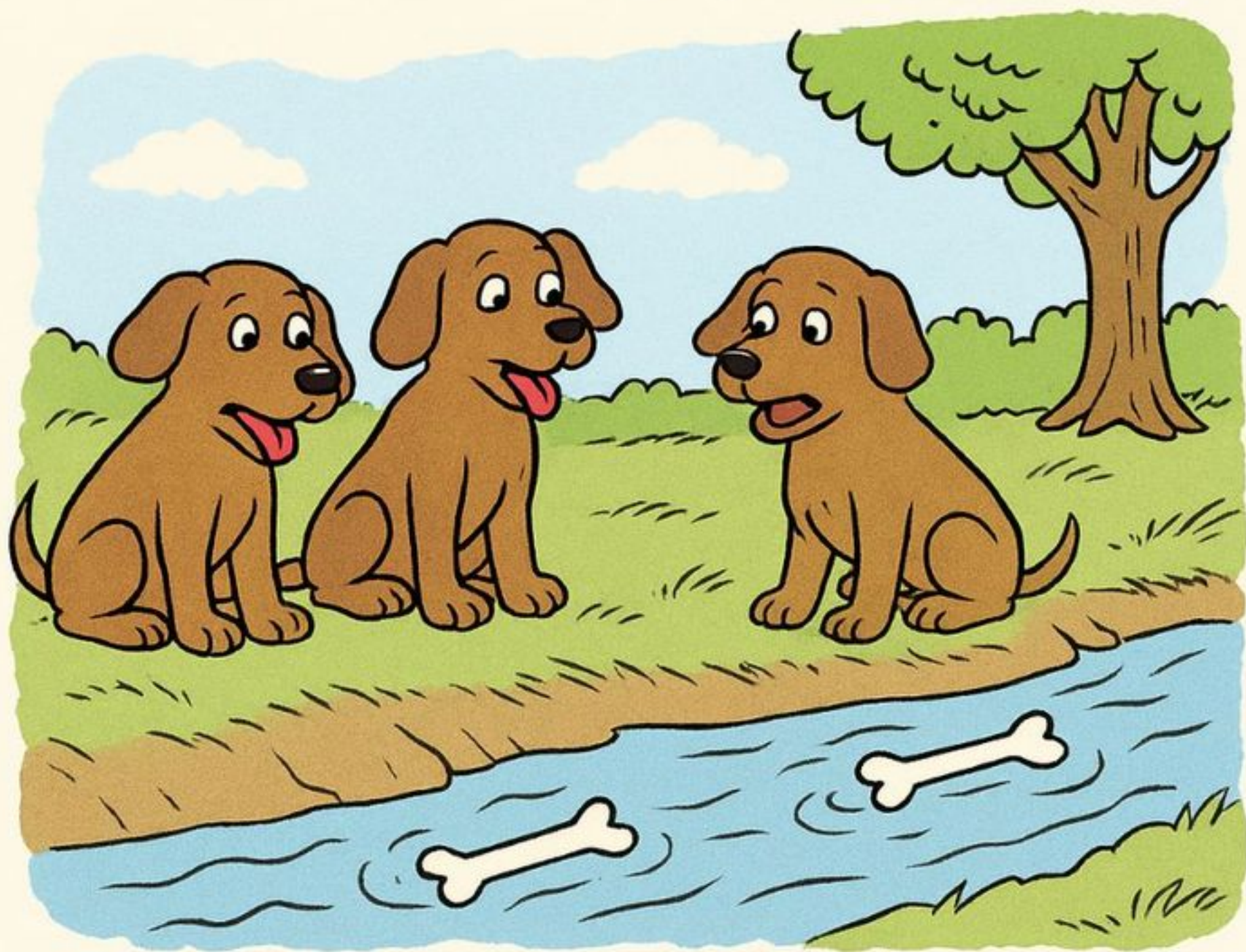
The Value of Telling the Truth



One day, Ben was playing with a ball inside the house. By mistake, he knocked over a vase and broke it. He got scared and thought about hiding the truth. Then he remembered how his mother always told him that honesty is important. So, Ben took a deep breath and told her what had happened. To his surprise, his mom was not angry. She thanked him for being honest and simply reminded him to be more careful next time. From that day, Ben understood that telling the truth helps build trust and makes relationships stronger.

Moral: Being honest builds trust and respect.

The Hungry Dogs



Once, there were three dogs who were good friends. One day, they became very hungry. They searched everywhere for food but couldn't find anything.

Suddenly, they saw some bones floating in a stream. They tried to grab the bones but couldn't reach them. Then they thought of a foolish idea—to drink all the water in the stream so they could get to the bones.

All three dogs started drinking the water. Soon their stomachs were full and swollen, but they kept drinking. Their bellies grew bigger and bigger until they finally burst. Sadly, all three dogs died.

The Lost Hat

One sunny morning, Lily the bunny hopped out of her burrow, excited to play outside. She put on her favorite red hat, the one with a blue flower on it. “I’ll wear this all day!” she said happily as she skipped toward the meadow to pick flowers and chase butterflies.



Lily played with her friends Max the squirrel and Bella the bird. They laughed and ran and flew around the tall grass. But when Lily sat down to rest, she realized something was missing—her red hat! “Oh no!” she cried. “I must have lost it while we were playing!”



Max and Bella quickly offered to help. “Let’s retrace your steps,” Max said. They searched near the pond, under the trees, and even inside a hollow log. Still, no red hat. Lily felt sad. “Maybe I’ll never find it.” she sighed.

Just then, Bella flew high into the sky and shouted, “I see something red near the flowers!” Everyone rushed over. There, caught on a bush, was Lily’s hat, gently swaying in the breeze. “Hooray!” Lily cheered as she hugged her friends. “Thank you for helping me!”



THE FOX AND THE MONKEY KING

In a forest, the animals chose a monkey to be their king. The fox was not happy about this and wanted to prove that the monkey was unfit to lead.

One day, the fox saw a piece of bread lying on the path. He quickly realized it was a trap. Pretending to be loyal, he invited the monkey king to come and see it. The monkey, without thinking, went to the spot and got caught in the trap.

The fox laughed and said, “If you are not wise enough to protect yourself, how can you guide and protect others?”



My Favourite Season

My name is Sara. I am nine years old.

My favourite season is summer. In summer, the weather is hot and sunny.



I wear a T-Shirt, shorts and sandals.

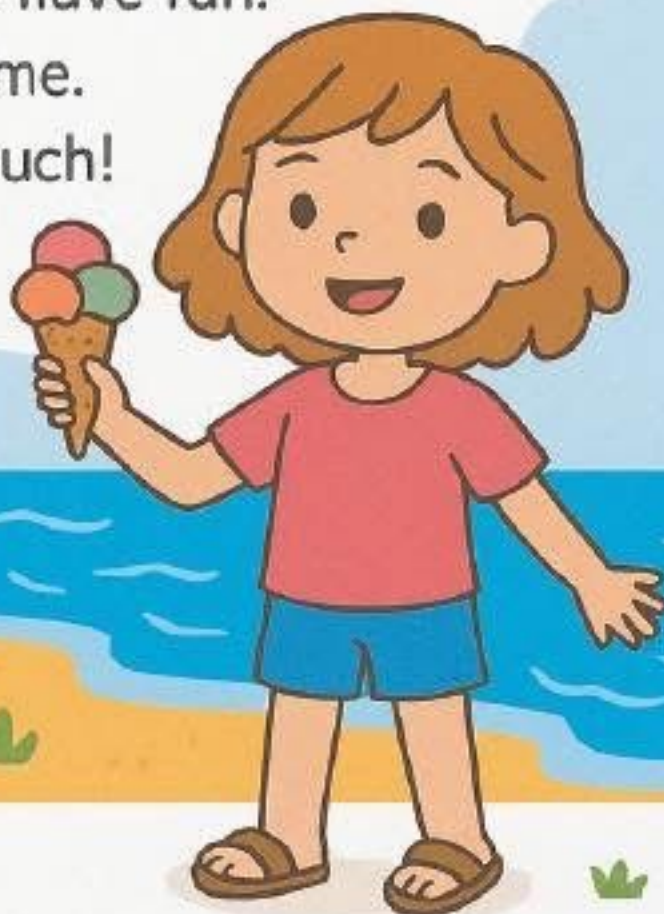
I like summer because I can go to the beach.

I swim in the sea and play with my friends.

We eat ice cream and have fun.

Summer is a happy time.

I love summer very much!



Questions:

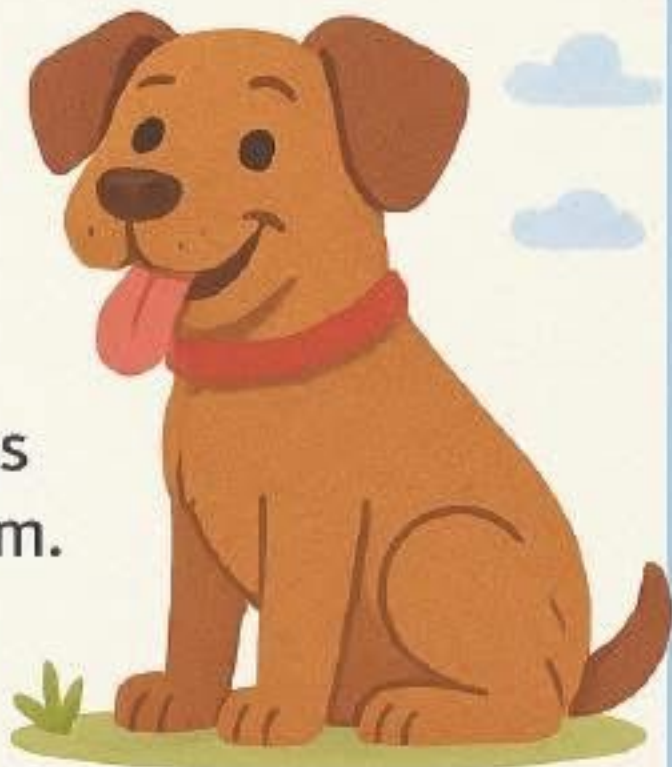
- What is the girl's name?
- How old is Sara?
- What is her favourite season?
- What does Sara do in summer?
- Why does she like summer?

My Favourite Pet



My name is Tom. I have a dog. His name is Max. He is big and brown. Max is very funny and smart. He can run fast and jump high.

Every day, I take Max for a walk in the park. He likes to play with a stick. Max drinks water and eats meat. He sleeps in a small bed in my room. I like Max because he is kind and playful. He is my favourite pet.



Questions:

- 1 What is the boy's name?
- 2 What pet does Tom have?
- 3 What colour is Max?
- 4 Where does Max sleep?

THE WOLF AND THE LAMB



One day, a little lamb was drinking water from a stream. Nearby, a hungry wolf was watching him. The wolf wanted to eat the lamb, so he made up an excuse.

“You are making the water dirty!”

The lamb politely replied, “That cannot be true. The water flows down from you to me, so I cannot make it dirty for you.

The wolf then said, “Last year you insulted my brother!”

The lamb answered, “But I was not even born last year.”

And with that, the wolf attacked the helpless lamb.



THE SELFISH HORSE

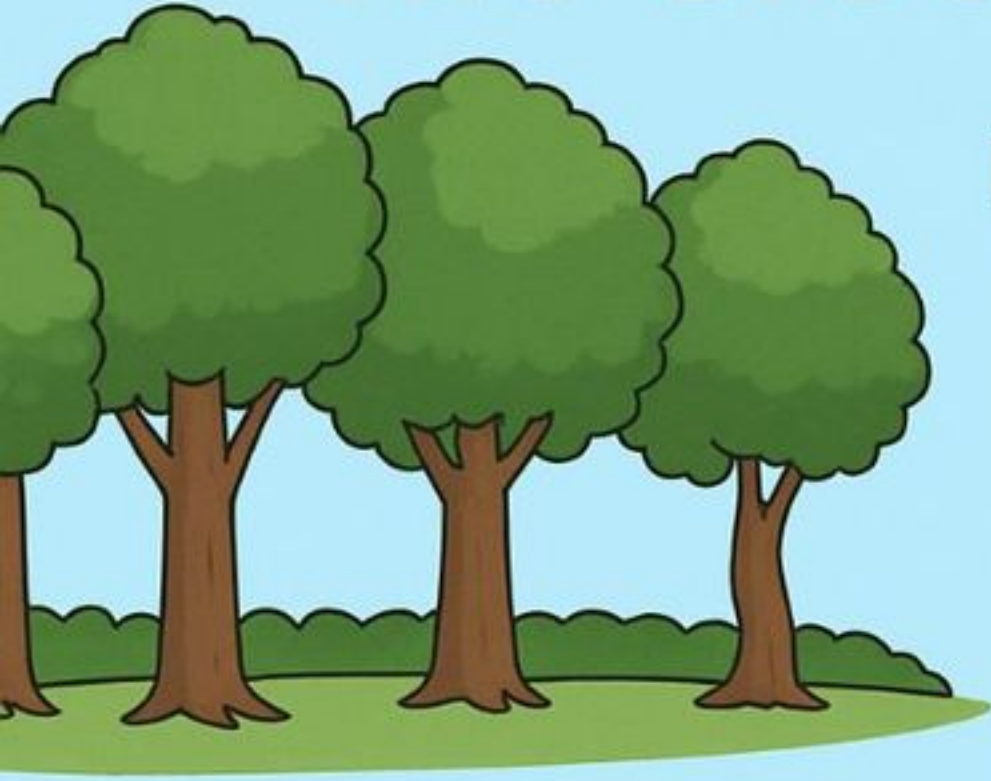
A horse was grazing in a meadow. A hungry wolf approached, and the horse promised to help.

But when the wolf asked the horse to share some hay to satisfy its hunger, the horse selfishly refused, stating that the hay belonged only to him.

Later, when the horse fell ill, it begged the wolf to bring hay for its recovery. The wolf, remembering the horse's selfishness, refused to help.

Moral: Selfishness can lead to losing potential help in the future.

The Crooked Tree



But one tree looked different.

It had a bent and twisted trunk.



The crooked tree felt sad.
It thought, "I look so ugly.
All other trees are straight.
Only I am crooked."



One day, a woodcutter came to the forest.

He looked at all the trees and said,
"I will cut the straight trees.

That crooked tree is useless to me."

So, the woodcutter cut down all the straight trees. He did not touch the crooked tree.



Now, the crooked tree was happy.
It was safe because it was different.

Moral: Be happy with who you are.

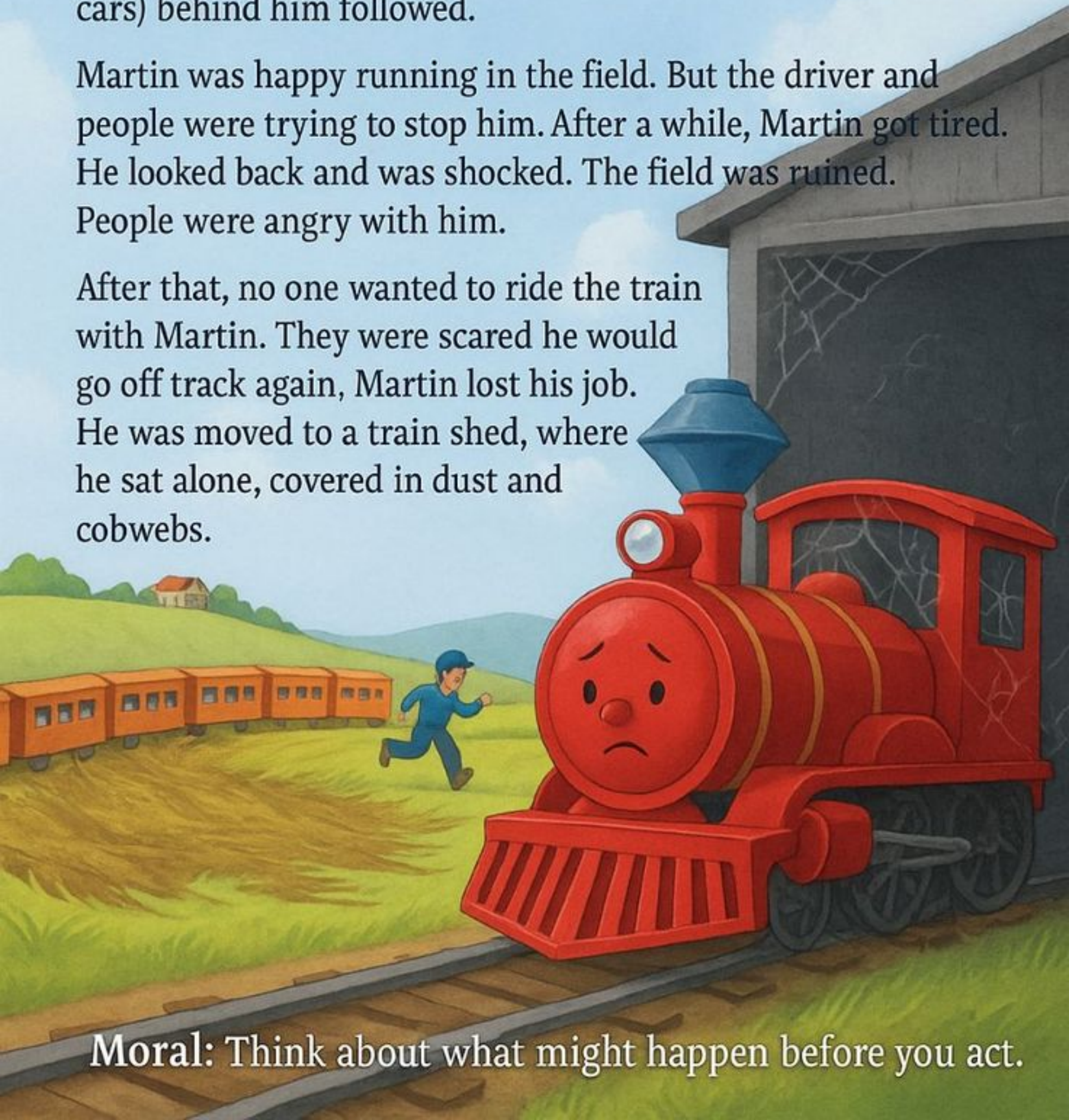
Martin the Engine Goes Off Track

Martin was a train engine. He went on the same track every day for many years.

One day, Martin felt bored. When the train driver fell asleep, Martin left the track and ran into a field. The 10 bogies (train cars) behind him followed.

Martin was happy running in the field. But the driver and people were trying to stop him. After a while, Martin got tired. He looked back and was shocked. The field was ruined. People were angry with him.

After that, no one wanted to ride the train with Martin. They were scared he would go off track again, Martin lost his job. He was moved to a train shed, where he sat alone, covered in dust and cobwebs.



Moral: Think about what might happen before you act.

The Brave Mouse

In a small village, there lived a little mouse named Max. One day, he saw a cat sneaking up on some birds. Max quickly thought of a clever plan. He distracted the cat and led it away, giving the birds a chance to fly to safety.

The villagers were proud of Max and called him a hero, because he saved the birds without being afraid.

Moral: Courage isn't about size. Even the smallest can do great things.



The True Friend



Once there were two friends — a squirrel and a puppy. They loved spending time together and often played games. The squirrel was quick and energetic, so he usually won.



One day, it rained heavily. The squirrel was jumping around playfully, but he slipped and fell into the water. He was scared and called out to his friend for help.



The puppy quickly ran to him. The squirrel climbed onto the puppy's back, and the puppy carried him to safety.



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The Hungry Mouse

A mouse was having a very thought time. She had no food for many days and made strenuous efforts get her food. All her efforts went in vain. She looked everywhere to find her food. As the days pass by, she became very thin.



One day, the mouse found a basket with corns. She also noticed a tiny hole in the basket, which was sufficient enough to move her in. She easily moved inside the hole.

Since she had no foods for many days, she ate a large amount of corn. Without realizing her, she continuously ate more and more corns. She realized very later that she ate a lot more than she actually required. After eating a whole lot of corn, she became very fat!

Satisfied with corns, the fat mouse tried to come out of the basket through the small hole. Unfortunately, the tiny hole could not accommodate the big mouse!!!!

The mouse started screaming 'Oh god! Let me come out, how can I come out?'

A rat after hearing mouse's screaming voice from the basket, asked her what happened!

Mouse told the story and asked rat a solution. Rat told, 'if you want to come out the basket, wait for sometime or even days to lose your all your fat until you grow thin.'

Mouse started to starve now but with lots of food to come out of the trap!

Moral Lesson: Anything too much is good for nothing!

Mother's Love

In a small forest, a little deer named Fawn loved to run and play. His mother, Mia, always warned him, "Stay close to me. The forest can be dangerous." One sunny morning, Fawn saw a butterfly and chased it far away from his mother. When he stopped, he realized he was lost. The forest seemed darker and scarier now. Fawn called out, but there was no answer. Suddenly, he heard rustling in the bushes. It was a fox, with sharp teeth and a sly grin! Fawn froze in fear. But just as the fox leapt toward him, Mia appeared! She stomped her hooves and stood between Fawn and the fox. The fox growled but soon ran away, afraid of Mia's courage. Mia hugged Fawn tightly and said, "No matter where you are, I'll always protect you." Fawn promised never to wander off again. That day, Fawn learned that a mother's love is the strongest, most selfless force in the world.

Moral - A mother's love is brave, unconditional, and always there to guide and protect you.



A Dream

There was a little girl who had everything she could possibly want. But she wanted to play with the stars in the sky. Everyone told her that was impossible! So one day, she set off to find the stars herself.

After going few miles, she saw some fairies. She asked these fairies whether they had seen the stars. The fairies told her, "Follow the path ahead, ask Four-Foot to take you to No-Foot-At-All which will carry you to the Stairway-With-No-Steps and that will lead you to the stars."



The little girl thanked the fairies and continued her journey. After walking a few more miles, she met a horse. "This must be Four-Foot," she thought. "Excuse me, if you are Four-Foot, please take me to No-Foot-At-All."

THE MAGIC PORRIDGE POT

Once, there was a little girl named Tara. She lived with her mother. They were very poor.

One day she went to a forest. There she met an old woman. The old woman gave her a pot. She said, "This is a magic pot. It will cook porridge for you when you say, 'Cook-Pot-Cook'. It will stop making porridge when you say, 'Stop-Pot-Stop'."

Tara was very happy. She ran to her mother and said, "Mother, we will no longer be hungry as I have got a magic pot."

Tara said to the pot, "Cook-Pot-Cook" and the pot cooked porridge. Her mother was very happy and they both ate porridge.

One day, when Tara had gone out, her mother felt hungry. She said to the pot, "Cook-Pot-Cook." The pot started cooking porridge.



The Flying Elephant



Once upon a time, a herd of elephants lived in a forest clearing beside a crumbly old castle.

The castle had been empty for many years. Some towers and walls still stood though, with vines growing over them. The adult elephants loved to scratch their backs against the castle, but they were too big to go through the doors. Only the young elephants could squeeze through—they had a lot of fun playing inside, away from the adults.

The youngest was a three-year-old elephant named Milly. One day she was chasing a colorful butterfly in the castle, when she tumbled down a few stairs and broke through a door into a wide dark room.

THE FOX AND THE TURTLE

One day, a hungry fox caught a turtle. He tried hard to break the turtle's hard shell, but he couldn't do it.

The clever turtle said, "Why don't you put me in the water for a while? That will make me softer to eat."

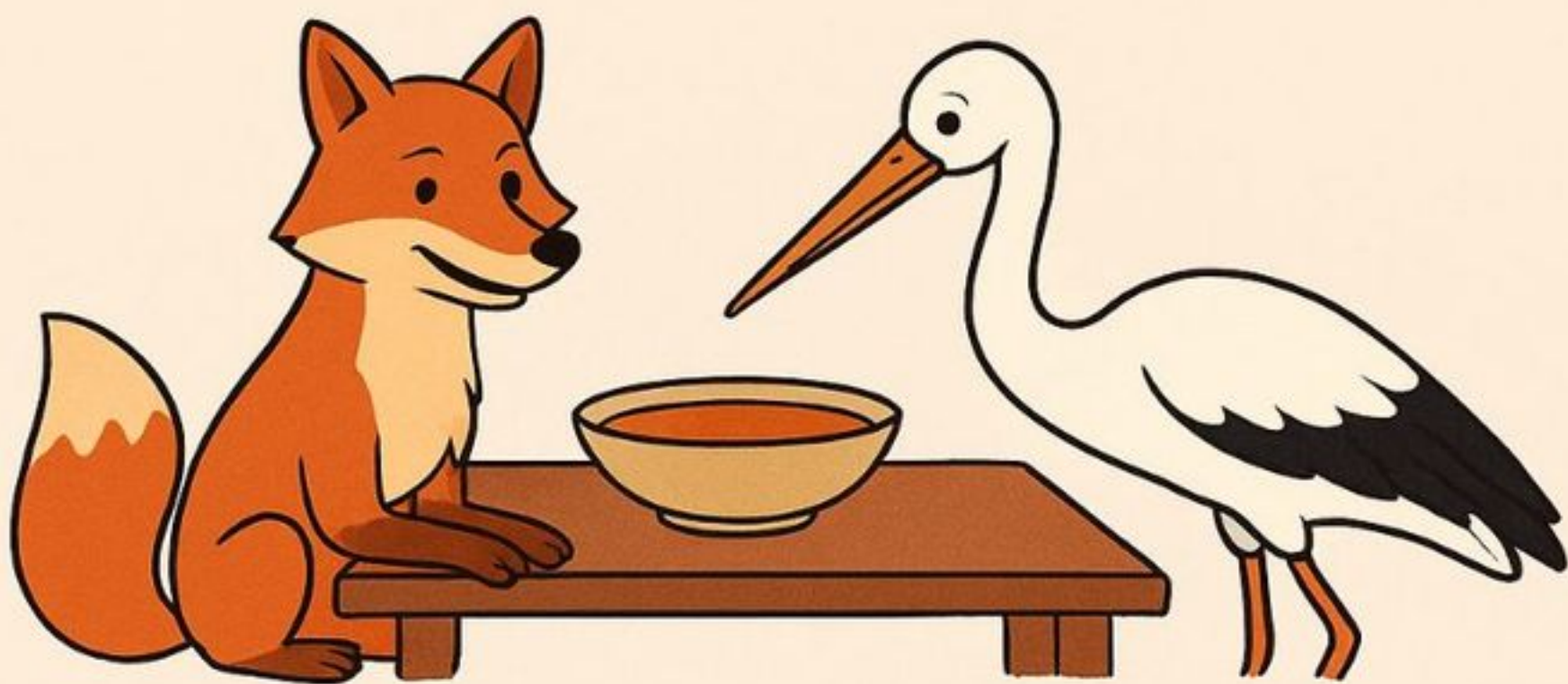


MORAL: Clever thinking can save you from danger.

The Fox and the Crane

One day, a fox invited a crane to dinner. The crane was excited and came on time, feeling very hungry.

The fox served soup in shallow bowls. The crane was upset because her long beak couldn't help her drink the soup, while the fox quickly licked up his share. Feeling tricked, the crane decided to teach the fox a lesson.



The next day, she invited the fox to her home for dinner. This time, she served food in tall, narrow jars.

The crane easily enjoyed her meal, but the fox couldn't eat anything and went home hungry.



Moral: If you trick others, the trick may come back to you.

The Frog and the Mouse

Once upon a time, there was a frog and a mouse. They were good friends. The frog visited the mouse every day. They ate food together and talked happily.

One day, the frog said, "Come to my house!" The mouse said, "But I cannot swim." The frog smiled and said, "Don't worry! You can sit on my back. I will take you across the water."

The mouse was happy and sat on the frog's back. The frog started swimming. But the frog had a bad idea. He thought, "I will eat the mouse." The frog dived deep into the water.

The mouse was very scared. He shouted, "Help! Help!" A big hawk was flying in the sky. The hawk saw the mouse and came down fast. The hawk picked up the mouse with its beak. But the frog was tied to the mouse. The hawk took both of them away.

The frog was very sad. He lost his friend. He also lost his own life because of his bad idea.

Moral of the story: Do not cheat your friends.

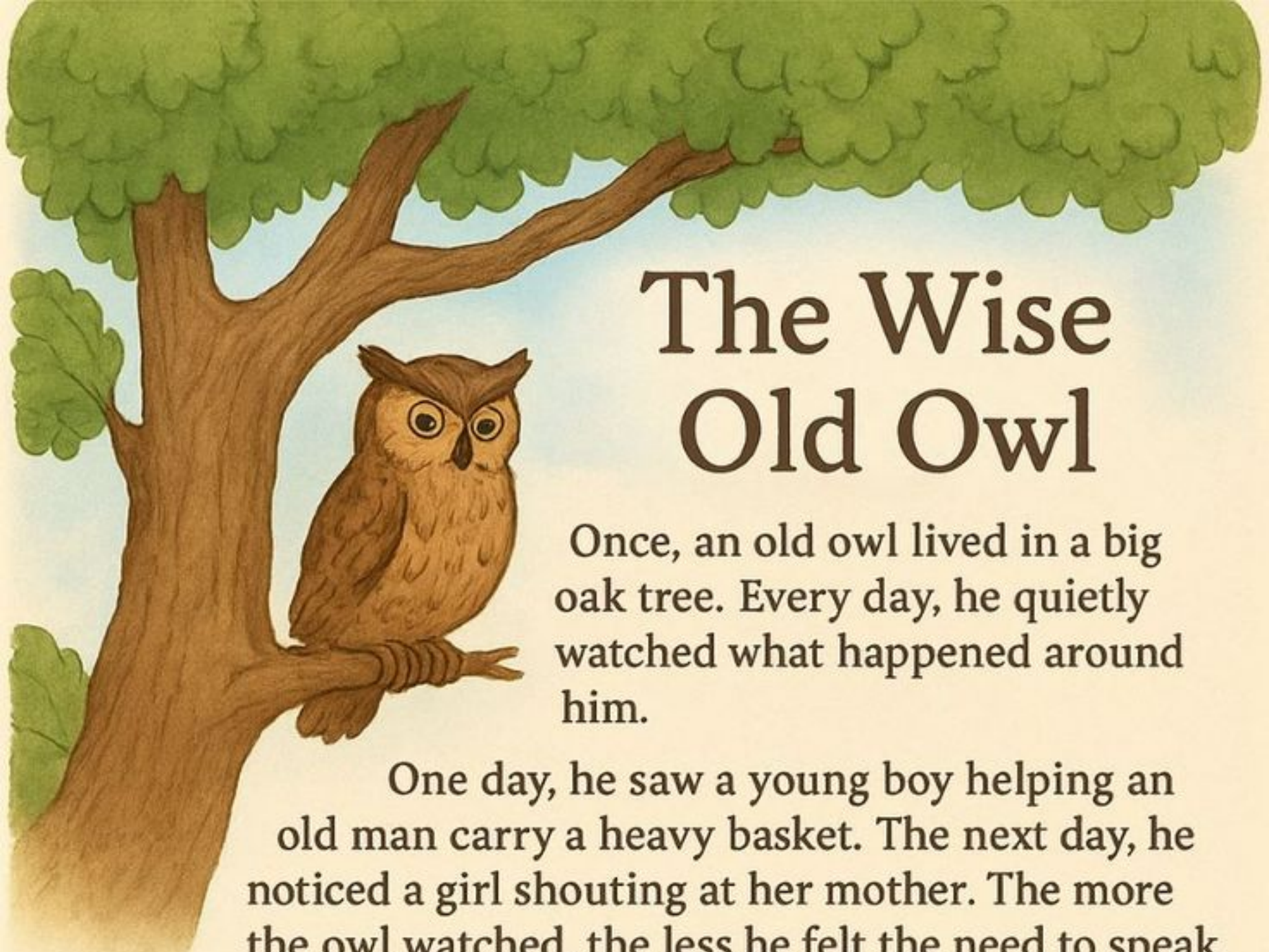


The Golden Egg



A farmer owns a goose that lays one golden egg daily, making him prosperous. Greedy for more, he decides to cut open the goose to get all the eggs at once. Instead, he finds nothing but blood and guts, losing his source of wealth. He learns to appreciate what he has.

Moral: Think before you act.

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The Wise Old Owl

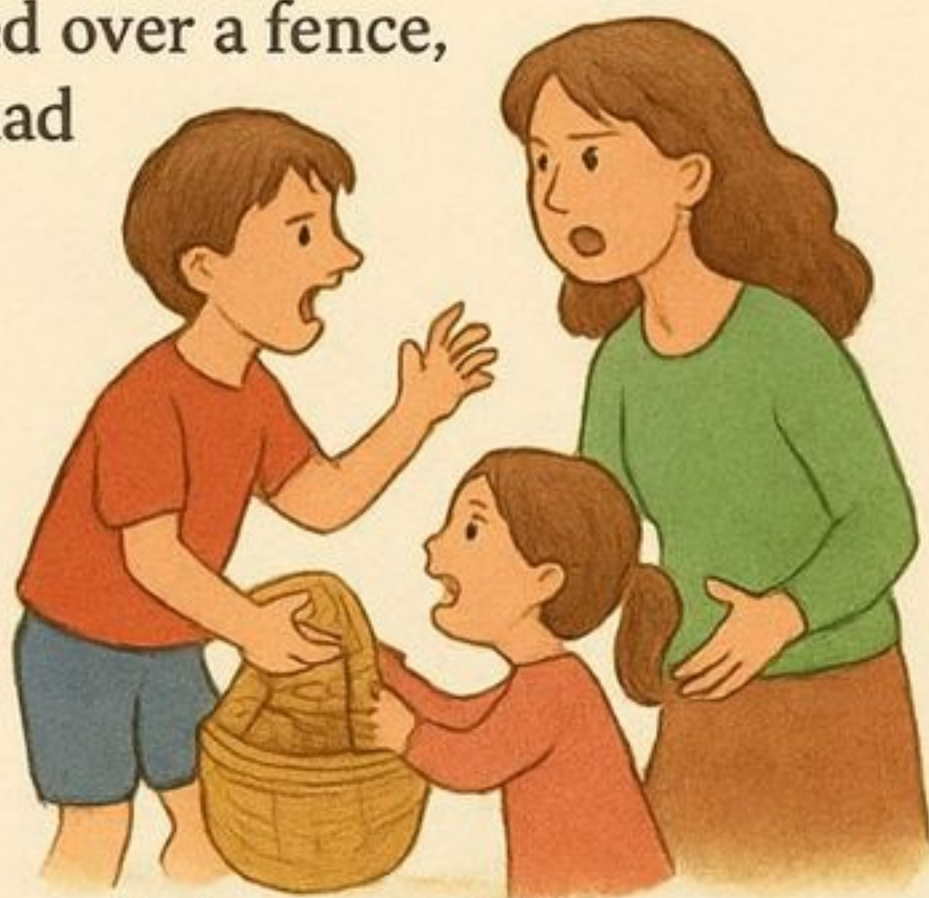
Once, an old owl lived in a big oak tree. Every day, he quietly watched what happened around him.

One day, he saw a young boy helping an old man carry a heavy basket. The next day, he noticed a girl shouting at her mother. The more the owl watched, the less he felt the need to speak.

As time passed, he talked less but listened more. He often heard people telling stories. Some spoke wisely, while others said things that were not true—like a woman claiming an elephant jumped over a fence, or a man boasting that he had never made a mistake.

The owl kept watching and listening. He noticed that some people grew kinder and better, while others grew worse. But the owl himself became wiser each day.

Moral: If we observe more, talk less, and listen carefully, we can become wiser too.



Listening for Food

Diana sees a cute bird in her garden.

The bird hops, then stops.

It puts its head near the ground.

What is it doing?

It is listening for food!

This bird eats worms.

But first, it must find one.

Worms live underground.

Look!

The bird pulls something
with its beak.

It's a worm!

Yum!
Delicious!



A Mother's Love

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“Stay close to me. The forest can be dangerous.

One sunny morning, Fawn saw a butterfly and chased it. He ran far from his mother. When he stopped, he was lost. The forest now looked dark and scary.

Fawn called for his mother, but no one answered.

Suddenly, he heard something in the bushes. It was a fox—with sharp teeth and a mean smile!

Fawn was very scared. The fox jumped toward him. But just then, Mia appeared! She stomped her feet and stood in front of Fawn. The fox growled but ran away.

Mia hugged Fawn and said,

“No matter where you are, I'll always protect you.”

Fawn promised to never wander off again.

That day, he learned something important:

A mother's love is strong, brave, and always there to protect you.



Tom Learns a Lesson

Tom was a naughty boy. He didn't respect older people. He made fun of them and never helped them. Everyone in the neighbourhood was unhappy with him.

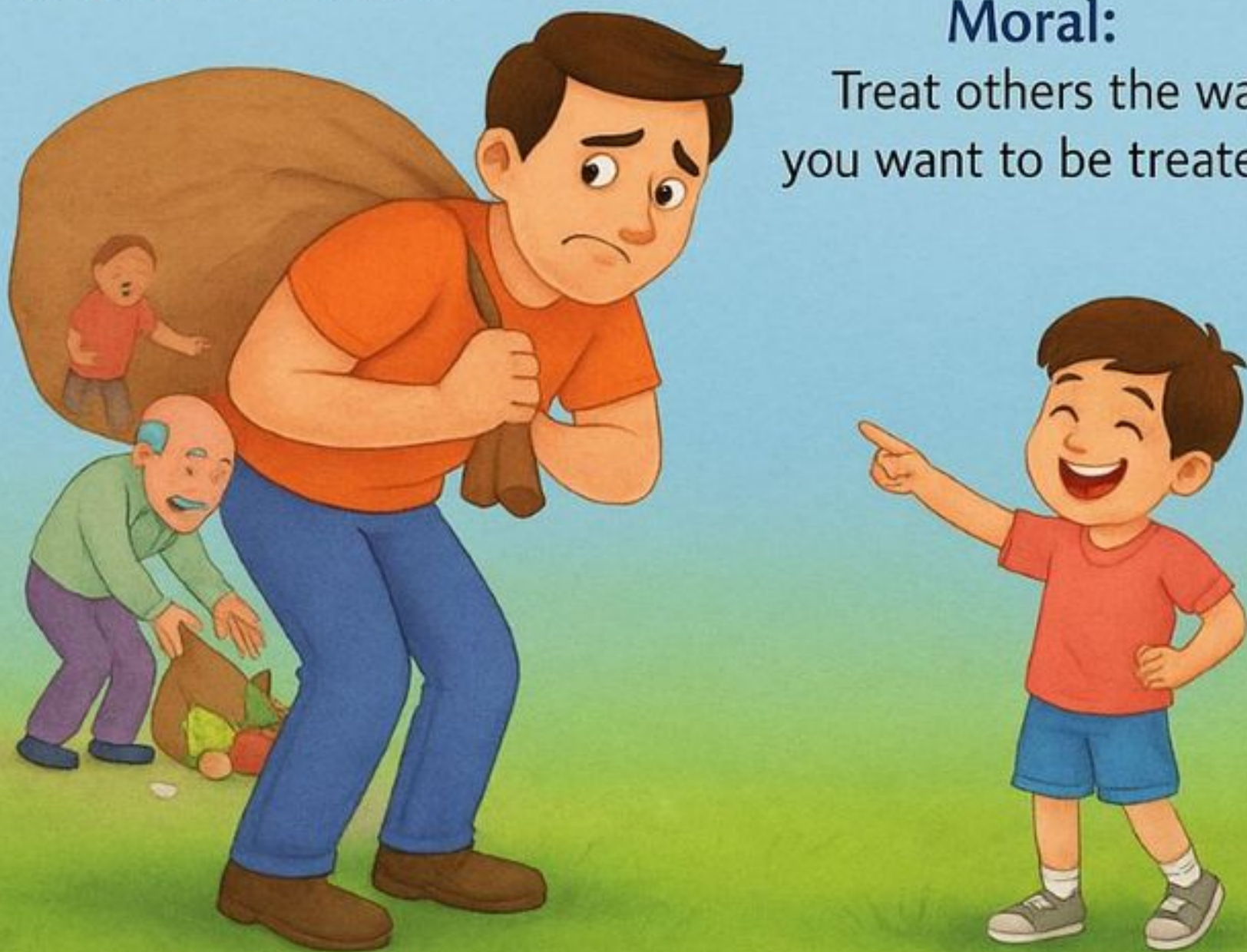
One day, Tom saw an old man carrying a heavy bag of groceries. Instead of helping, Tom made fun of the man's gray hair. The old man tripped and fell. His groceries scattered on the ground. Tom just laughed and walked away.

Years later, Tom grew up. One day, he was carrying a heavy bag of groceries. A small boy saw him and laughed. The boy didn't help Tom, just like Tom had done years ago.

Then Tom remembered what he did to the old man. He felt sorry. He realized he had made a mistake. He should have helped the old man.

Moral:

Treat others the way you want to be treated.



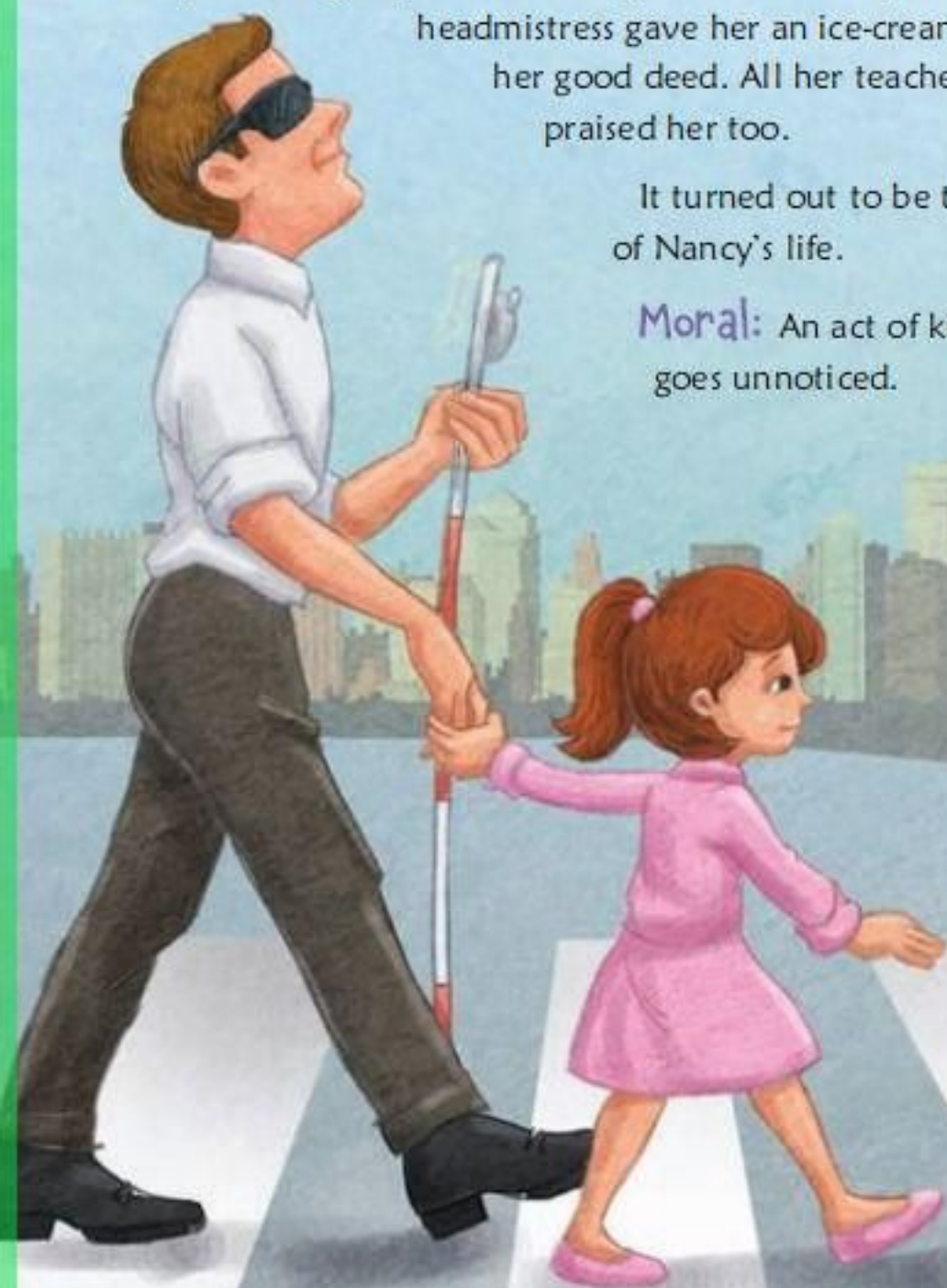
20 Nancy and the Blind Man

One morning, on her way to school, Nancy came across a blind man who was trying to cross the road. Nancy realised that this was a very difficult task for a man who could not see. The blind man was not too sure about crossing the road. He was afraid of getting hit by a car. He kept tapping his stick on the road, but didn't have the courage to walk forward.

Nancy rushed to his side, held his hand and helped him cross the road. The blind man thanked her and she felt very happy to have helped the man. Nancy's headmistress was watching this from far away. She was very proud of Nancy for being helpful to a stranger. When Nancy reached her class, the headmistress gave her an ice-cream as a reward for her good deed. All her teachers and friends praised her too.

It turned out to be the best Friday of Nancy's life.

Moral: An act of kindness never goes unnoticed.



The dog and the shadow



Oneday, a dog had found a piece of meat and was carrying it home in its mouth to eat . on its way home it had to cross a running creek. As it crossed, it looked down in the water and saw its own shadow in the water. It thought the shadow was another dog with another piece of meat. It made up its mind to have that second piece of meat. So it started to hit the shadow with its mouth, but as it opened its mouth the piece of meat fell into the water and was never seen more. The dog went home sadly with no food to eat.

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Don't be greedy.



My Favorite Hobby

My favorite hobby is drawing. I love to draw because it lets me express my feelings and imagination. Drawing is something I do almost every day, whether I'm at home or on a trip. I love using different colors and shapes to create beautiful pictures. I especially enjoy drawing animals like cats, dogs, and birds. Sometimes, I even try drawing my family and friends to capture memories.

I use many tools when I draw, such as markers, pencils, and crayons. Each one helps me make my drawings look different and colorful. I also like to experiment with new techniques, like shading or blending colors, to make my art even better. Drawing helps me relax and forget about other things. When I draw, I focus on my artwork and forget all the worries of the day. It makes me feel happy and peaceful. I also feel proud of the pictures I create, and I enjoy showing them to my family and friends.

I hope to improve my drawing skills and learn new ways to draw even better pictures. One day, I would like to become a professional artist!



School Trip



Emily was excited about her upcoming school trip to the zoo. She had been learning about different animals in class and couldn't wait to see them up close. On the day of the trip, she and her classmates boarded the bus and headed to the zoo. As they walked through the gates, Emily's eyes widened with amazement. She saw lions, giraffes, monkeys, and even a playful dolphin show. It was a day filled with fun and learning.

1) What was Emily excited about?

2) What animals did Emily see at the zoo?

3) How did Emily feel about her day at the zoo?



School bus

- The school bus is a big, yellow vehicle that takes us to school. It comes every morning, and we wait at the bus stop.

The bus driver is friendly, and we say "hello" as we board. Inside, there are rows of seats where we sit with our friends. The bus ride is fun; we talk and laugh. When we reach school, we say "goodbye" to the driver and head to class.

The school bus is like a yellow adventure that brings us to our learning journey.

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The Weekend

On the weekend, I love to play. I go to the park, swing on the swings, and slide down the slide. The sun shines, and the sky is blue. I chase butterflies and have so much fun. I also have ice cream, my favorite treat. The weekend is when I'm happiest!



My garden

I have a small garden in front of my house.

In my free time, I work in the garden. I uproot the weeds and loosen the soil. I water the plants regularly. I nurse the plants with care. I have a fence around my garden. I have planted different kinds of flowers. I usually grow different vegetables. In the morning, I can hear the chirping of many birds. My garden is a source of pleasure to me.



New classmate

Today, our class has a new student, and she comes from Japan. Her name is Yuki, and she is very friendly. Everyone in the class welcomed her with smiles and greetings.

At first, Yuki seemed a bit shy, but as the day went on, she started to feel more comfortable. We helped her with the school routine, showed her around the classroom, and explained things in simple English.





Holidays

Holidays are important for relaxation. They provide relief from the monotony of our daily routine. They help us to refresh ourselves and go back to work with renewed energy. Summer holidays are awaited by a lot of people after working hard throughout the year. There are no rules for going to school and playing for a short time and then completing our homework. We can manage our time according to our wish.



The Best Teacher

The best teacher is someone who makes learning fun and interesting. They are kind and caring, always ready to listen to their students. When students are unsure about something, the best teacher takes time to help them understand, no matter how many times it takes. Patience is one of the key qualities of a great teacher.

A great teacher encourages students to ask questions, making the classroom a place where everyone feels safe to speak up. They believe in their students' abilities and motivate them to do their best. This helps students feel confident and proud of their work.

The best teacher is always organized and prepared for each lesson. They make sure that their lessons are interesting and easy to understand. When a student has difficulty, the best teacher explains things in a way that makes them clearer.

In addition to teaching subjects, a great teacher inspires students to be kind, curious, and hardworking. They create a classroom where students enjoy learning, where everyone is treated equally, and where every student has the chance to succeed.





A Lovely Woman

My mom is a lovely woman. She has a heart full of kindness.

Every day, she takes care of our family. She makes delicious meals that we all enjoy. She helps me with my homework and tells me stories before bedtime.

Mom is always there to comfort me when I'm sad or not feeling well. She gives warm hugs that make everything better. Her smile is like a ray of sunshine on a rainy day.





My Mother

Sheikh Juma

When I think about my mother, always remember her smiling face in any situation. She a homemaker who manages all the family needs on my father's small salary. She takes care of all family members and works very hard from morning till night.

She cooks delicious food for all of us, which I truly love to eat. Her recipes have magical touch that no restaurant can match. Even when she's tired, she never forgets to ask if we've eaten or how our day went.

My mother is my first teacher. She helps me in my homework and project preparation. She teaches me life lessons that no school can ever provide. She encourages me whenever I feel nervous and shows me the right path when I feel lost





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My mom

My mom is very special to me. She is a **kind** person. My mom helps me with my homework and plays games with me when I'm **bored**. She always knows how to make me feel better when I'm **sad**. I love my mom very much, and I'm **grateful** for everything she does for our family. My mom is also a **hardworking** person. She goes to work every day to provide for our family and makes sure we have **everything** we need. I admire her **strength** and dedication, and I hope to be as amazing as she is when I **grow up**.



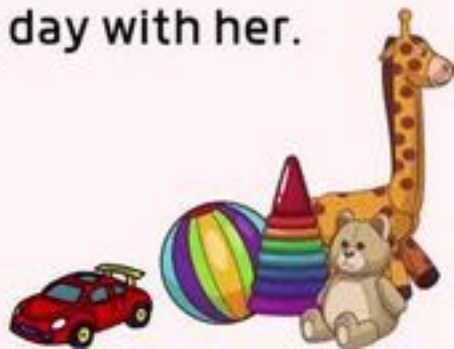
My breakfast

I like to eat breakfast every morning. Breakfast is the first meal of the day and it gives me energy. For breakfast, I usually have some bread with butter and jam. I also drink a glass of milk or orange juice. Sometimes, I eat eggs or cheese with my bread. I enjoy eating breakfast with my family and talking to them. Breakfast is my favorite meal of the day.



Shopping with mom

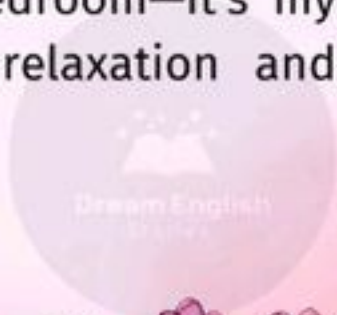
I love going shopping with my mom. We often visit the mall together. We walk through the aisles, looking for clothes, shoes, and sometimes toys. My mom helps me pick out the best outfits, and I enjoy trying them on. We also stop by the food court for a snack. It's a fun time to bond with my mom and choose things we like. I'm always excited when it's shopping day with her.





Pink bedroom

My bedroom is painted in a lovely shade of pink. The walls create a warm and soothing atmosphere. The bed is adorned with pink pillows and a soft pink blanket. A small desk near the window is perfect for my studies. The curtains match the room's theme, allowing a gentle, rosy light to filter through. I find comfort and joy in my pink bedroom—it's my cozy retreat for relaxation and rest.



Lunch



Lunchtime is a special part of the school day. It's a time when students take a break from their classes to refuel and recharge. A healthy lunch is important because it provides the nutrients and energy needed for the rest of the day. A balanced lunch includes foods from different food groups, such as vegetables, fruits, proteins, and grains. Some common lunch options are sandwiches, salads, soups, and wraps. It's also important to drink water or milk to stay hydrated. Eating a nutritious lunch helps students stay focused and perform better in their afternoon classes.

1) Why is lunchtime important during the school day?

2) Name three food groups that should be included in a balanced lunch.

3) Give examples of common lunch options mentioned in the passage.

Dinner



Dinner is a time when families come together to enjoy a meal and share their day. It's an important meal that provides nourishment and allows families to connect. A balanced dinner includes foods from different food groups, such as proteins, vegetables, grains, and dairy. Some common dinner options are grilled chicken, steamed vegetables, rice, and a glass of milk. Eating a nutritious dinner helps us replenish our energy and promotes healthy growth. It's a time to relax, bond, and enjoy good food with loved ones.

1) Why is dinner an important meal for families?

2) Name three food groups that should be included in a balanced dinner.

3) Give examples of common dinner options mentioned in the passage.



Cooking with mom

I love spending time with my mom in the kitchen. On weekends, we cook together.

She teaches me simple recipes, like making pancakes or spaghetti. I wear an apron, and she ties a colorful one around her waist.

We laugh and talk while chopping vegetables and stirring the pots. The kitchen smells amazing as we create delicious meals.

My favorite part is when we sit down to eat what we made. It tastes even better because we made it together. Cooking with my mom is a fun and tasty way to bond and learn.



Breakfast



Breakfast is often called the most important meal of the day. It provides us with the energy we need to start our day. A healthy breakfast includes a variety of foods from different food groups. Some common breakfast foods are cereal, toast, eggs, fruit, and yogurt. Eating a balanced breakfast helps us concentrate better in school and gives us the nutrients our bodies need. It's important not to skip breakfast because it sets the tone for the rest of the day.

1) Why is breakfast considered the most important meal of the day?

2) Name three common breakfast foods mentioned in the passage.

3) Why is it important not to skip breakfast?
