



Playing 'shop'

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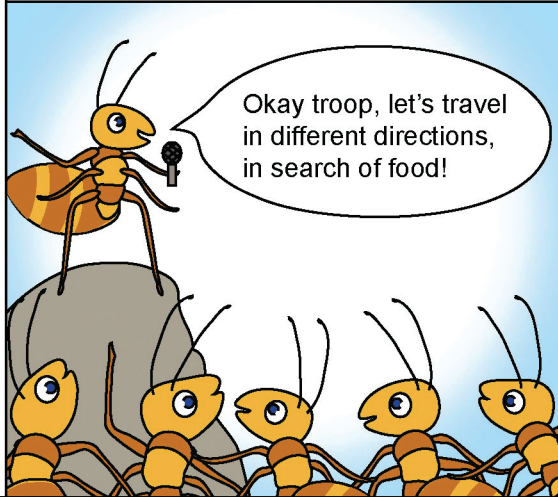


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The Greedy Little Ant

By Manoshi de Silva

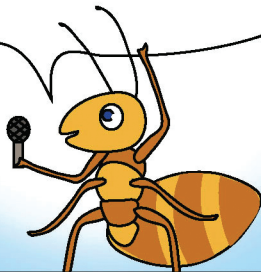
One morning at the Ant-hill...



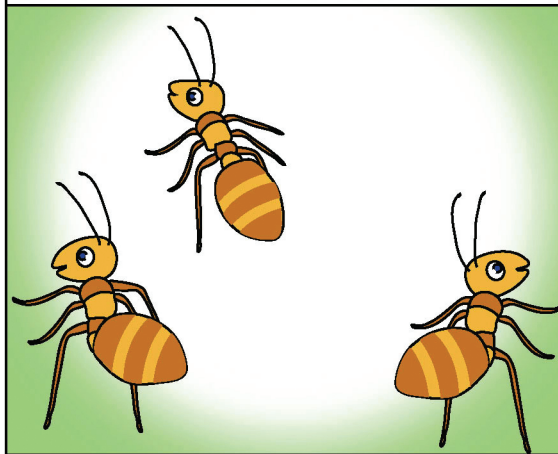
If you find anything, remember to come back to the Ant-hill and to inform the others. Get help from others if you can't carry it alone!



In the evening, we will share whatever we collected during the day and enjoy it. We will also save some of it for rainy days. Okay troop, let's work hard and bring in a lot of food!



All the Ants go in different directions, in search of food.



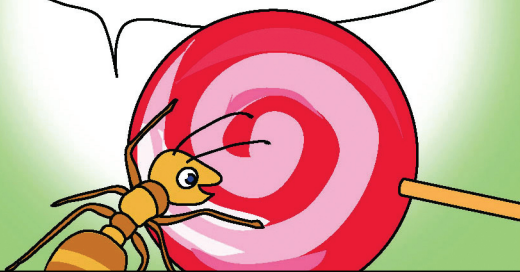
After awhile the little Red Ant finds a sweet!

Wow! I am so lucky! Someone has dropped a big sweet!



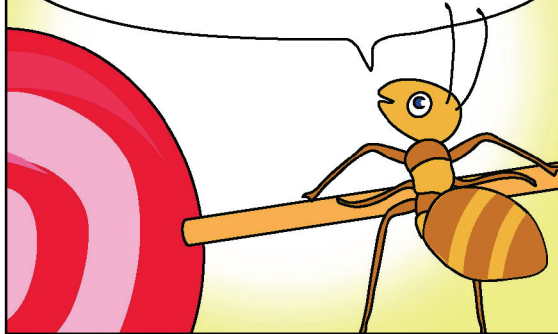
The little Red Ant takes a small bite from it.

This smells so sweet and tastes so good. I could just stay here and eat this the whole day!



He tries to pull it back home, but it's too heavy!

No, I can't pull this back home, by my own. I'll have to go and bring back some help!



If I go and come back with a few others, we can all easily pull this back to the Ant-hill.



But there are hundreds of us in the Ant-hill. Once this is shared among all of us, I will only get a very tiny piece!

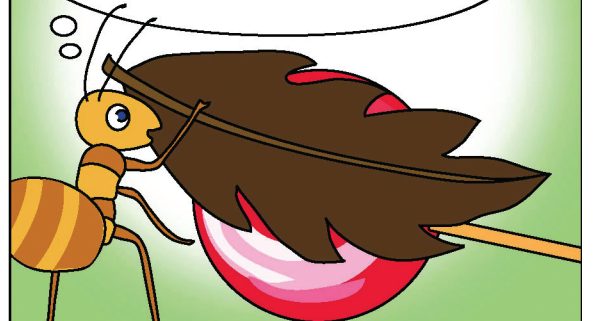


Maybe I should keep this as a secret! Then I can come whenever I want and eat as much as I want! Then this sweet will be all mine! I should leave it right here!

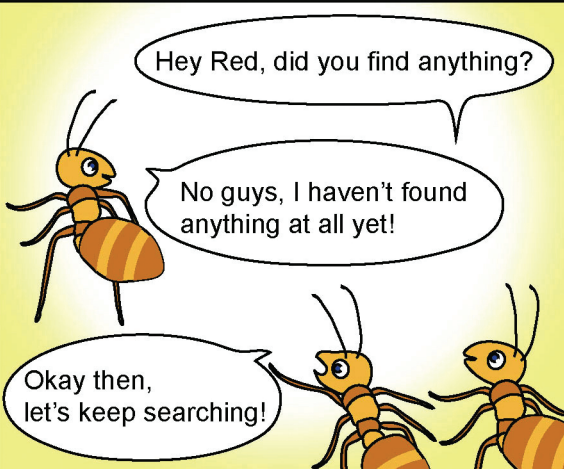


And so, the little Red Ant covers the sweet with a dry leaf and hides it.

Okay, now this is nicely covered. No one will see this now. I will come back later and eat some more!



The little Red Ant pretends like he has still not found anything.



After awhile Red gets a craving to taste the sweet again.



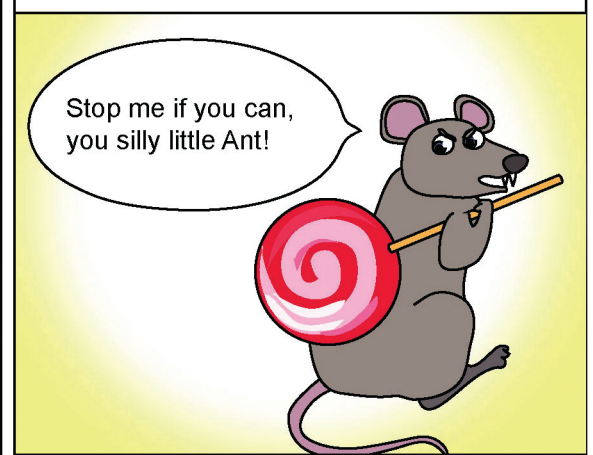
But when Red goes near the sweet, he sees an unwelcomed visitor with his sweet.



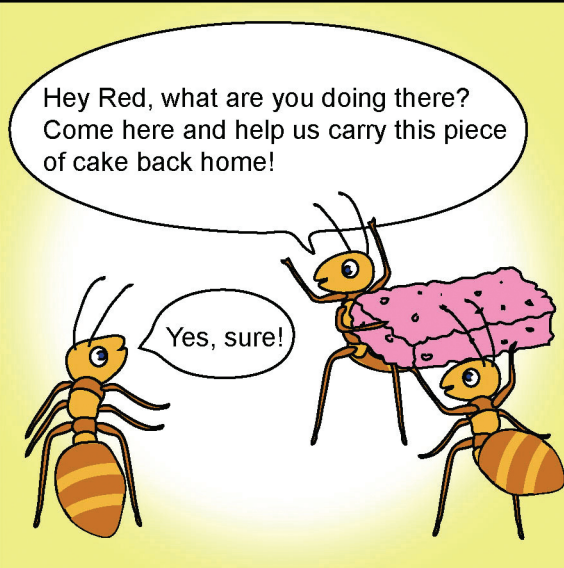
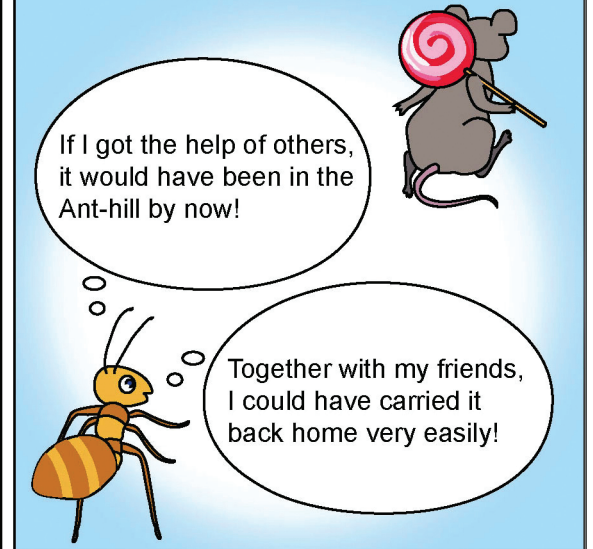
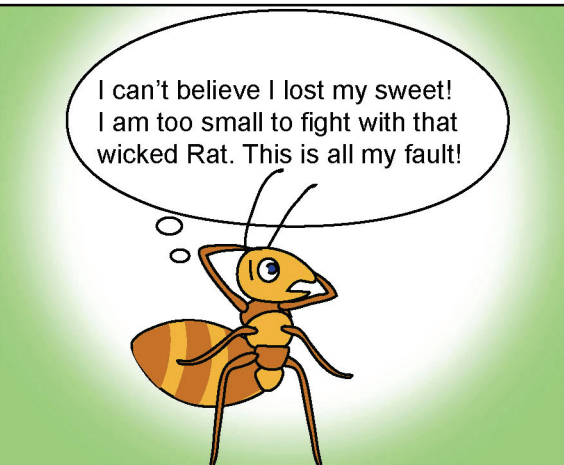
The Rat takes the sweet and walks away.



But the Rat is a lot bigger and stronger than the little Ant. So he ignores what the Ant says.



The little Red Ant knows that he can't stop the mean Rat.



They carry the food they found, back home.



-The End-

Manoshi

Tomahawk

Quiz
No.177

Questions for the Tomahawk Quiz No. 177 are based on articles appearing in the Funday Times of October 4, 11, 18 and 25, 2020. All you have to do is to find the answers to the questions given. Write the answers neatly on a postcard. Cut the strip 'Tomahawk Quiz No. 177' seen at the top of this page and paste it on your postcard. Please get your entries certified as your own work by a teacher or parent.

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QUESTIONS — QUIZ NO. 177

1. a) When is United Nations Day celebrated?
b) When was the UN officially created?
2. Where is the world's tallest geyser known as 'Steamboat' located?
3. Who is the president of Brazil?
4. Name the author of 'The Vendor of Sweets'?
5. In which country do you find Koala bears?

Note:

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