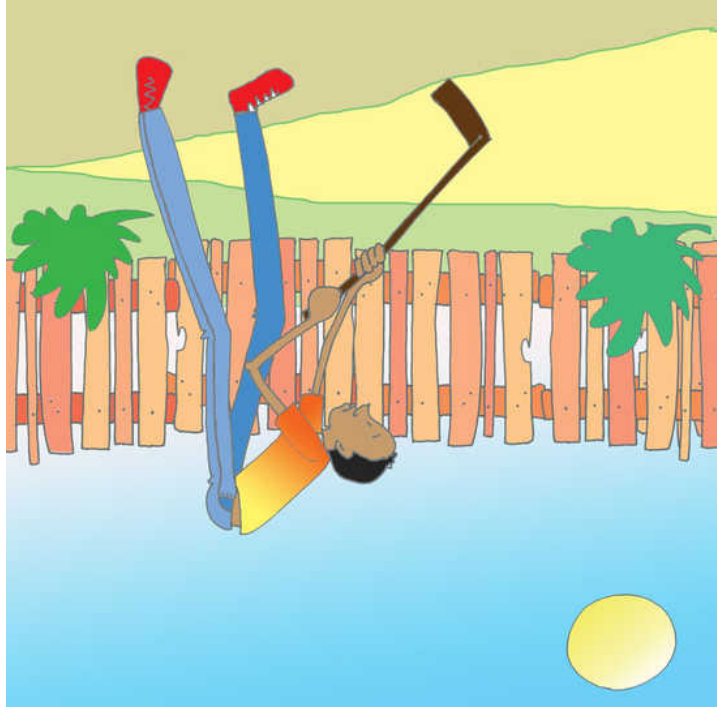


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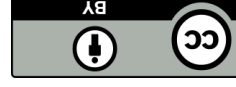
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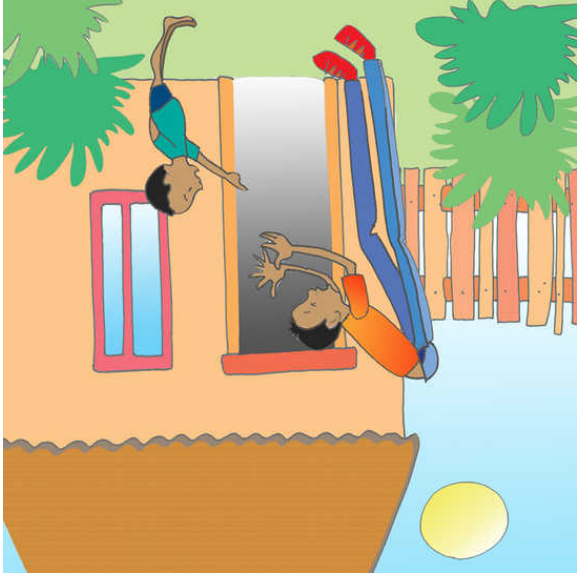
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Jembe lake lilikuwa fupi mno.

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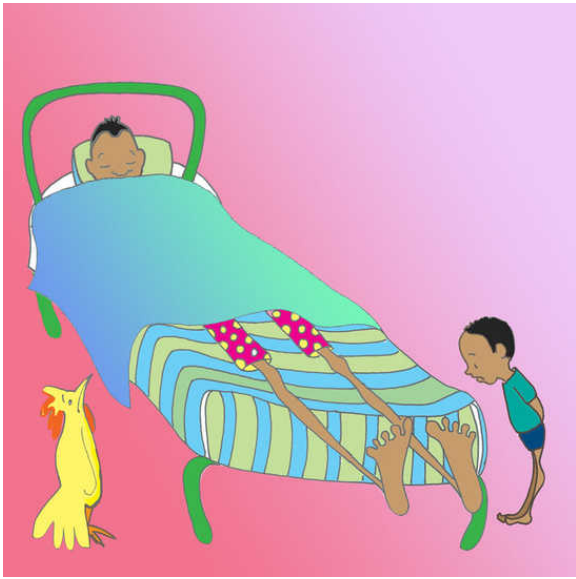
His hoe was too short.



Miango wake ulikuwa chini mno.

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His doorway was too low.



Kitanda chake kilikuwa kifupi mno.

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His bed was too short.



Baisikeli yake ilikuwa fupi sana.

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His bicycle was too short.



Aliacha nyumba yake na kuishi katika msitu  
mkubwa. Aliishi kwa miaka mingi.

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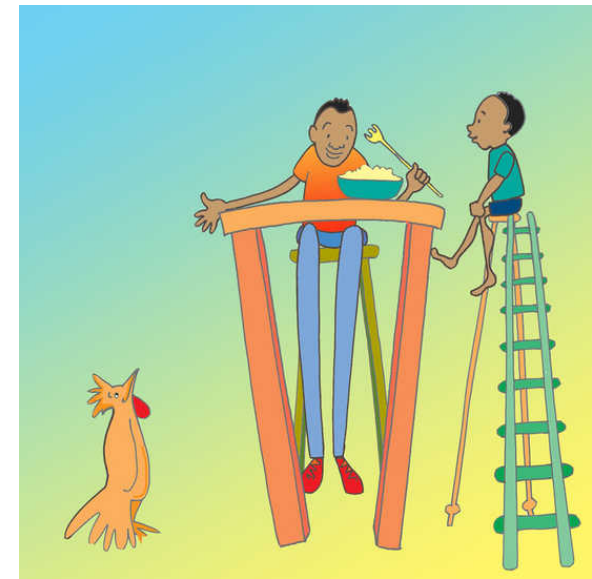
He left his house and lived in a big forest. He  
lived for many years.



Mtu huyu alikuwa mrefu zaidi!

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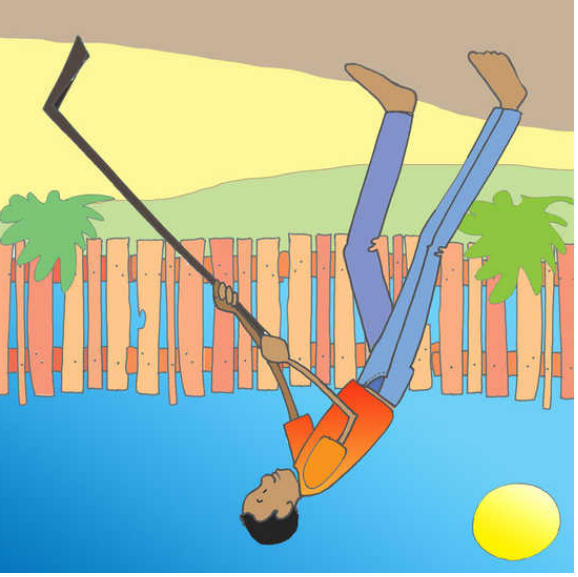
This man was too tall!



Aliketi juu ya kiti kilichokuwa juu sana. Alikula kwa kutumia uma iliyokuwa refu mno.

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He sat on a very high chair. He ate with a very long fork.



Alitengeneza mpini wa jembe mrefu sana.

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He made a very long hoe handle.



Akanunua baisikeli iliyokuwa ndetu mno.

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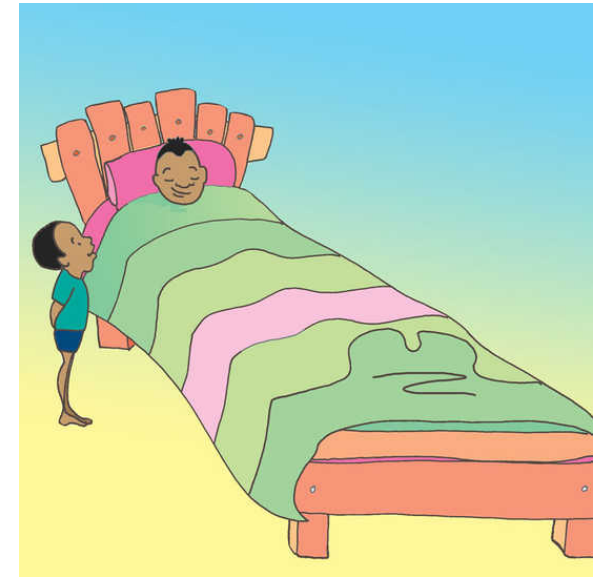
He bought a very high bicycle.



Alitengeneza fremu ndefu za milango.

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He made very high door frames.



Alitengeneza kitanda kirefu sana.

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He made a very long bed.