

# The sad tale of the lazy grasshopper



During Summer, this grasshopper hops in the grass and sings in the sun.

One day, an ant comes along. She looks very hot and busy.



Why are you working on such a lovely day?

I'm collecting food for the winter. What are you doing?



I am hopping and singing! It's fun!

And off she goes, helping the other ants to carry food to their nest. The grasshopper carries on hopping and singing.



When Winter comes, snow covers the ground. The grasshopper has no food and is hungry.

So he goes to the ants' nest and asks for food.



What did you do all summer when we were working?

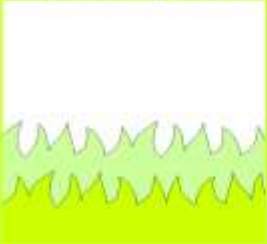
I was busy hopping and singing!



Well, if you hop and sing all summer and do no work, then you must starve in the Winter.

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Label the pictures.



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1. What is the grasshopper doing in the summer?

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2. What is the ant doing in the summer?

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Look at the story and complete the sentences.

She looks very \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

I am \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_! It's fun!

When \_\_\_\_\_ comes, \_\_\_\_\_ covers the ground.

The \_\_\_\_\_ has no \_\_\_\_\_ and is \_\_\_\_\_.

So he goes to the ants' \_\_\_\_\_ and asks for food.

Well, if you hop and sing all \_\_\_\_\_ and do no \_\_\_\_\_, then you must \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_.