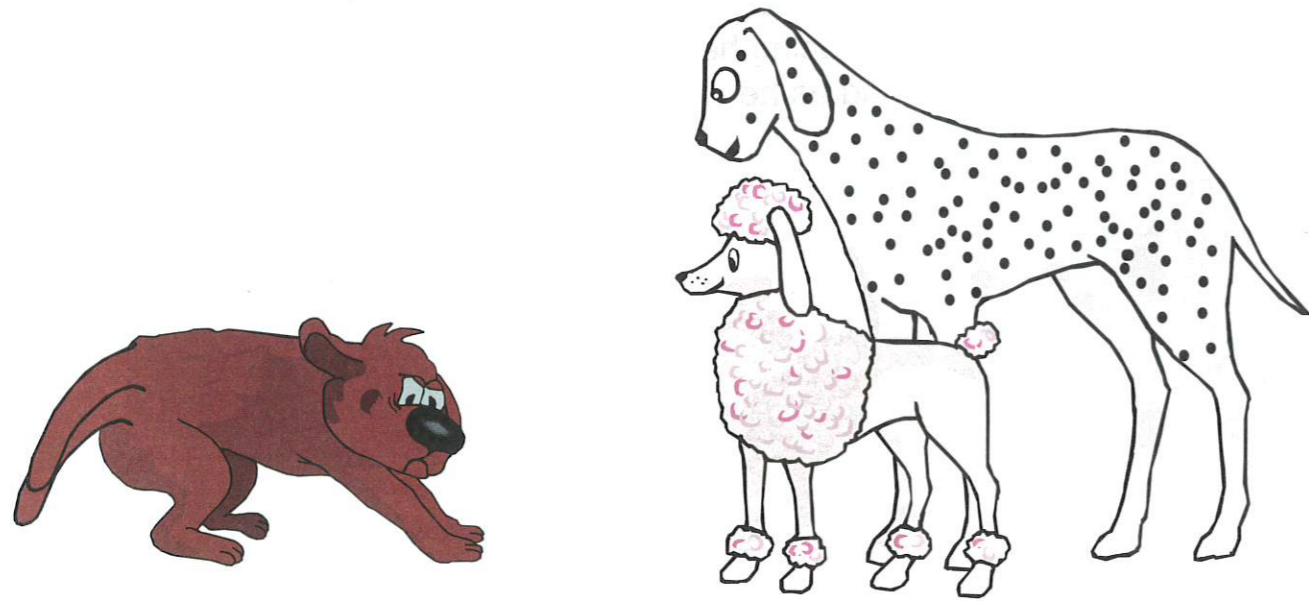


“He’s got two tails!” shouted a poodle.
“How funny he looks!” cried a Dalmatian.



Boris felt very embarrassed. He walked back to his place with his head drooped and his tails to the floor.

10. Why did the Dalmatian think Boris looked funny?

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11. How did Boris feel when the others laughed at him?

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A moment later, he sneaked out of the room and into the entrance hall, where he saw a poster for a dog show. Boris read it aloud,



“Prizes for cutest face, shiniest coat, *most waggly tail*... I’ll show them,” he said with a grin.

12. What did Boris do when he saw the poster? Tick **one** box.

He started howling.

He walked out the door.

He called to the others.

He read it aloud.

13. What do you think will happen at the dog show?

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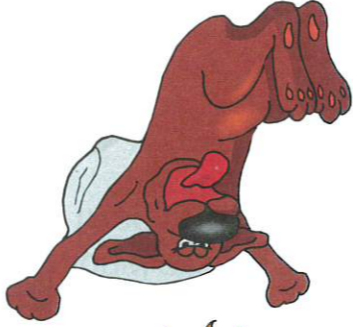
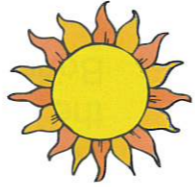
Boris the Dog

Boris was a typical dog.

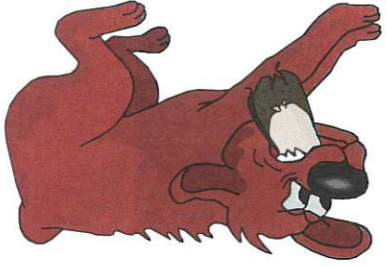
He liked to chase birds, sticks and tennis balls.



He enjoyed long walks across muddy fields and naps curled up in the sunshine.



He loved gobbling down tasty treats and chewing old, worn-out slippers.



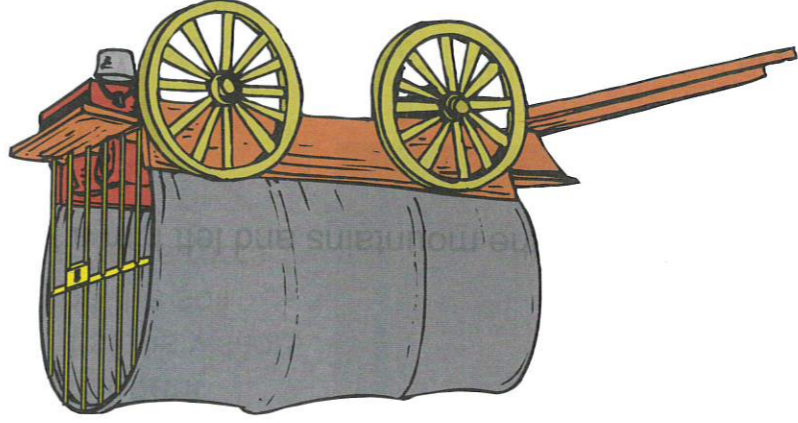
Practice Questions

a. Find and copy a word that shows that Boris was a normal dog.

b. What did Boris like to do in the sunshine?

According to the story of Robin Hood, if Robin wasn't at The Major Oak, then he was perhaps fighting his arch-enemy, the Sheriff of Nottingham.

The Sheriff of Nottingham was in charge of capturing criminals, like Robin Hood, to stop them from killing the King's deer and to keep Sherwood Forest safe.



19. Why did Robin Hood dislike the Sheriff of Nottingham?

Useful Words

dog training

trainer

poodle

Dalmatian

dog show

20. Look at the table below. Put a tick in each row to show whether each statement is true or false.
One has already been done for you.

The information tells us that...	True	False
Robin Hood stole from poor people.		✓
the Sheriff of Nottingham disliked Robin.		
the Sheriff killed the king's deer.		

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