

## NCERT Solutions Class 1 English – Unit 8 The Tiger and The Mosquito

### THE TIGER AND THE MOSQUITO

#### READING IS FUN

##### Question 1:

What was the tiger doing when the mosquito came buzzing by?

##### Answer:

The tiger was dozing under a tree when the mosquito came buzzing by.

##### Question 2:

Why did the tiger's cheek start to bleed?

##### Answer:

The tiger's cheek started to bleed because while trying to hit the mosquito, the tiger hit himself with his paw.

##### Question 3:

Why did the tiger walk away?

##### Answer:

The tiger walked away because he was helpless and could not make the mosquito fly away from him.

#### LET'S TALK Question

##### 1:

Why did the mosquito say, "I am not afraid of you!"?

##### Answer:

The mosquito said so because the tiger was behaving as if everyone should be afraid of him.

#### SAY ALOUD

##### Question 1:

Bank	Goose	Fan	Lamp
Bin	Gown	Few	Lick
Biscuit	Grey	Field	Lip
Bun	Gun	Fish	Loose

##### Answer:

The student has to practice the pronunciation of the given words.

#### LET'S SHARE

##### Question 1:

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What do we learn from this story?

**Answer:**

We learn that everyone is special in his/her own way. We should never underestimate anyone.

**Question 2:**

Describe the lion and the tiger. How are they different from each other?



**Answer:**

LION	TIGER
1. The lion is a lazy animal.	1. The tiger is a very active animal.
2. Lion is brown in colour.	2. Tiger is mostly yellow in colour.
3. Lion has a dark brown mane.	3. Tiger has black stripes on the body.
4. Lion cannot climb a tree.	4. Tiger can easily climb a tree.

### LET'S WRITE

**Question 1:**

Fill in the blanks by tracing the dotted words.

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4. The mosquito buzzed away.
5. Everyone is great in his own way!

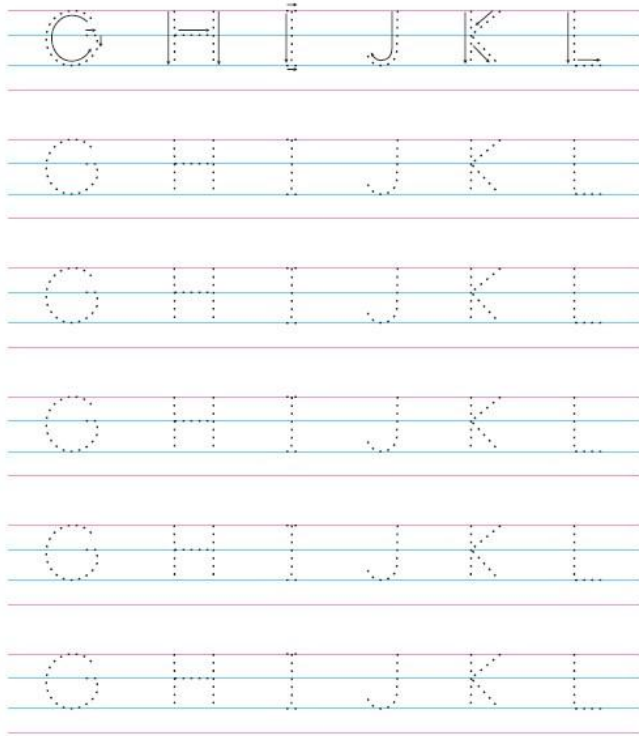
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**LET'S READ AND WRITE**

Question 1:

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**Answer:**



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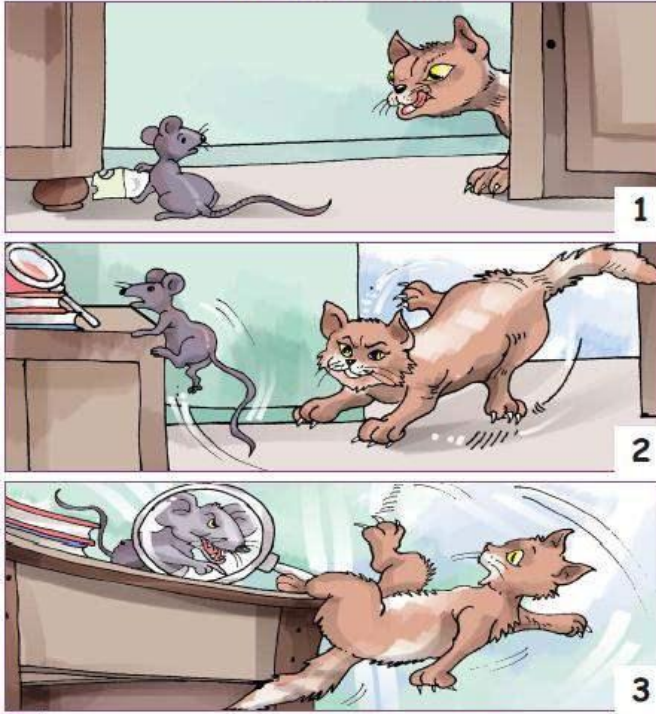
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#### LET'S DO

#### Question 1:

Look at the pictures below

THE GIANT MOUSE



- (i) What are the cat and mouse saying?
- (ii) First say this in your own language.
- (iii) Now act out the story and say the words and sentences in English.

#### Answer:

(i) Cat: "Hey tiny mouse! Where are you going? I am going to eat you today. I am very hungry."

Mouse: "Oh my God! What should I do now? Okay I can see a table, let me jump onto that."

(after a few seconds...)

Mouse: "Alright, I can see something I can use to scare this cat."

Cat: "Oh my God! What creature is this! Let me run for my life." (ii)

Do as directed.

(iii) Do as directed.