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**DONE READING**



Judith

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TIME

What is the island covered with?

nut bushes

the lake

boys and girls

berry bushes



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0008



Where is the island?



middle of the road



middle of the night

middle of the sea



middle of the lake



Judith

TIME

0016

One fall when the nuts were ripe, and the leaves on the hazel bushes were golden and green--Nutkin and Twinkleberry and all the other little squirrels came out of the wood, and down to the edge of the lake.

GO

DONE READING



0016

TIME

Which animals came with Nutkin?

only Twinkleberry

Old Brown the owl

nuts and leaves

Twinkleberry and other squirrels

0024

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DONE READING



0024

What had turned golden
and green?

lake

leaves

one fall

Nutkin



0032

They made little rafts out of sticks, and they paddled away over the water to Owl Island to gather nuts.

Each squirrel had a little sack and a large oar, and fanned out his tail for a sail.

They also took with them three fat mice as a present for Old Brown, and put them down upon his door step.

**DONE READING**

0032

How did the squirrels use
their tails?

as oars

Nutkin

as sticks

as sails

0032

What did the squirrels
leave for Old Brown?

nuts

rats

mice

an owl's name

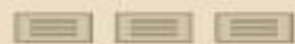
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0034

TIME

A cartoon character named Judith, a grey wolf-like creature with yellow hair, a wide toothy grin, and a blue tank top with a yellow 'GO' and stars. She is pointing towards the text box.

Art can make us see objects in a new way. Sometimes art looks like the real world. The artist makes the picture look like it came from a camera. But it didn't. The artist draws in this manner for a reason. He wants us to discover something new. He wants to show us what he has seen.





0034

TIME

What does "object" mean
in this story?

a world

something we want to
do

something in a picture

a camera



0034

TIME

How do we see objects
when we look at art?

in a new way

slowly

by closing our eyes

through a camera





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a camera

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a world

GO



0036



Sometimes, art does not look like the real world at all. We may see shapes. People are circles. Buildings are squares. Or we may see colors, like a big blue spot. Or yellow lines. You can play a game with your friends. Guess what each shape or color means. There is no right answer. It's just for fun.





0036

TIME

According to this story,
who can we play a game
with?

friends

buildings

blue spots

artists



0044

TIME

What are circles and squares?

lines

friends

shapes

colors

GO

0052

TIME



People have made art for thousands of years.

When people lived in caves, they made art on the cave walls. They used animal blood as paint. The pictures showed scenes from their lives. Later, people painted their tents and boats with many colors. They used beads to make their clothes beautiful. This is a kind of art, too.





Judith

0052

TIME

In the story, what did people use to make pictures?

beautiful

beads

tents

animal blood



Judith

TIME

0060

Where did people paint?

on animals

in the living room

with blood

on cave walls





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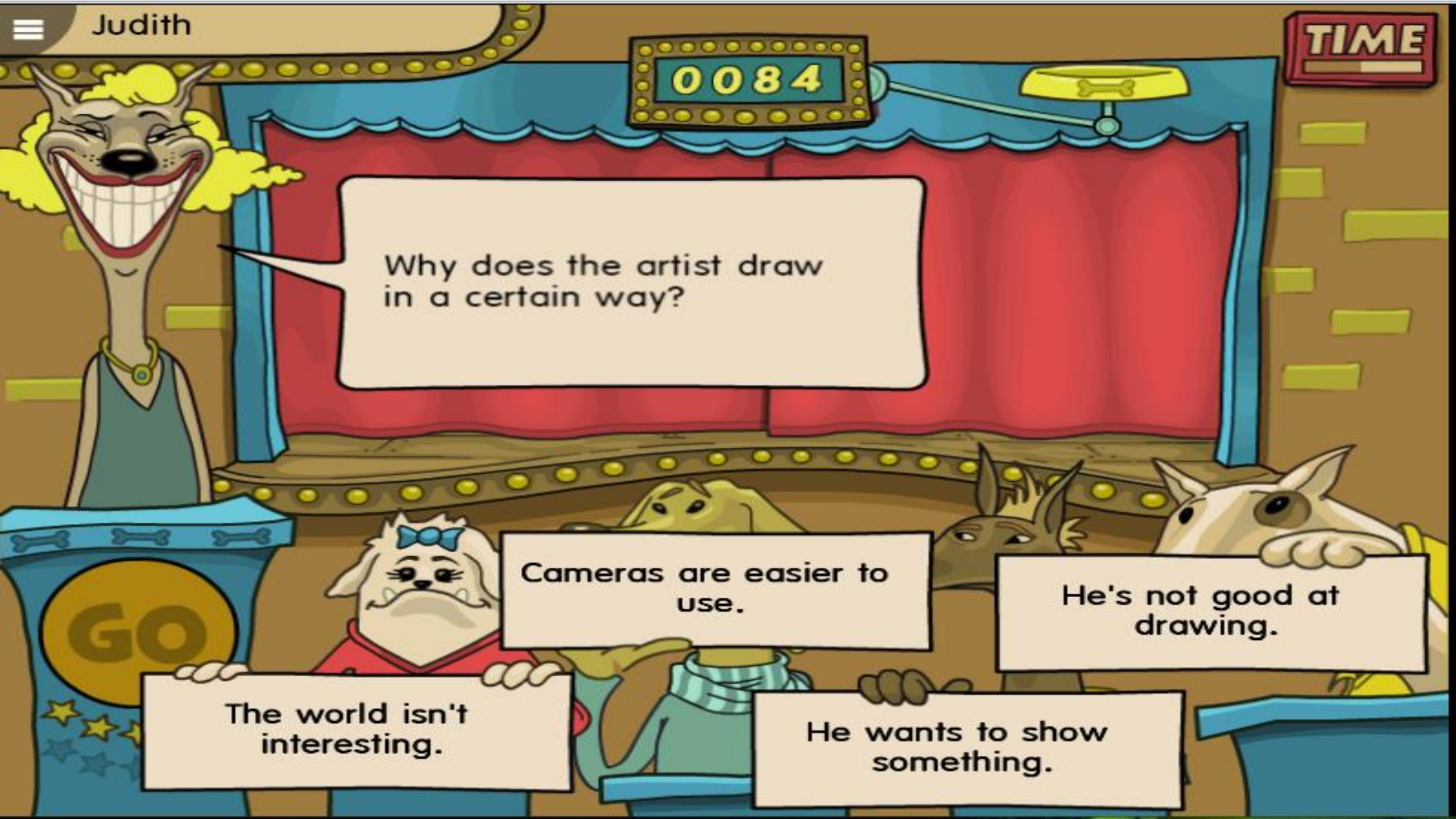
Why does the artist draw
in a certain way?

Cameras are easier to
use.

He's not good at
drawing.

The world isn't
interesting.

He wants to show
something.





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Who is an "artist"?



someone who makes art



someone who looks at art



a kind of camera



someone who studies teeth



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**DONE READING**

0100

Why do we play a game with art?

to guess a big number

with friends

to know the right answer

to have fun



0108

What do we see in art?

shapes and colors

sometimes

the real world

the right answer





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**DONE READING**

0116

What is art?

It is a way of painting.

It is a kind of cave.

It is only clothing.

It can be different things.



0116

TIME

Where did people put beads?

on clothes

into animal blood

people who lived in caves

on cave walls





0118

TIME



When you read stories or watch a movie, you see all kinds of animals and people. Some are real, but some are not. Dragons breathe fire. Elves make magic. Ghosts float from place to place. But dragons, elves, and ghosts are not real. They do not live anywhere, except in stories and movies.





Judith

0118

TIME

In this story, what do dragons do?

sad and mad

write stories

make magic

breathe fire





0126

In this story, what do
elves do?

watch movies

float around

make magic

at home

GO



Other weird things may happen in stories and movies. Scarecrows may talk. Dolphins may tell riddles. Princes and princesses may have secret powers. Of course, scarecrows, dolphins, and princes and princesses are all real. But in real life, they don't do these weird things. Scarecrows are stuffed with hay. They can't talk. Dolphins do make sounds, but they can't tell riddles.





Judith

TIME

0134



In real life, what would be stuffed with hay?



princes



dolphins



weird



scarecrows



0142

What could a princess have in a story but not in real life?

fish and dolphins

tell riddles

hay

secret powers



0166

Another animal you will meet in stories is the whale. We know whales are real. These huge animals live deep in the ocean. Long ago, people hunted whales. They used whale fat for oil, and whale bones for tools. But whales remain a mystery to us. That's why people like to imagine what they are like, and read about them in stories.



0166

Which animal is real?

whale

ghost

tool

dragon



0174

Where do whales live?

on land

in stories only

in the ocean

long ago





0182

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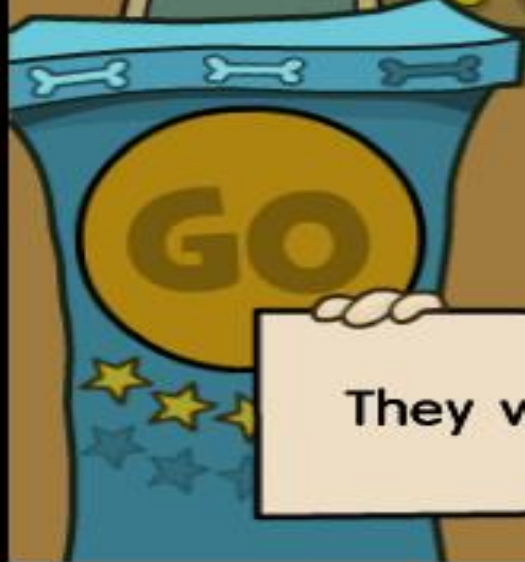
**DONE READING**



0182



Why aren't ghosts real?



They walk and run.

They watch movies.

floating

They only live in stories.





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Where can you see dragons?

only in stories or movies

at the supermarket

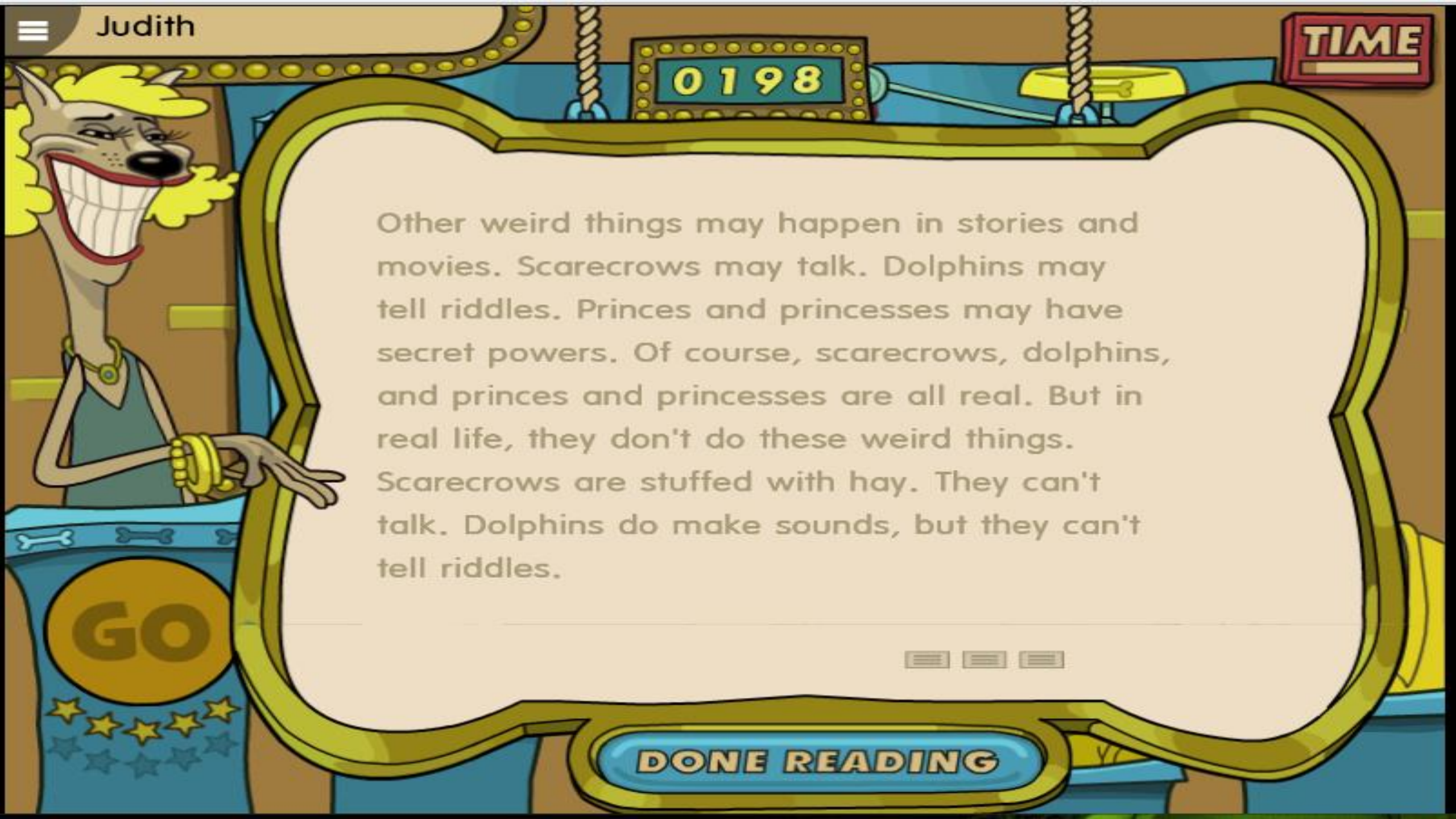
only in the United States

breathing fire



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**DONE READING**



Judith

TIME

0198

When do dolphins tell riddles?

only at night

only in real life

when they breathe air

when they are in stories



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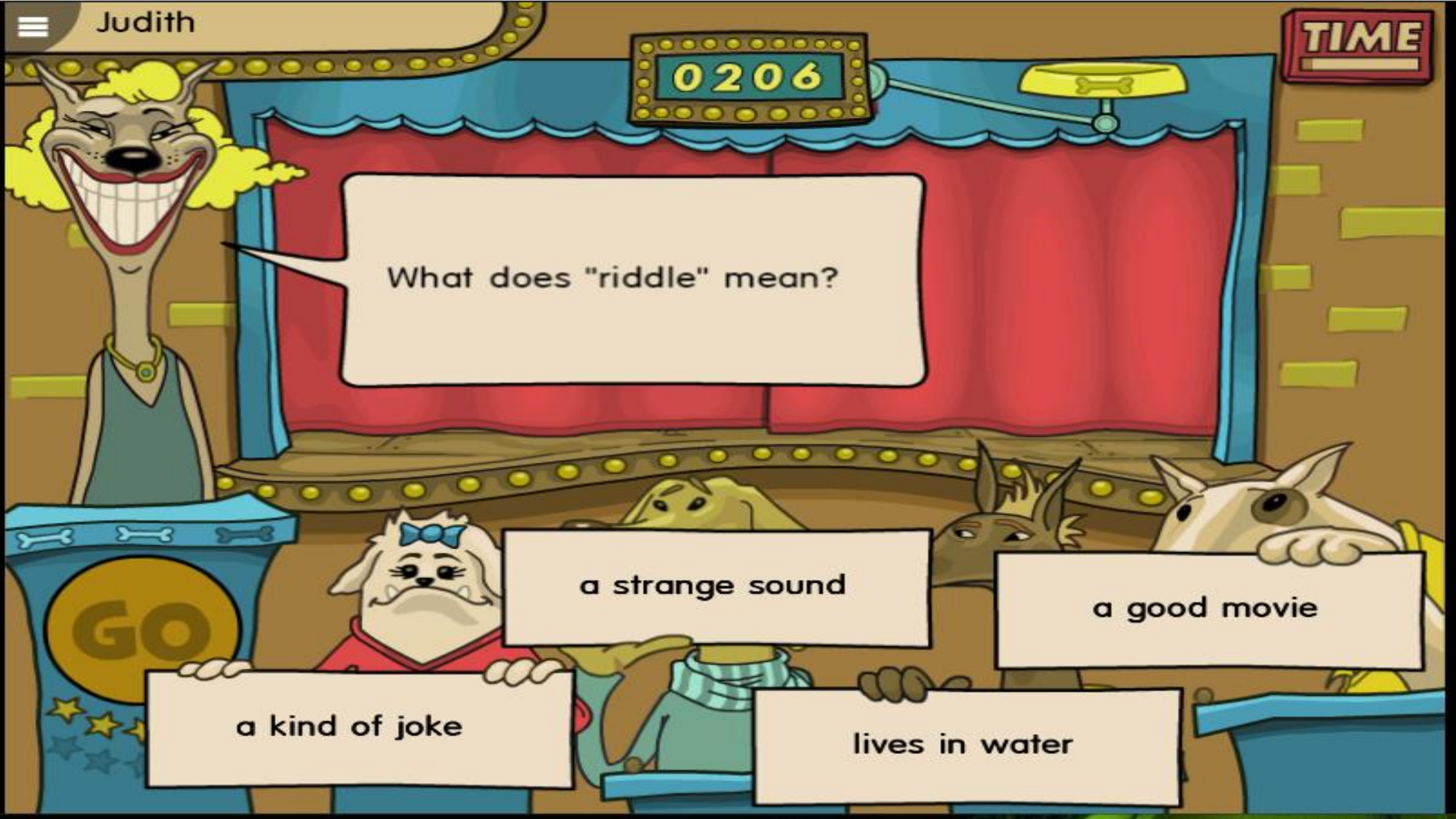
What does "riddle" mean?

a strange sound

a good movie

a kind of joke

lives in water



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DONE READING

0238

Why did people hunt whales?

to get water

reading in stories

to remain a mystery

to get fat and bones

0246

TIME



Once upon a time there was a cat called Ribby, who invited a little dog called Duchess to tea.

"Come in good time, my dear Duchess," said Ribby's letter, "and we will have something so very nice. I am baking it in a pie dish — a pie dish with a pink rim. You never tasted anything so good! And you shall eat it all! I will eat muffins, my dear Duchess!" wrote Ribby.





Judith

0246

TIME

Which animal is Duchess?

muffins

the dog

the cat

the pie