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0000

Which animal is Duchess?

the pie

the dog

muffins

the cat

0008

Which one is the cat?

Ribby

a letter

a pie

Duchess



0016

TIME



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0016

TIME

When did Duchess send the letter?

after the party

after changing it

before changing it

postman

0016

TIME

Which one is writing now?

a letter

Duchess

a mouse

Ribby



0017

TIME



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0017

TIME

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before changing it

postman

after changing it

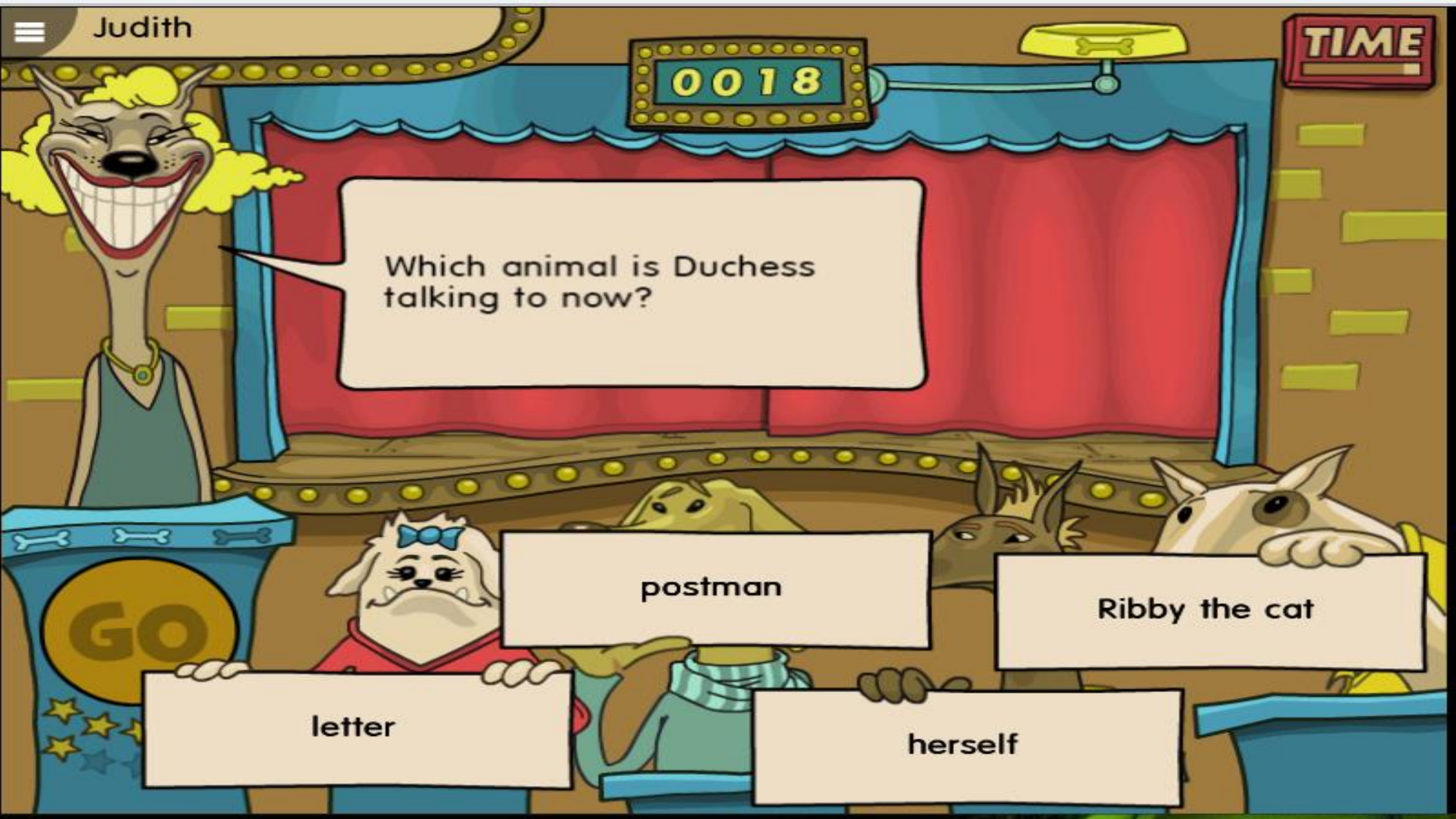
after the party



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again.

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COULDN'T eat mouse pie. And I shall have to
eat it, because it is a party."





0018

TIME

Which animal is Duchess talking to now?

postman

Ribby the cat

letter

herself



Judith

TIME

0026

How does Duchess feel now?

happy

sad

scared

asleep





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TIME

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Judith

TIME

0027



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Ribby

a letter



a pie



Duchess



Judith

TIME

0035

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0043

TIME



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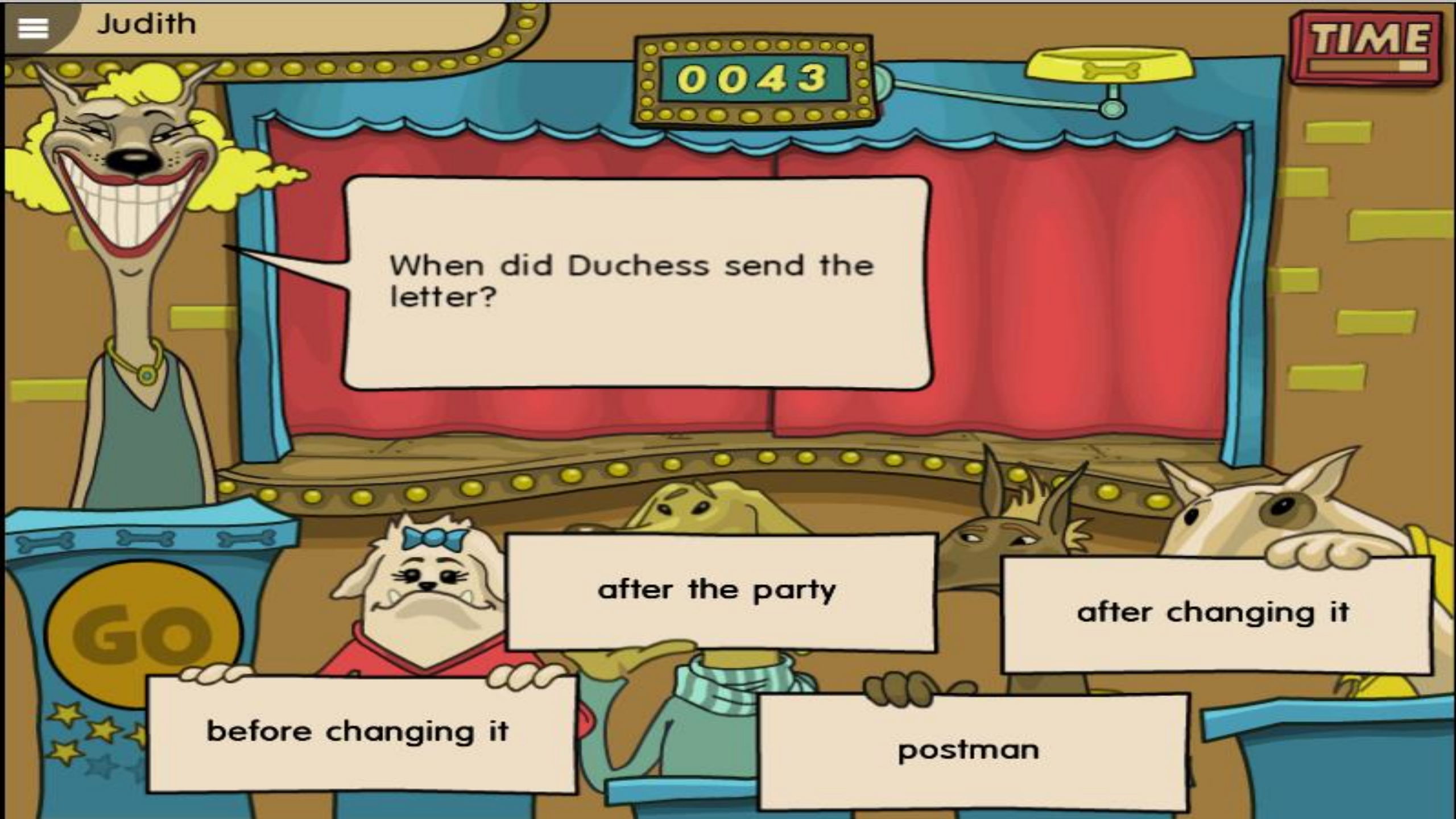
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after the party

after changing it

before changing it

postman





0051



Which one is writing now?



Ribby

a letter



Duchess

a mouse



0059



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Judith

0059

TIME

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scared

happy

asleep

sad



0083

Which animal is Duchess talking to now?

letter

Ribby the cat

herself

postman



0091



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**DONE READING**



0091

What will Ribby eat?

meat

muffins

pink rim

beans



0091

How does Ribby tell
Duchess about the tea
party?

little dog

by yelling

by telephone

by letter



0092



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DONE READING



0093



Who took the letter?



postman



changed it



teacher



another dog



0101

TIME

What does Duchess think that Ribby will bake?

fish

bread

mouse pie

apple pie

GO



0109

TIME



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DONE READING



0109

What does Duchess read over and over again?

Duchess's letter

Ribby's letter

the next day

a good book



0117

TIME

When would Duchess have
to eat a mouse pie?

while at work

yesterday

while at home

while at a party



Once upon a time there were four little Rabbits, and their names were -- Flopsy, Mopsy, Cotton-tail, and Peter. They lived with their Mother in a sand bank, underneath the root of a very big fir tree.





0141

Where do the Rabbits live?

on a branch

on the beach

under a tree

four



0149

How many little Rabbits
are there?

six

three

Flopsy

four



0157



"Now, my dears," said old Mrs. Rabbit one morning, "you may go into the fields or down the lane, but don't go into Mr. McGregor's garden: your Father had an accident there; he was put in a pie by Mrs. McGregor."
"Now run along, and don't get into trouble. I am going out."





0157



Which animal is talking to the little Rabbits?



Mrs. McGregor



Father Rabbit



Mrs. Rabbit



into the fields





Judith

TIME

0165

Where can the little Rabbits go?

Mr. McGregor's garden

big city

fields or the lane

make a pie

GO

0173

TIME



Then old Mrs. Rabbit took a basket and her umbrella, and went through the wood to the baker's. She bought a loaf of brown bread and five currant buns.

Flopsy, Mopsy, and Cotton-tail, who were good little bunnies, went down the lane to gather blackberries; But Peter, who was very naughty, ran straight away to Mr. McGregor's garden, and crawled under the gate!



0173

Where did Mrs. Rabbit go?

basket and umbrella

to the berry patch

to the baker's

to the wood shop

0181

In the story, what does the word "naughty" mean?

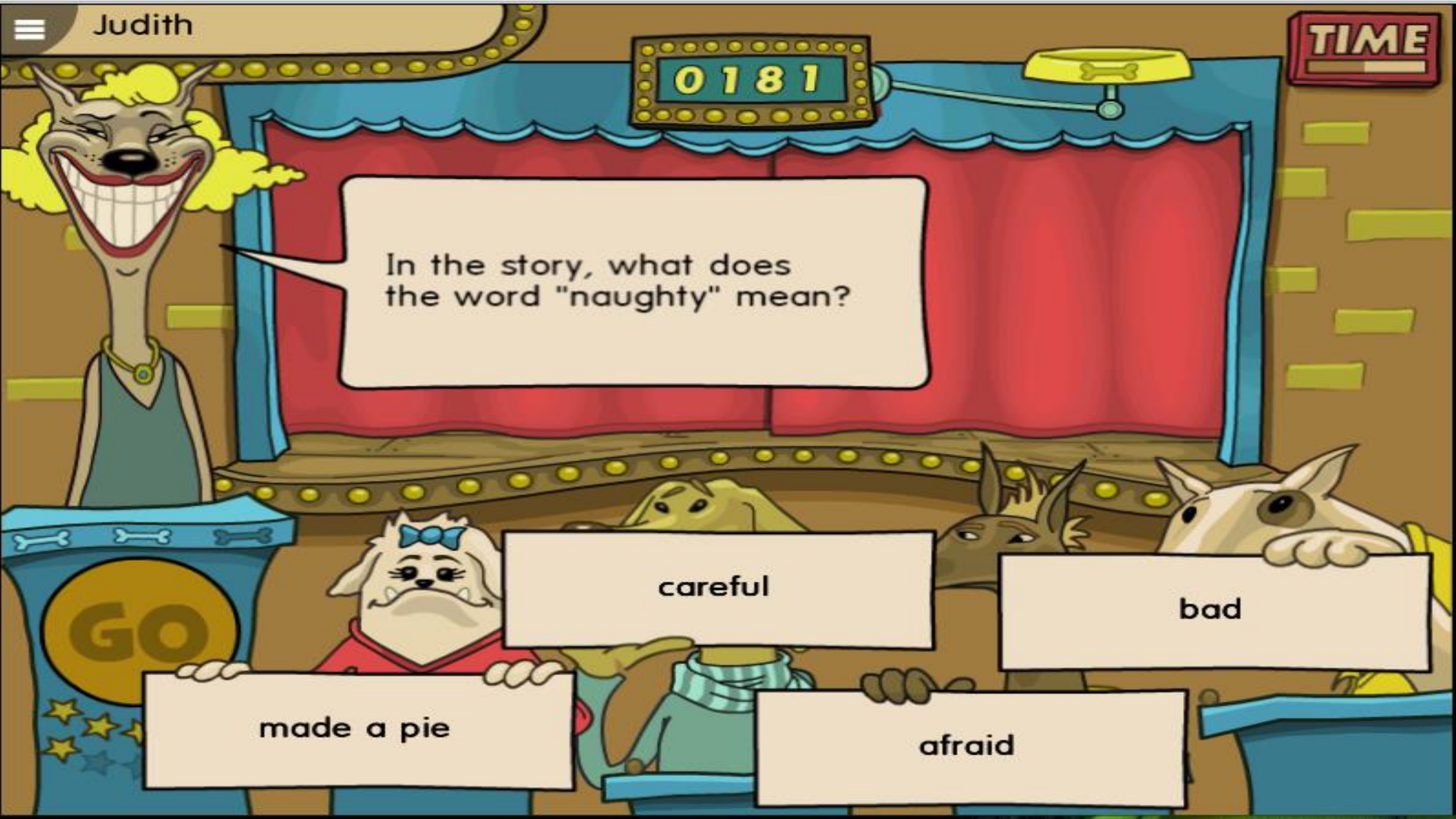


made a pie

careful

afraid

bad





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Judith

0205

TIME

What is the Rabbits' house made of?

sand

brick

snow

wood



Judith

0213

TIME

Which animal lives with
the little Rabbits?

in a sand bank

Aunt Rabbit

Mother Rabbit

Father Rabbit



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DONE READING



0221

How does Mrs. Rabbit
speak to the little
Rabbits?

She feeds them.

She asks them
questions.

She makes them
laugh.

She tells them what to
do.



Judith

0229

TIME

When did the Father get
put in a pie?

when he went to the
lane

when he met Mrs.
Rabbit

when he picked
berries

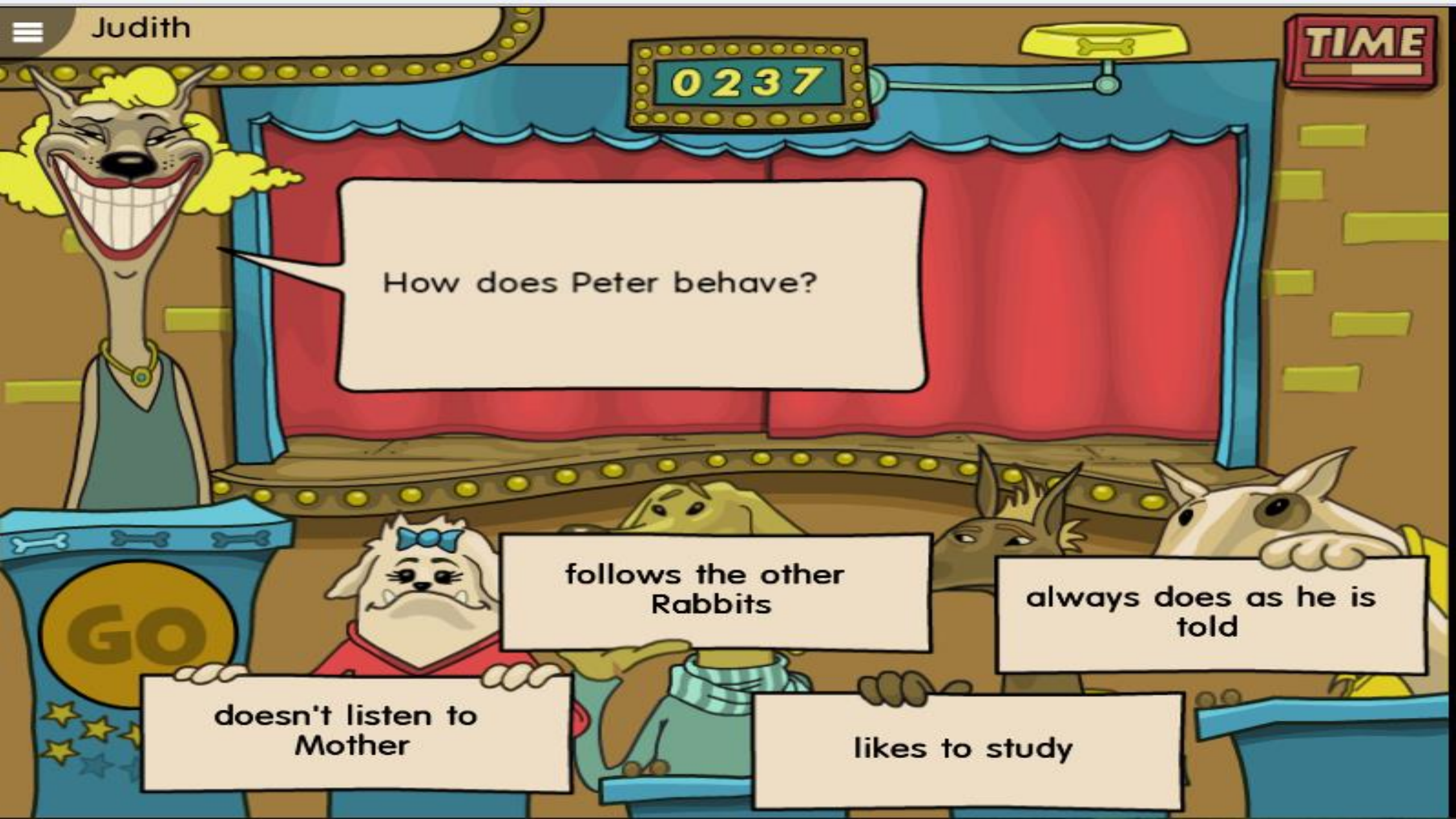
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garden



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DONE READING



Judith

0237

TIME

How does Peter behave?

follows the other
Rabbits

always does as he is
told

doesn't listen to
Mother

likes to study

0245

What did the good bunnies do?

gathered blackberries

Flopsy, Mopsy, Cotton-tail

bought five buns

went into the garden



When you see a word that you do not know, look it up in the dictionary. You can find words starting with A at the beginning, and words starting with Z at the end. Once you find a word, you can read its definition. This tells you what the word means.





0269

What does "dictionary"
mean in this story?

good newspaper

book with words and
meanings

book with stories

when you don't know

Judith

TIME

0277

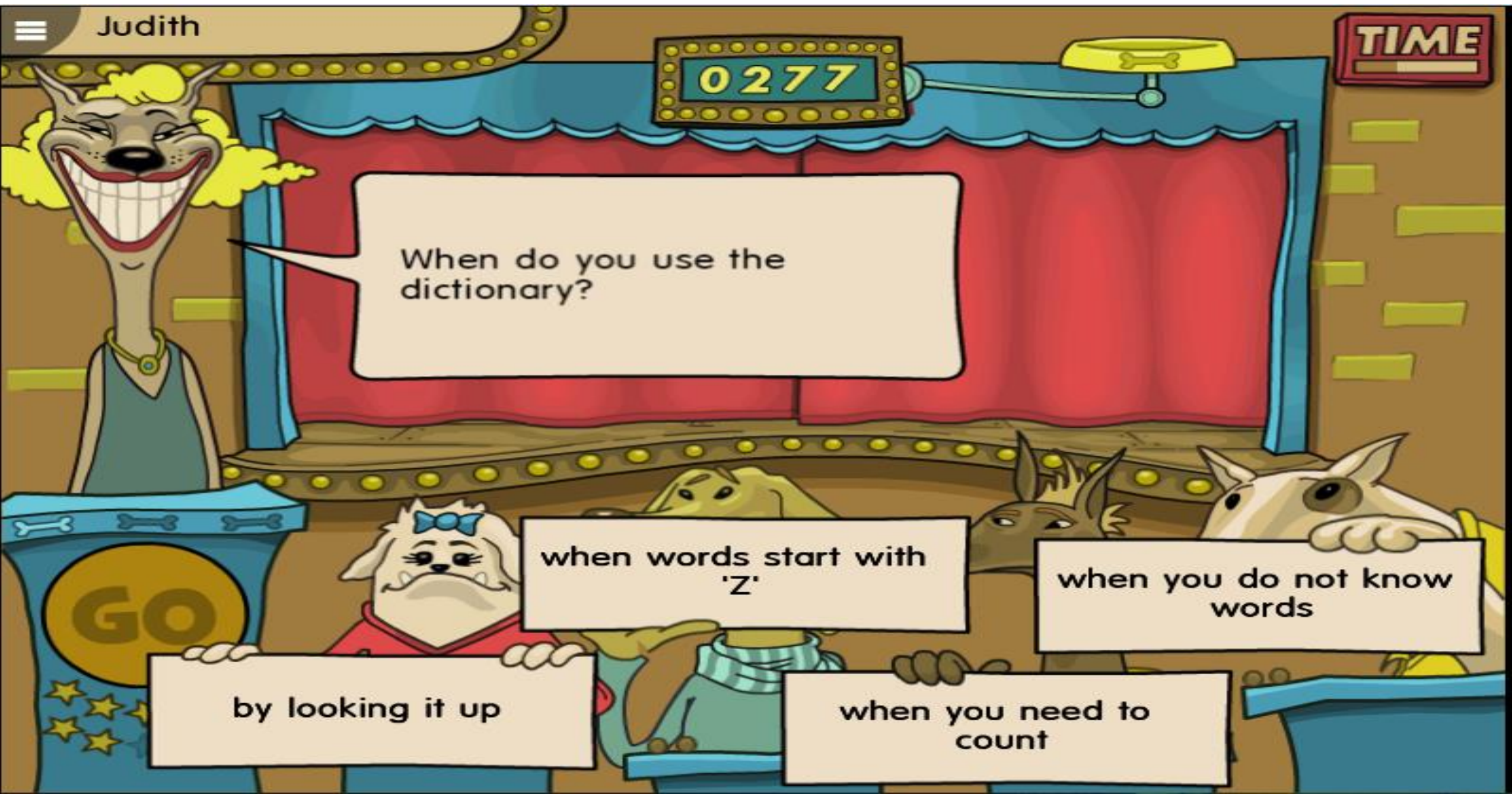
When do you use the dictionary?


when words start with
'Z'

when you do not know
words

by looking it up

when you need to
count



A cartoon character named Judith, a grey dog with yellow hair, is smiling and pointing towards the text box. She is wearing a blue tank top and a yellow necklace. The background is a stylized, colorful environment with a blue and yellow color scheme.

Often, a word has more than one meaning. In this case, you will see more than one definition. "Club" means a long stick. But it also means a group of people who do things together. A good dictionary will show each meaning in a sentence. Reading the sentences gives you an idea of how the meanings are different.



Judith

TIME

0285

What can you read in the dictionary, besides definitions?

long sticks

stories

sentences

newspapers



0293

TIME

How does a good dictionary help you?

reads aloud

do things together

shows meaning with sentences

makes you guess



0301



Dictionaries are useful in other ways, too. For example, you can read about the history of a word. English often borrows words from other languages. Borrowing can happen when people from different lands talk with one another. English got the word "banana" from Spanish. And borrowing can go both ways. Spanish got the word "sandwich" from English.





Judith

TIME

0301

Where did the English word "banana" come from?

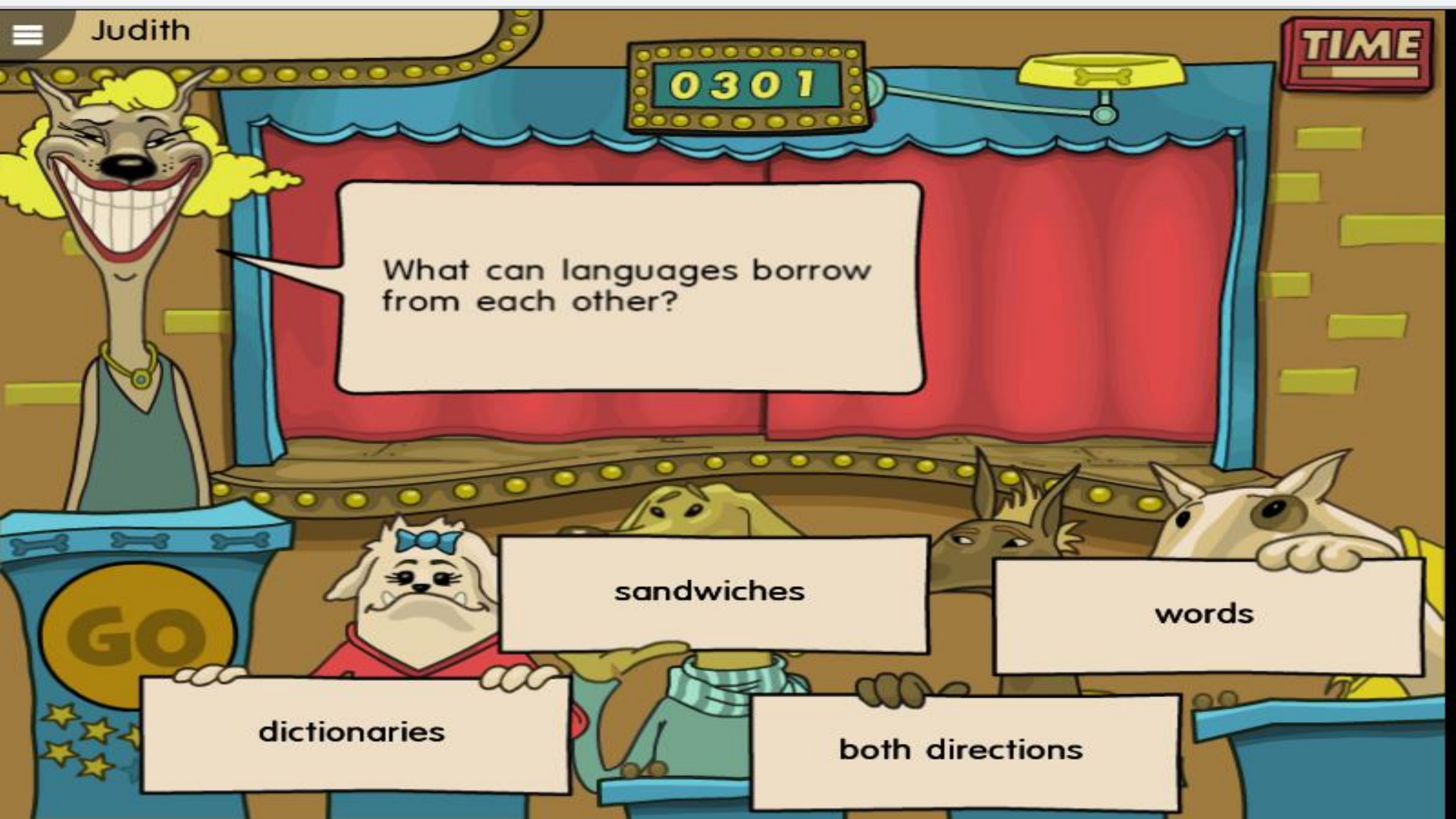
French

Spanish

a fruit tree

Chinese





Judith

0301

TIME

What can languages borrow from each other?

sandwiches

words

dictionaries

both directions



0302

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DONE READING



0303

What do "definitions" do?

help you find letters

students and teachers

tell you what words
mean

teach you the alphabet

GO



0311

How are words in the dictionary ordered?

by letter of the alphabet

Hard words come last.

a really big book

by page number



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DONE READING



0319

When does the dictionary
give two definitions?

the word has two
meanings

the word has one
meaning

the word is in a
sentence

because there's no
space

GO



0327

What does "club" mean?

a stick only

a stick or a group

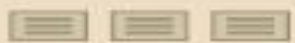
a definition

after lunch



0351

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DONE READING



0351

What word did Spanish borrow?

from English

banana

sandwich

community





Judith

0359

TIME

What does the history of
a word tell us?

a few sentences

where it came from


how to speak Spanish

its definition

GO

0367

TIME

A cartoon ant character with a long neck, wearing a blue tank top and a blue skirt with a large orange circle and the word "GO" in white. The ant has a wide, toothy grin and is holding a yellow ring. It is standing next to a large, ornate yellow frame that contains text.

Antonio Ant stayed up late one night, writing in his diary. "Another day, another bread crumb," he wrote. "I am tired of following other ants around, picking up yucky food that people spill on the floor. Why can't the rest of the ant family see that I am an individual? I need to experiment with life!"





0367



TIME



When does the story begin?



early in morning

at bed time



late at night



after dinner





Judith

0375

TIME

What kind of animal is Antonio?

cat

bread

rat

ant

GO



0383



Just then, Alfonso Ant cried out. "Mr. Harvey just spilled his midnight snack on the kitchen floor! Peanut butter on white bread! Everybody wake up!"

Antonio sighed. He did not want to go. Then he had an idea. "Maybe this is a chance to escape the ant life," thought Antonio. "No one will realize that I am gone."





0383

TIME

Where is the peanut
butter on white bread?

the floor

the lunch bag

midnight

the refrigerator



Judith

TIME

0391

Which animal cries out to the others?

Alfonso Ant

Mr. Harvey

snack

Antonio Ant



0391

TIME



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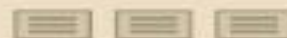


0392



By the next morning, Antonio had reached the Harveys' backyard. He was hungry. "I don't understand," he said to himself. "Finding food used to be so easy."

Two hours later, Alfonso found Antonio. "Don't you know that ants depend on one another?" he yelled. "Now come on, there's a nice piece of cupcake on the floor inside, I'll show you."



0392

What does Antonio want to do now?



run fast

easy

eat something

drink something

