



Lost and Found

It was a Saturday night. The sky was dark, but sparkling as though there were several diamonds sprinkled on it.



"Tomorrow is a holiday so we don't need to sleep early," said Alok. Vidya says, "Come let's take a walk in the garden." "Magic Potli and the others say, "Sounds like fun!" They hold hands and start walking.

They had almost reached the gate when Magic Potli got caught on a branch and felt a sharp pain. "Ouch!" says Magic Potli and it realises that something is not right, so Alok and Vidya check if it is injured and find a hole in Magic Potli.



**Jj, Vv, Ww,
and Xx have
gone missing**



They open it to look inside and find that the Letters Jj, Vv, Ww, and Xx have gone missing. All three of them feel very sad for having lost the letters and start looking for the missing letters.

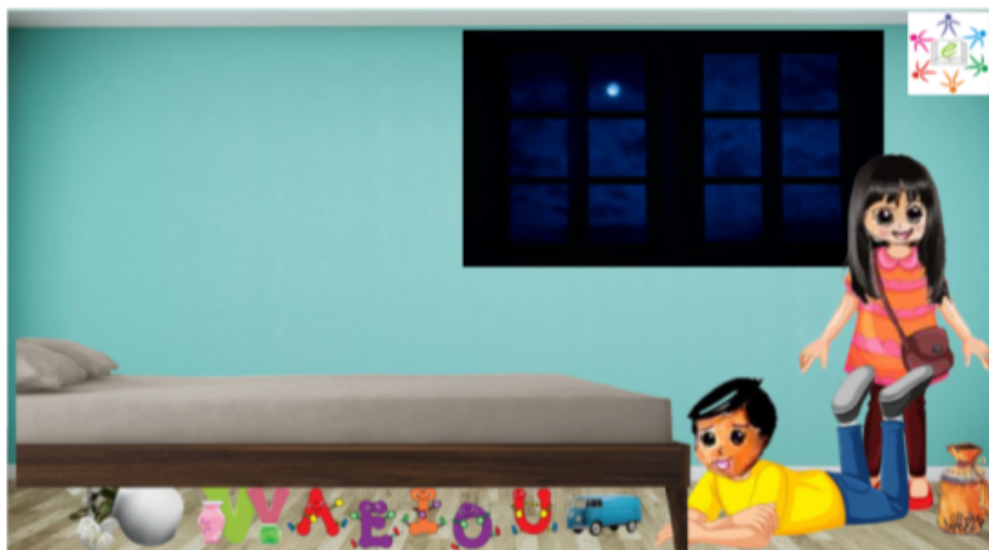


They are walking back to the house looking for the lost letters when suddenly, Alok hears a sound and wonders what created that sound.



He slowly approaches the sound coming from the cupboard. He opens the cupboard and finds the Letter Jj along with a joker, jug, and bottle of jam and he says, "Letter Jj has been found. Now let's look for the others."

They walk to the bedroom. Under the bed Vidya finds the Letter Vv with Alok's toy van along with vowels and a vase. Alok says, "Letter Vv, we found you!" They continue looking around when they hear a sound from the hall. They rush to see the Letter Ww standing near the window. "We found them all!" shouts Alok.





Vidya says, "Alok, we still need to look for Letter Xx." Alok looks around and on the table he finds Letter Xx holding an x-ray of his fractured leg. "Now we have found them all!" Alok screams with joy



Vidya says, "Great work, Alok! You have now learnt to identify words with the beginning sounds."

Vidya quickly takes a needle and thread to mend Magic Potli's tear. She stitches Magic Potli up neatly and it immediately feels better. The letters are tired and go to sleep in the Magic Potli. Alok and Vidya go to their bedroom and dream of a new day.

