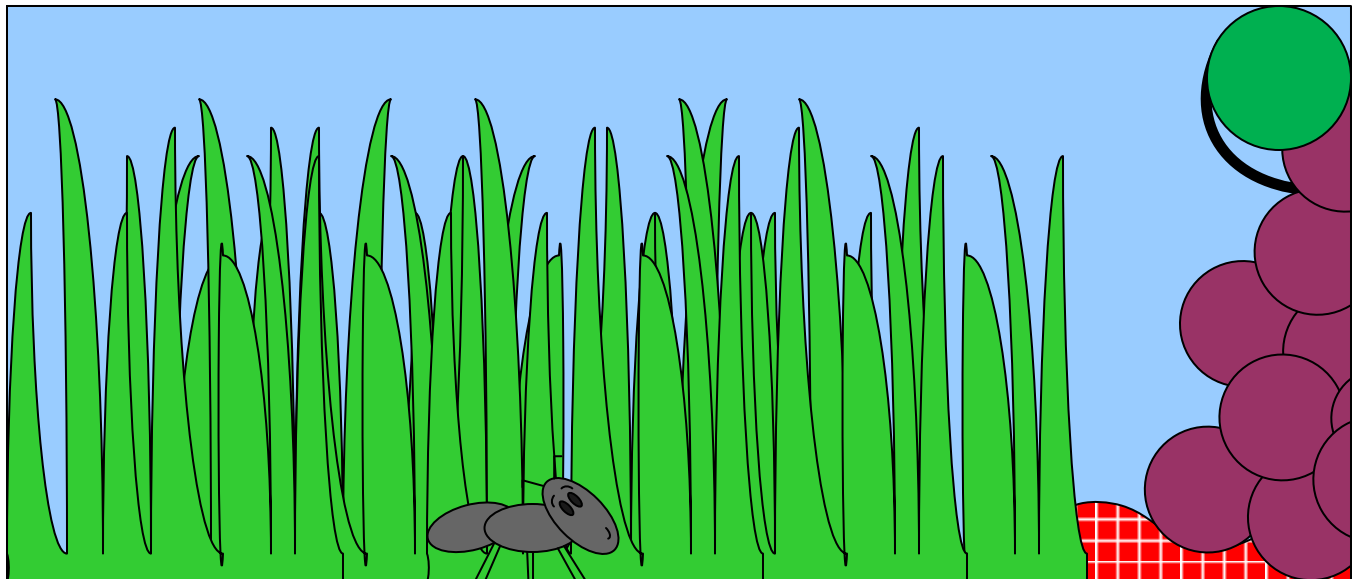


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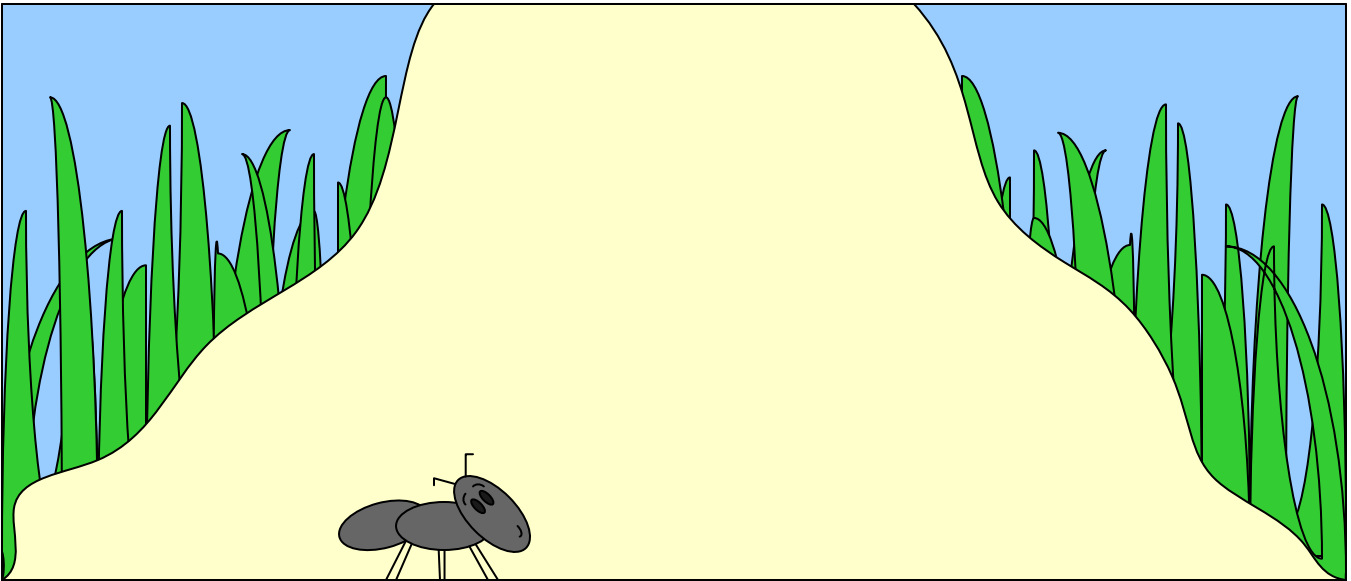
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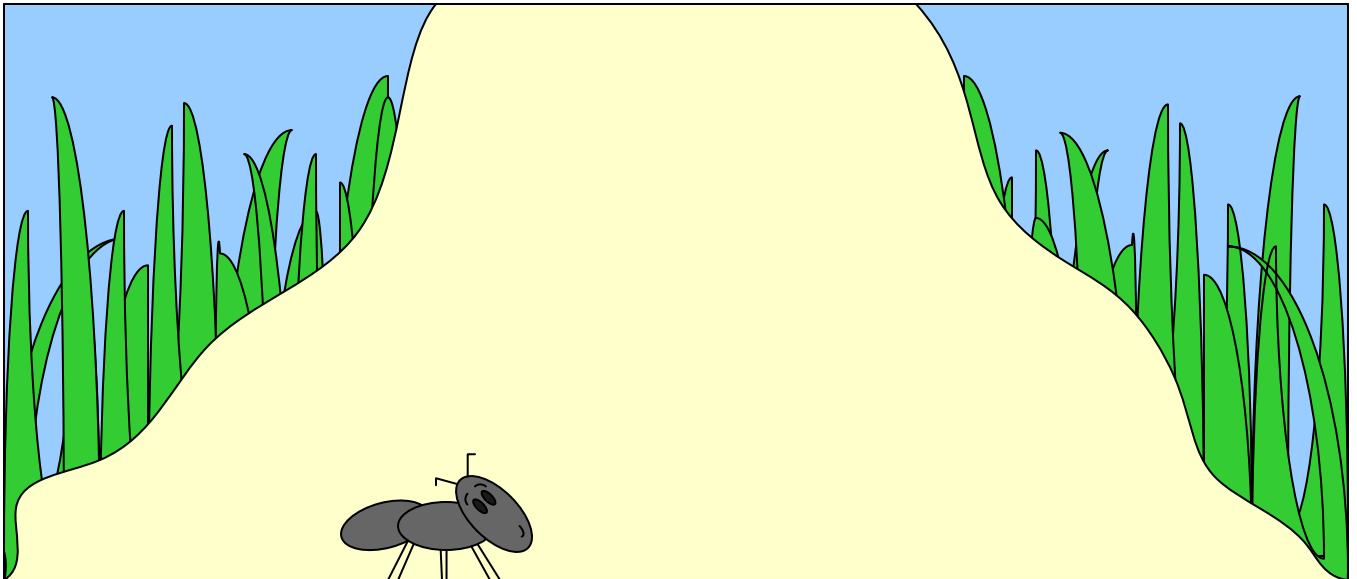
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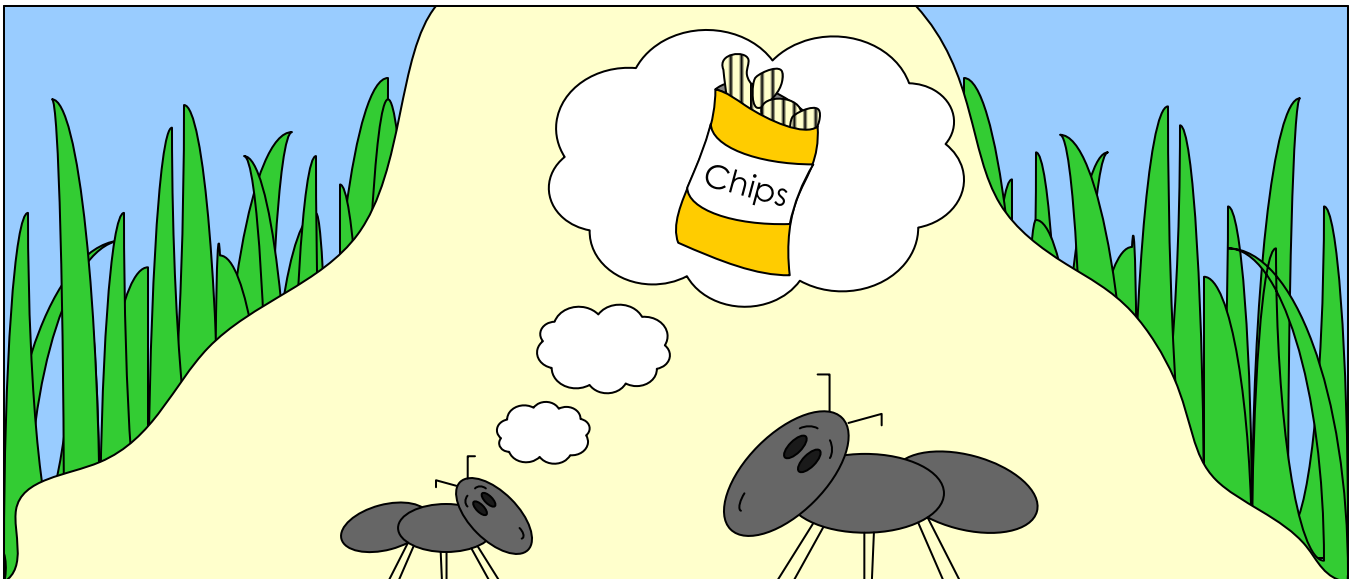


Ant is very happy. Today he will go on his first picnic.



Ant does not know what the picnic will be like, but he does know that the picnic will be a lot of fun.

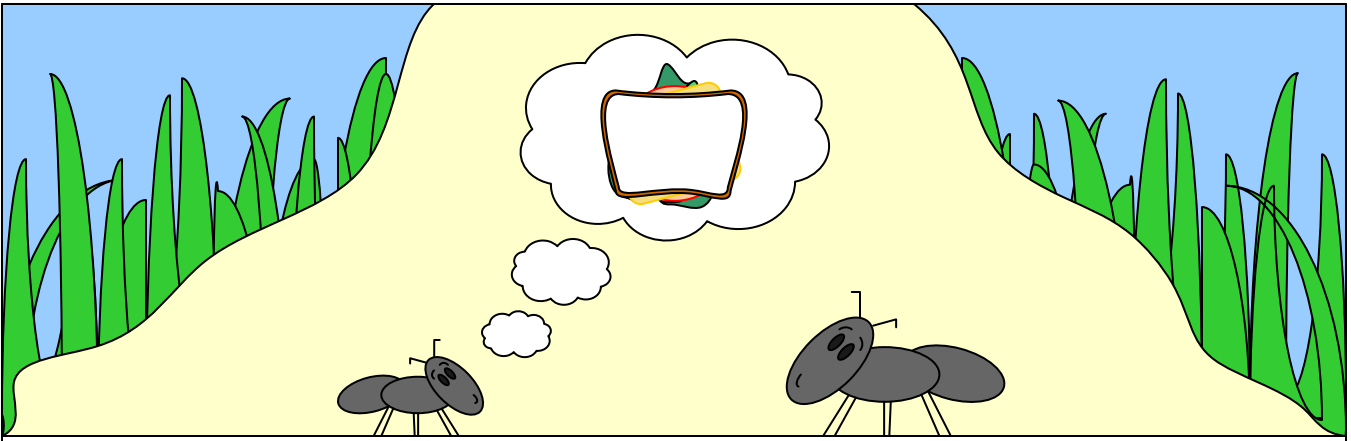
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“Will we eat some chips?” asked Ant.

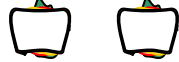
“We might eat some chips,” Mom said.

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“Mom, what will we eat at the picnic?” asked Ant.

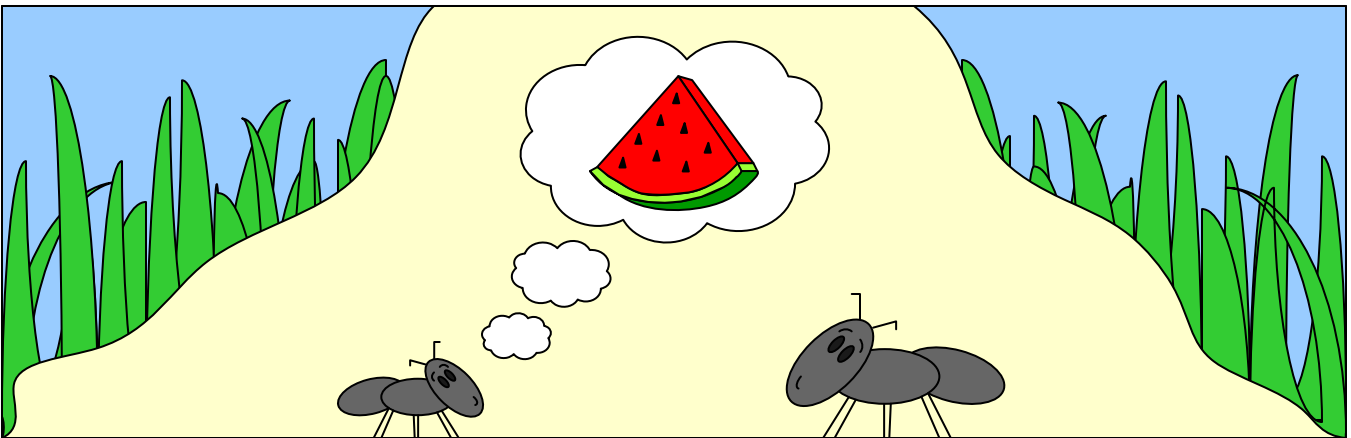
“Will we eat sandwiches?”



“We might eat sandwiches,” Mom said.



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“Will we eat some watermelon?” asked Ant.

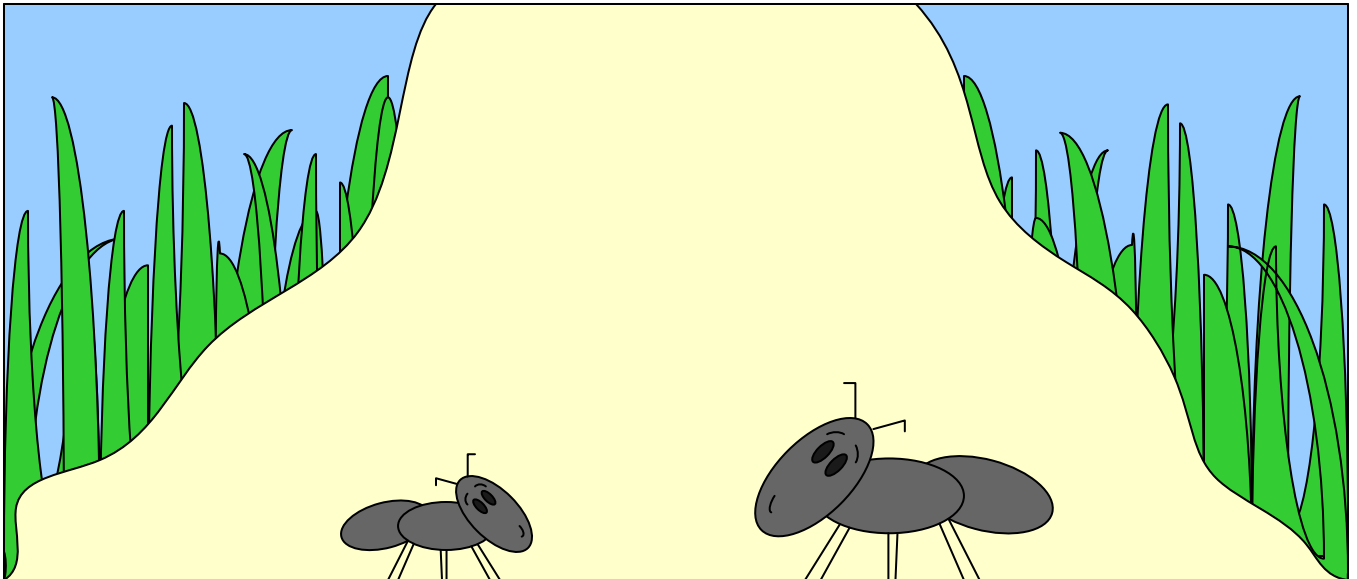


“We might eat some watermelon,” Mom said. I



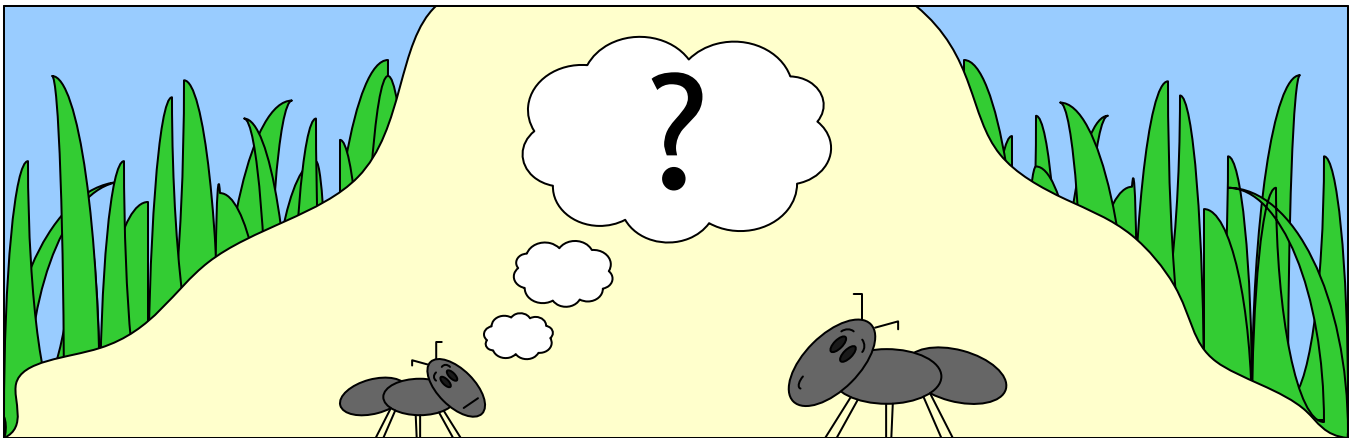
hope we do.

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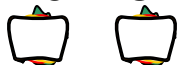


“Mom, why do you not know what we will eat? Are you making the snacks? Please tell me,” said Ant.

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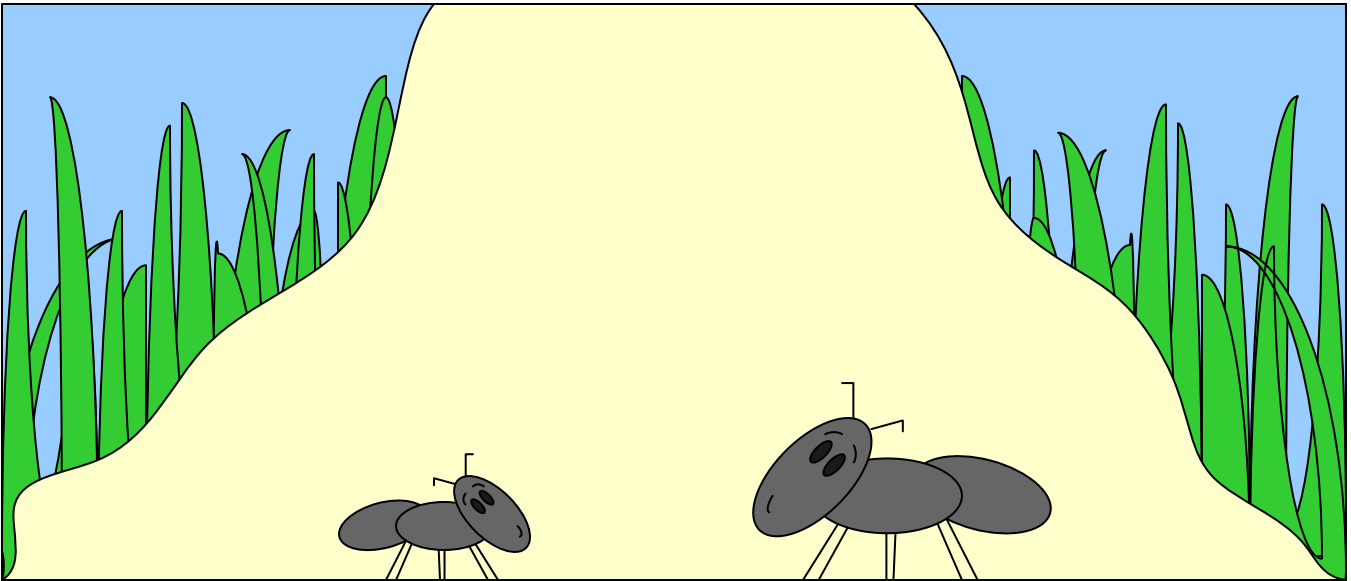


Ant did not know what to think. He wanted to eat sandwiches, chips, and watermelon at the picnic.



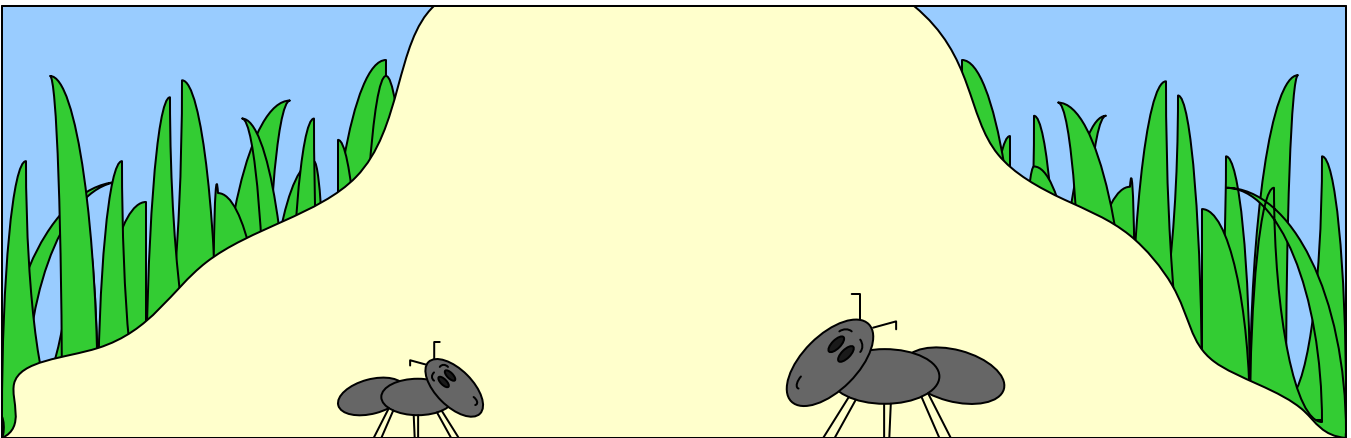
He had to wait and see what there would be to eat at the picnic.

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“Wait and see,” Mom said. “You will see when we are at the picnic.”

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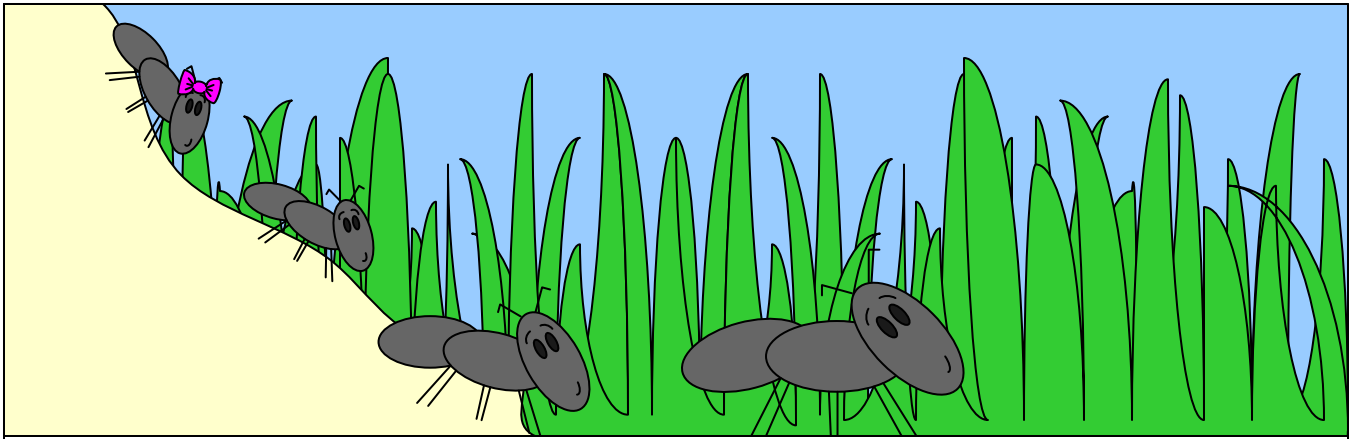


Ant was tired of waiting for the picnic.

“Mom, is it time to go eat at the picnic?” asked Ant.

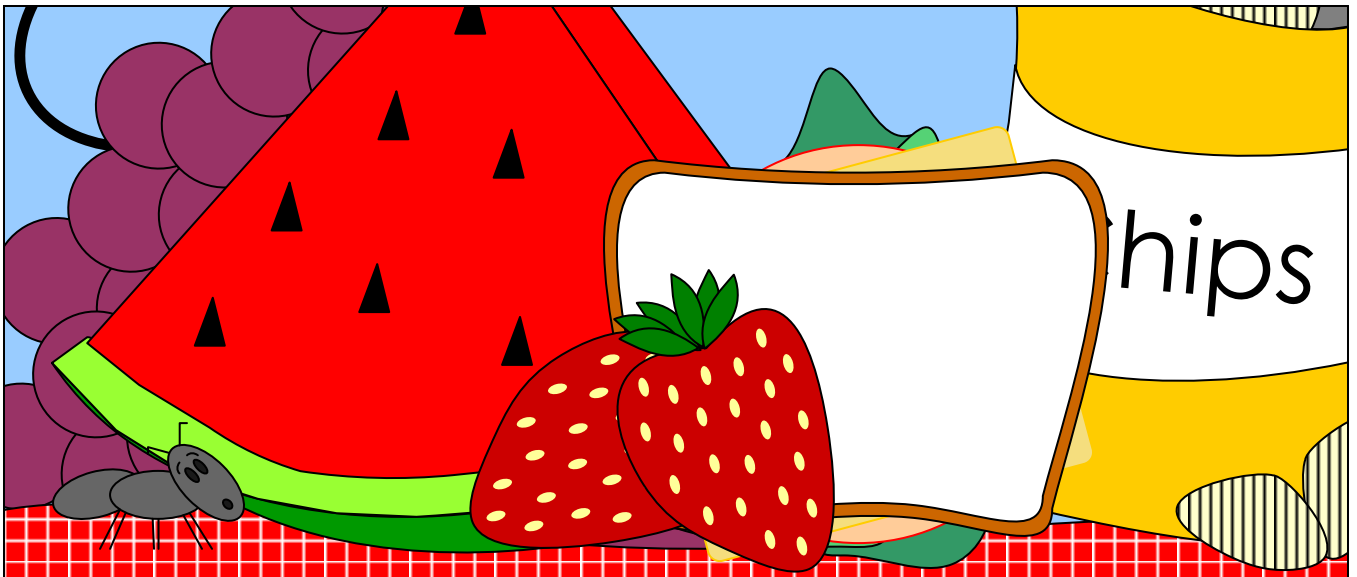
“I want to go now!”

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“OK, son,” Mom said. “It is time to eat. We can go now.” Dad, Mom, Ant, and Sister all went to the picnic. They were all very happy.

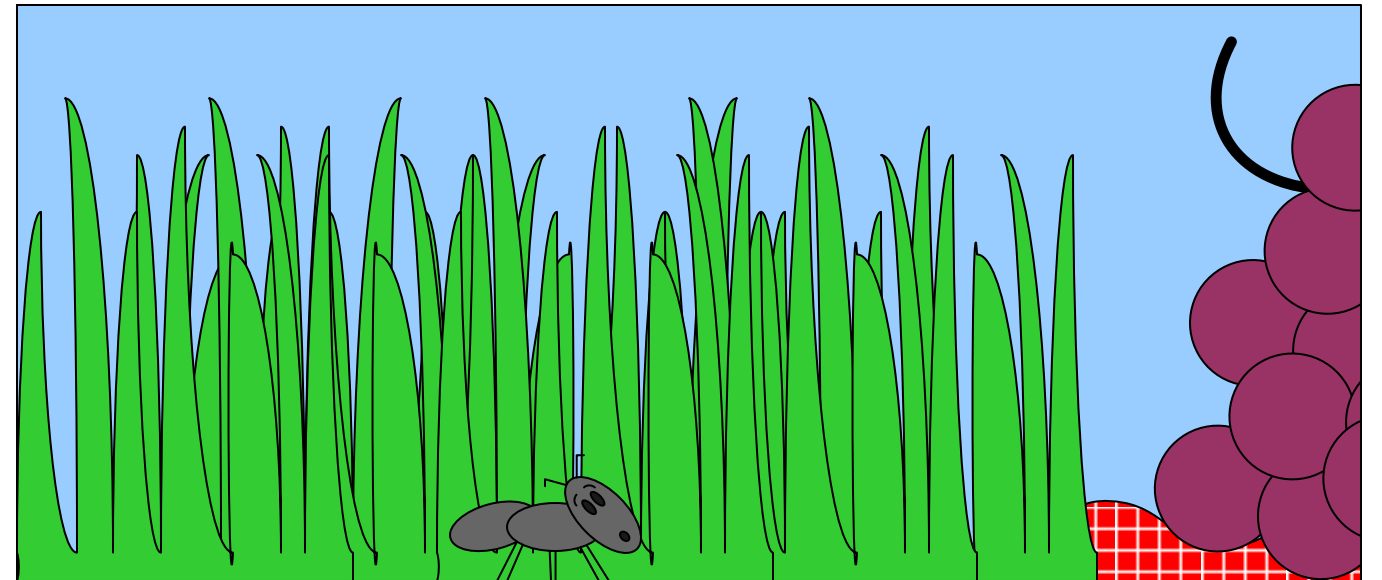
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He saw grapes, sandwiches, chips, strawberries,  
watermelon, and many, many other things to eat.

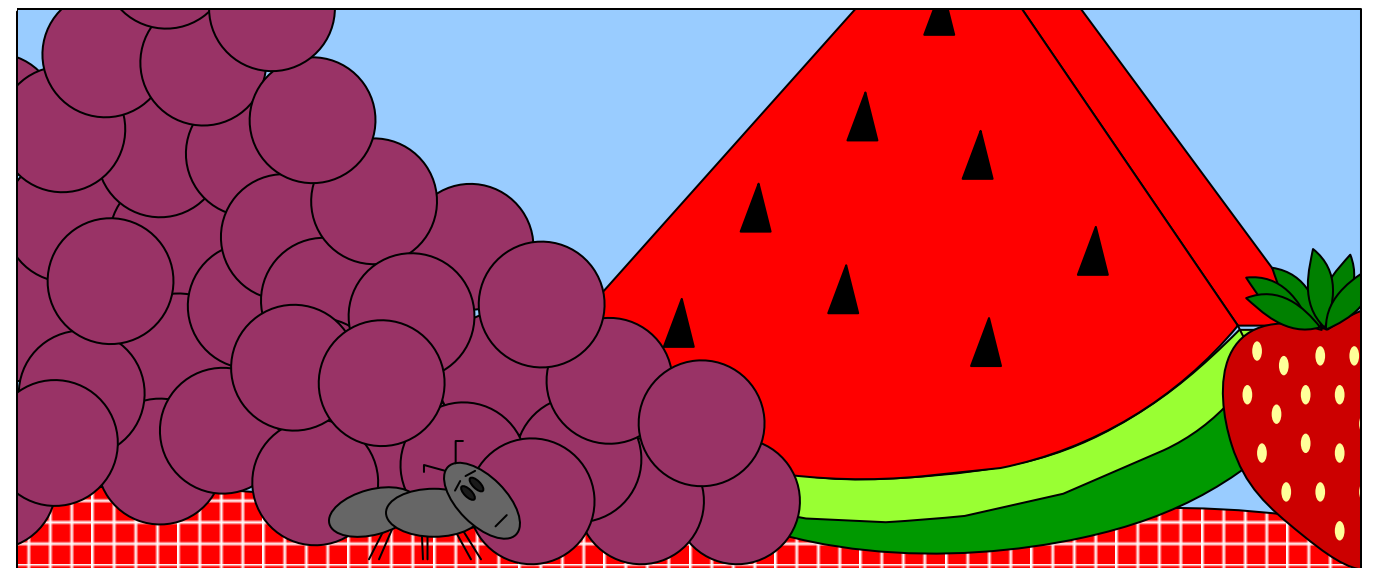


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When they got to the picnic, Ant saw many things to eat. "Wow!" he said. Ant was so happy!

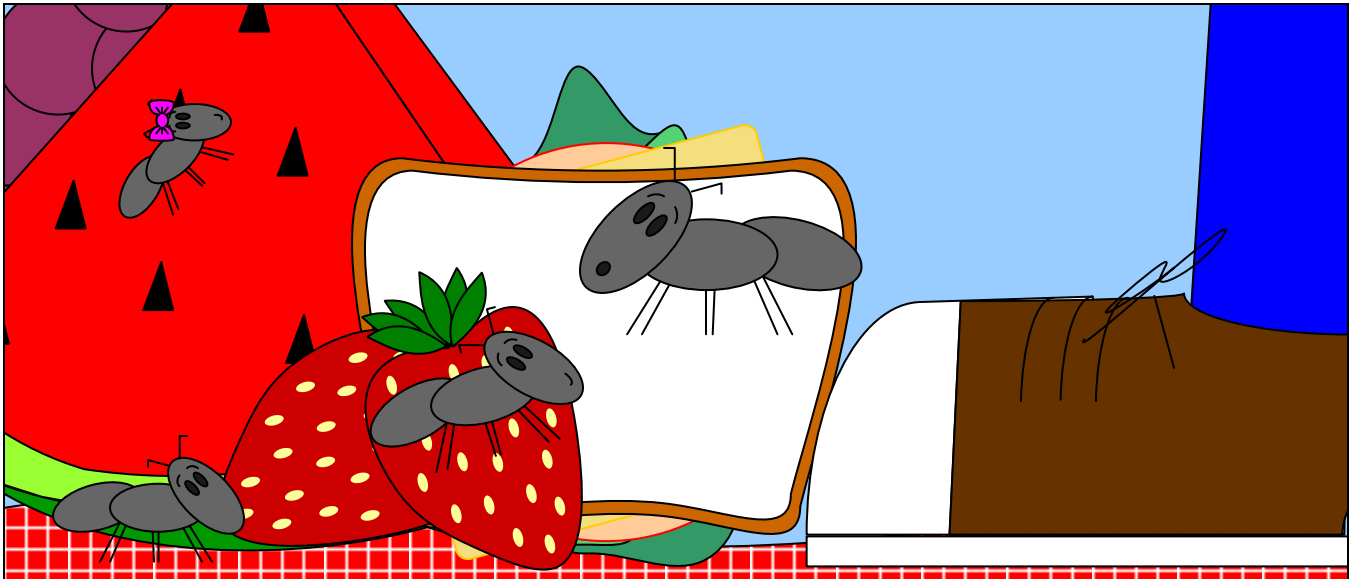
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Ant went from snack to snack but he did not eat them. He could not think of what to eat first. He sat down to think.

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All of a sudden, Dad yelled, "Run!" Ant jumped up. He did not know what was going on. Dad, Mom, Ant, and Sister grabbed some snacks and ran. They ran home as fast as they could run.

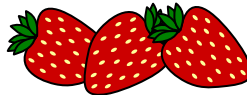
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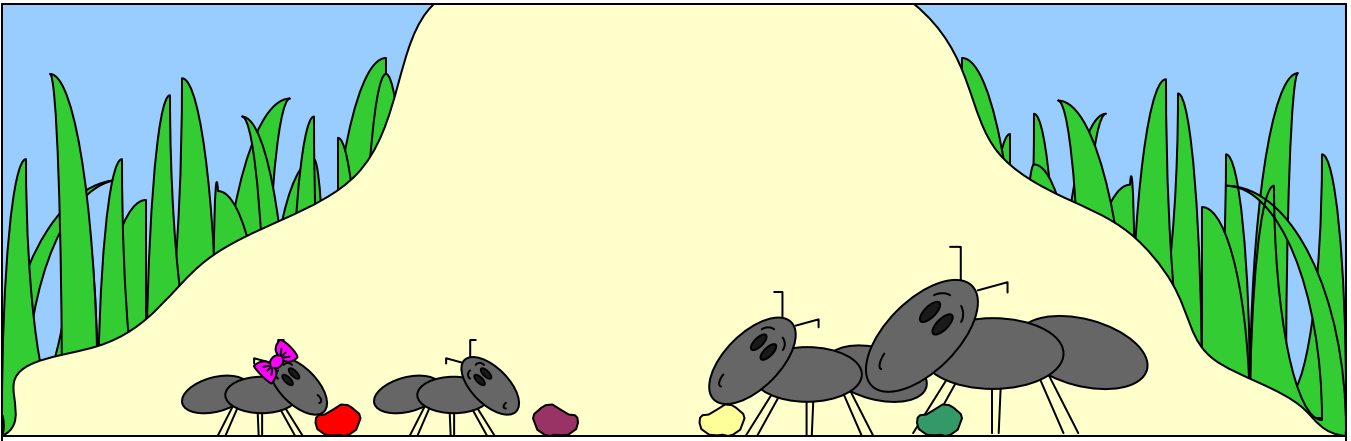


strawberries



watermelon





Ant was sad. His first picnic had come to an end and he had only one little bit to eat. "It is OK, Ant," said Mom. "We can go to a picnic for the next meal!"