

The Greedy Wolf

Glossary

Word	Definition
shepherd	a person who herds (gathers together) and watches over sheep

Vocabulary Starter

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chicken drumstick	
plump	
a hollow	

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The wolf 'gobbled down' the shepherds' food. How do you think he ate it?

Tick three

Politely

☐

Quickly

☐

Messily

☐

Slowly

☐

Noisily

☐

2

Do you think the two shepherds were friends? Why?

3

Why do you think the wolf would only move his eyes not lick his lips when the shepherds were close by?

4

Tick whether the following statements are true or false.

	True	False
The wolf 'plodded' to the tree because he thought he was safe		
The hole in the tree was narrow		
The first shepherd was less healthy than the first		

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Who do you think the wolf was talking to when he said "Now who is the fool"?

5

Fables teach us a lesson or a fable in life. What do you think the moral of this fable is?

- a) If you eat too much you will become fat
- b) Being greedy will make you miserable in the end
- c) Ask for permission before you take something

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Do you feel sorry for the wolf at the end of the fable? Why?

Extension
activity

Can you write your own question about 'The Greedy Wolf'?
