

The Boy Who Cried Wolf



Once upon a time, a young shepherd boy used to take his sheep to the hills to graze. It was a very boring job as he had very little to do.



The shepherd boy wanted something exciting to happen. The young boy thought he would fool everybody, so he began screaming,



Everybody came running to save the boy, but when they reached the hills they saw no wolf, and they did not like what he did. They all went back home, and the shepherd boy laughed loudly.



The young boy thought that his lie was a joke, so he did it again and again. As soon people heard him cry wolf, they would come. When they would realize that it was all a lie, they would go back home angry for being tricked. They were tired of the shepherd boy.



One day, a wolf came and attacked the sheep and the boy.

He shouted,

"Wolf, wolf."

He screamed, but no one came to help him.




When he did not come home that evening, his mother went to look for him. He was lying hurt. She picked him up and took him home, and eventually, he got better.



Then his mother told him that it was his lying that got him into trouble. The shepherd boy never told a lie again



A vibrant illustration of a rural landscape. In the foreground, a young man with dark hair, wearing a purple t-shirt and white dhoti with a red sash, stands smiling and pointing upwards with his right hand. Behind him is a lush green field with two cows. In the background, there are several simple houses with brown roofs and a large, leafy green tree. The sky is a soft, warm yellow, suggesting a sunrise or sunset.

One should never
lie.