



Cycle to the Farm

Book 82: Cycle to the Farm

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Sound

/s/ written as 'c' (soft c)

New Words

cycle, center, city, bike, your, from

Level 21 Review Words

giant, take

Plot Summary

Sam and his friends are exercising at the park. They need to take a giant nut to Ann at the farm. As they cycle to the farm, the nut falls out of the cart. They eventually find a way to get the nut back into the cart and take it to Nan.

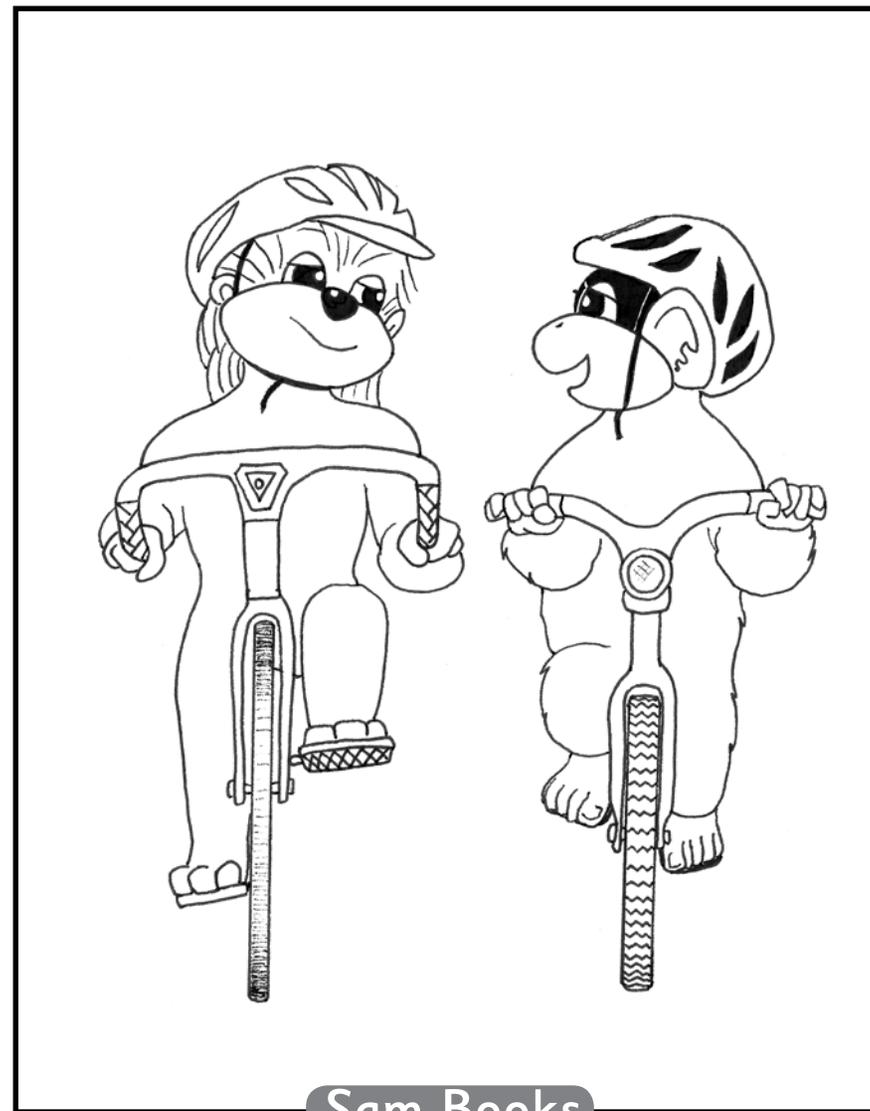
Story Questions (Comprehension)

1. page 2: What did Sam and his friends meet at the city park to do?
2. page 4: Why did Mat want to go in Sam's van?
3. page 6: How did they get to the farm?
4. page 8: How did Max and Mat almost lose the giant nut?
5. page 14: Why did Nell bury the giant nut instead of eating it?

Each new word throughout the program is repeated at least five times in the book in which it first appears and five more times in the next ten books.

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Nell likes the giant nut. She sets the nut
in the center of a hole in the ground.

“It will be a giant nut tree.”

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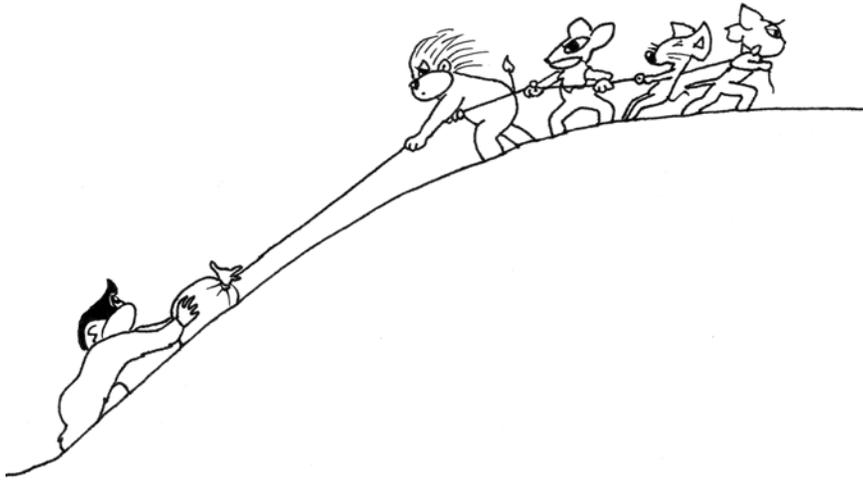
Level	Book	Title	Sounds	notes
21	81	The Giant Nuts	/j/	Soft "g"
	82	Cycle to the Farm	/s/	Soft "c"
	83	Eggs and Carrots	/p/ /d/ /t/ /r/	Same consonant together/same sound as single consonant
	84	The Drummer	/m/ /z/	Same consonant together/same sound as single consonant
22	85	Cake Crumbs	/n/ /r/ /m/	/n/ written as "kn", /r/ written as "wr", /m/ written as "mb"
	86	Sam's Yard	/z/ /n/	/z/ written as "s", /n/ written as "gn"
	87	A Photo of Phil	/f/	/f/ written as "ph"
	88	Go to School	/k/ /w/	/k/ written as "ch", /w/ written as "wh"
23	89	Scratch the Itch	/ch/	/ch/ written as "tch"
	90	Where is Phil?		Question words
	91	Fun at the Party		Different sounds for the letter "y"
	92	Will Can't Play		Contractions
24	93	They Like to Hike	/igh/	Alternate spellings for /igh/ long vowel - i
	94	Who Ate the Cake?	/ai/	Alternate spellings for /ai/ long vowel - a
	95	Three Lost Sheep	/ee/	Alternate spellings for ee/ long vowel - e
	96	The Road Home	/ou/	Alternate spellings for /ou/ long vowel - o
25	97	The Picnic		Compound words
	98	Apple Pies		Syllables
	99	The Race		Suffixes
	100	The Wolf		Prefixes



They cycle from the city to the farm.

They meet Nell at the barn.

“It is very far for you to cycle from the city to see me,” says Nell.



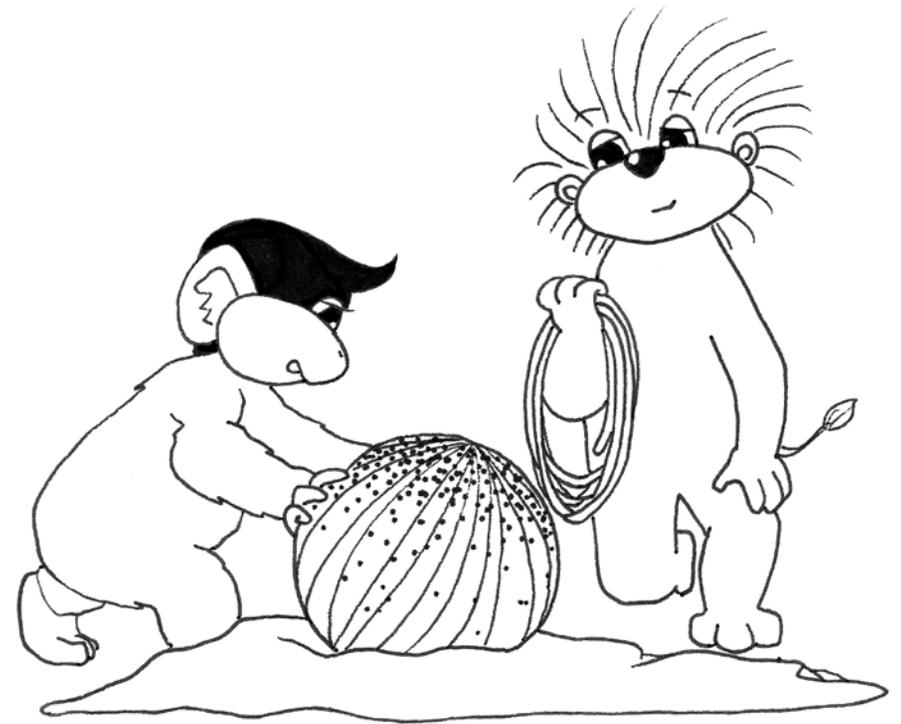
They get the giant nut
back to the bike path.



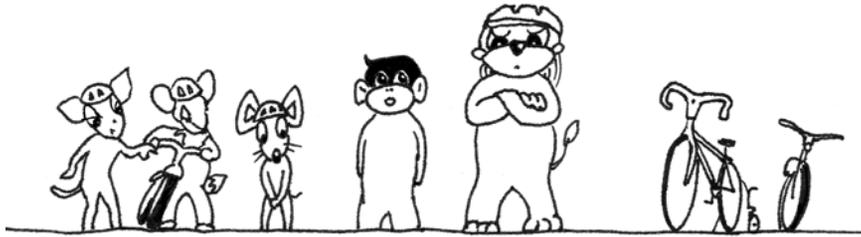
They meet at the city park.
“Form a ring. I will be in the center,”
says Sam.



“Now all jump! Hands on your head.
Jump high! Use your legs!”



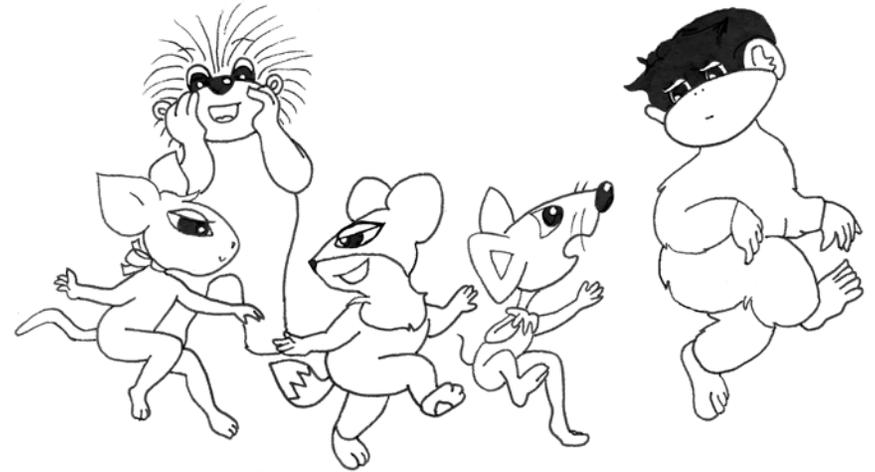
“Lay the nut in the center of the sheet.
I will tie up the sheet with the rope.
Then we can get the nut back to the
bike path.”



“Look! The nut is there.

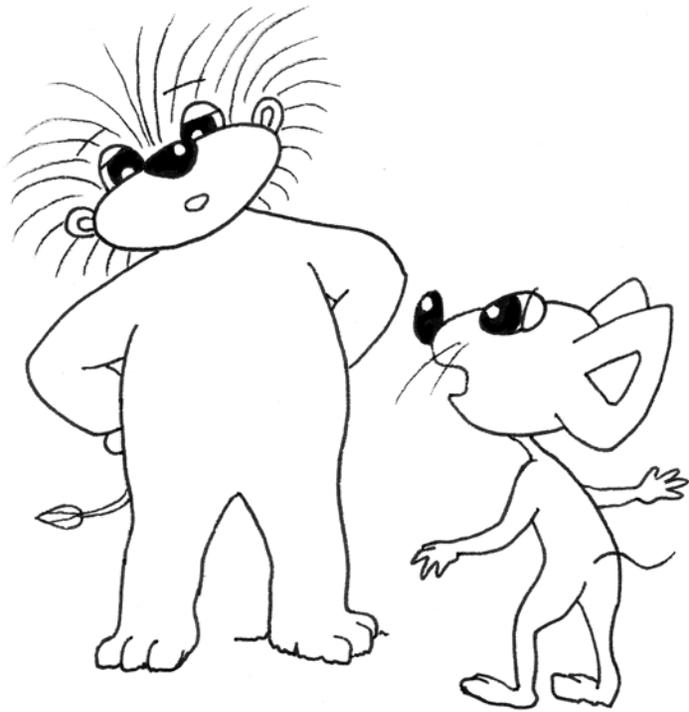
It is in the dirt,” says Kit.

“Let’s use the sheet and rope to get the
giant nut back,” says Mit.



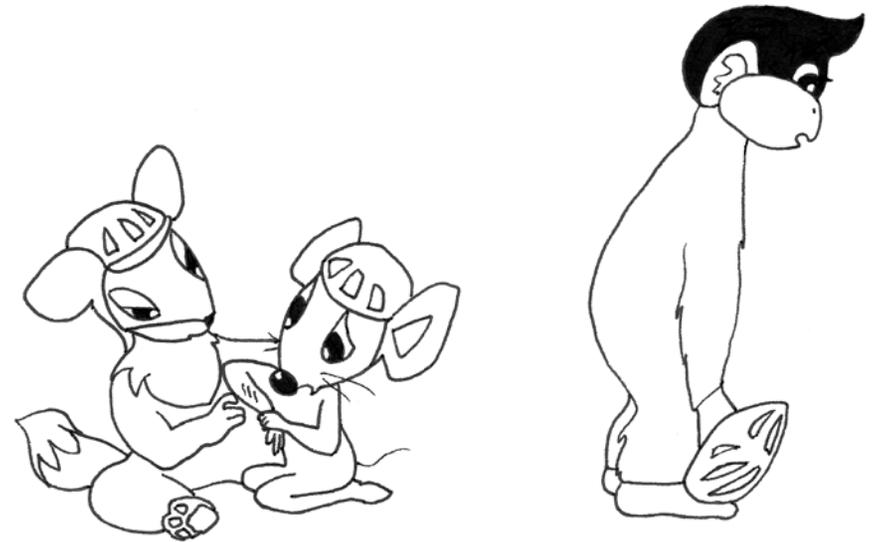
“Now hop! We will all be fit and well,”
says Sam.

“I need to take the giant nut to Nell at
the farm,” says Mat.

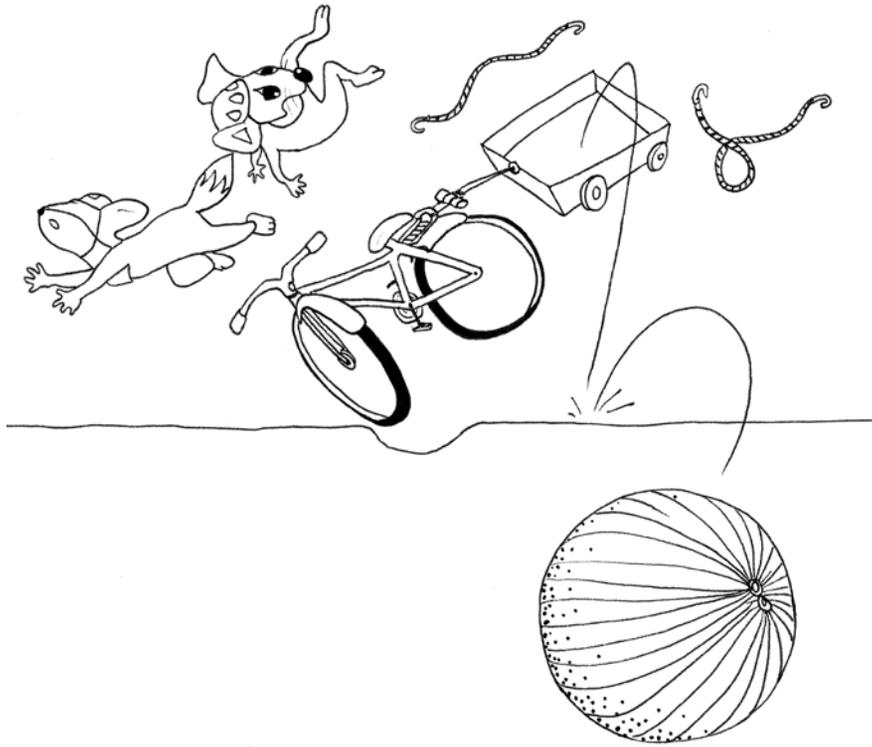


“We can all jog from the city to the farm,” says Sam.

“No, I am too small to jog to the farm. It is too far from the city. Can we go in your van?” asks Mat.



“Check my arm, Max,” says Mat.
“No, the giant nut is lost,” says Mit.



The bike hits the hole.
Max and Mat fall from the bike.
The giant nut hits the ground.



“My van is in the shop. We can cycle to
the farm. Let’s take the bike path,”
says Sam.

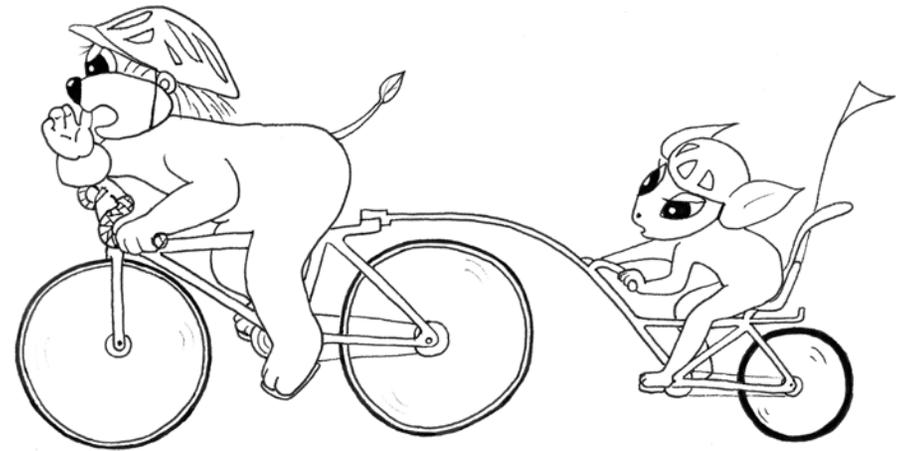
“But my bike is too small,” says Mat.

“You can go on that bike with Max,”
says Sam.



They all cycle on the bike path from
the city to the farm.

“Max! Do not cycle that fast!”
Says Mit.



“Max, look, there is a hole!” Says Sam.
“Max, your bike will hit the hole!”
Says Kit.