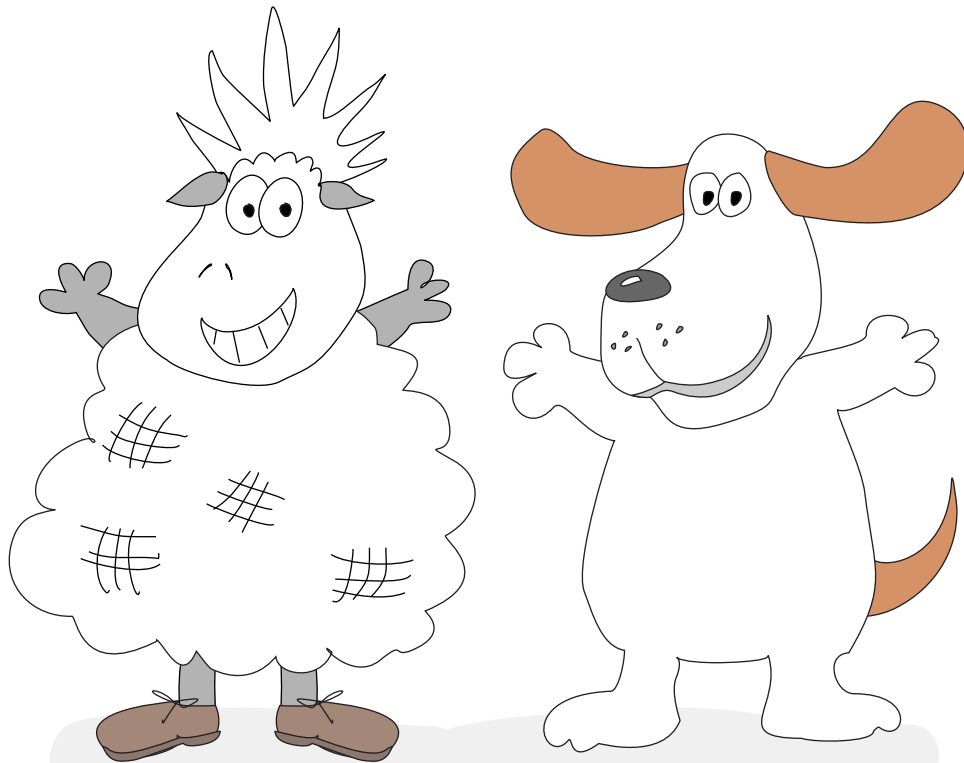


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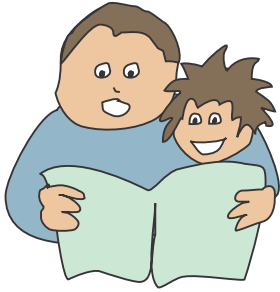
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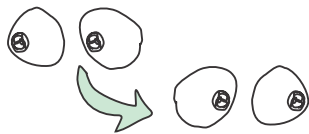
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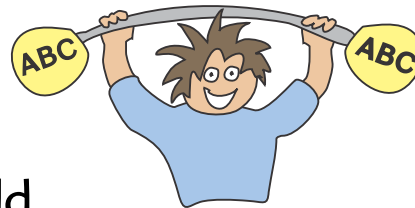
Read the book **WITH** your child. You read the “regular” text, and he/she reads the big, red words, sort of like reading the different parts in a play.

Help your child sound out the words as needed.

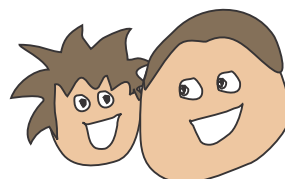


Read the book several times. This helps develop the eye muscles and left-to-right reading patterns.

Don't rush it. Body-builders don't train in a day – neither does a child.



And most important of all, **HAVE FUN!**



Lesson 1

The letter 'L' can also go at the end of words, like in these two words:

al

hal

(Al and Hal are boy's names.)



hal the hound liked
to wash his feet

A hound is a type of dog with a very good sense of smell.



and keep his whole
house clean and neat.



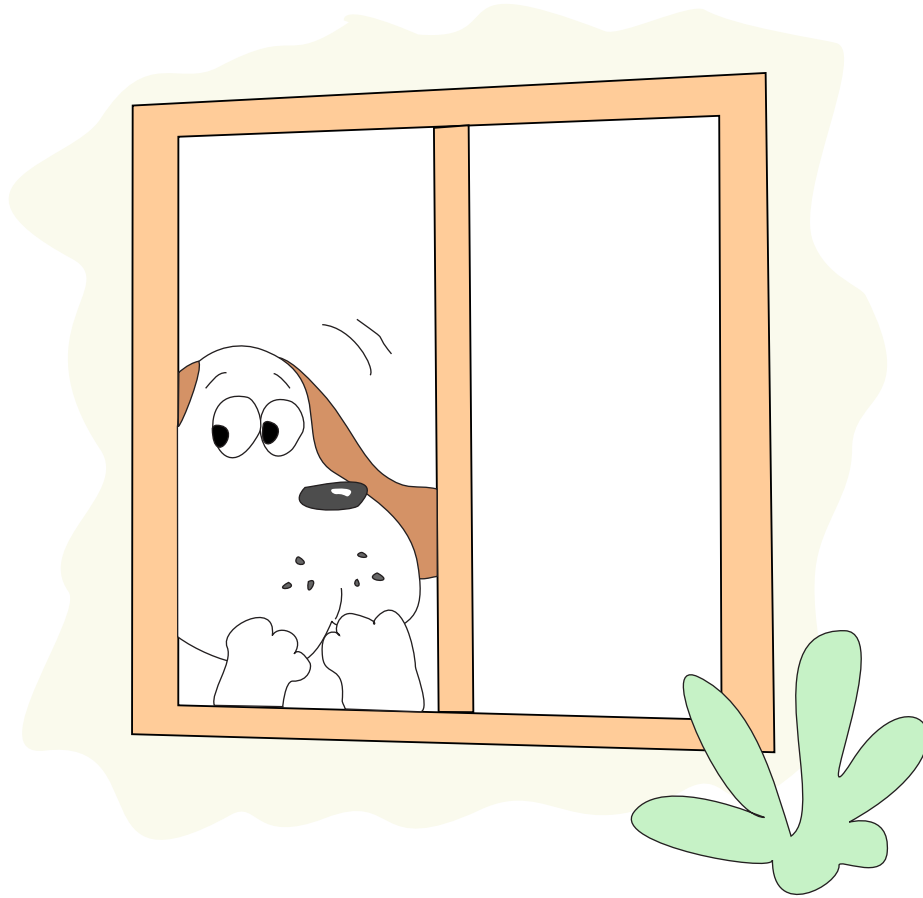
But **a**l the sheep
was not the same.



al thought cleaning
was a pain.

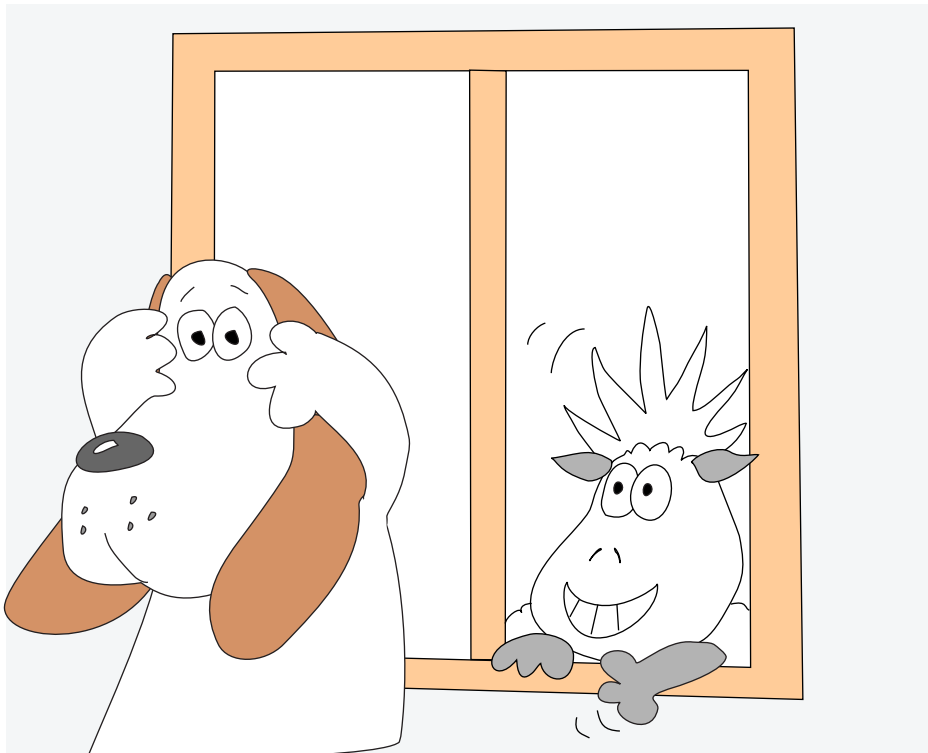


One day **al** knocked
at the door.



“Oh, no!” said **hal**.

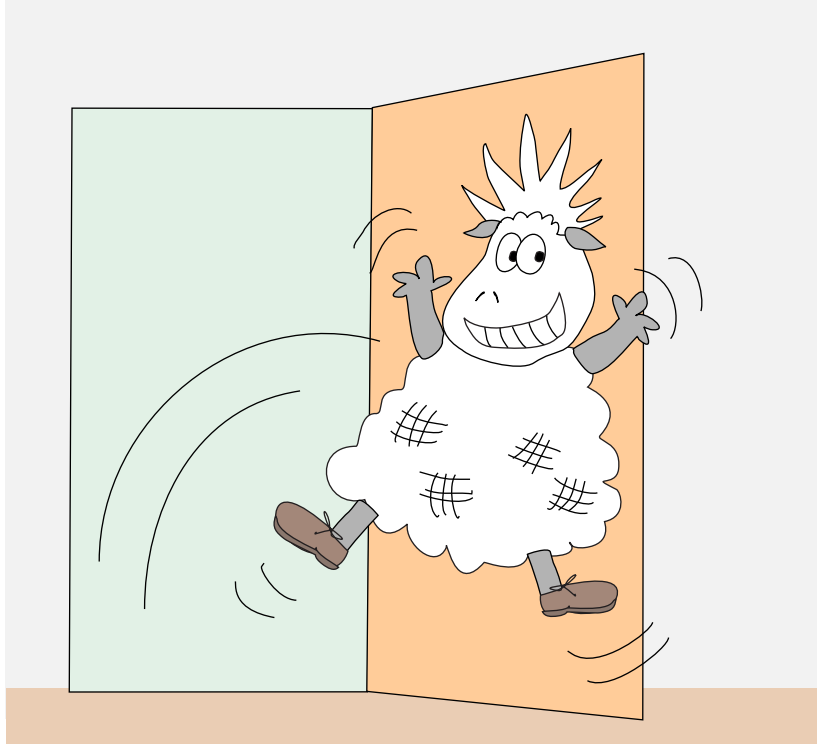
“What’s he here for?”



“Hello, **hal**,” said **al**
with a smile. “I have
come to visit for a while.”



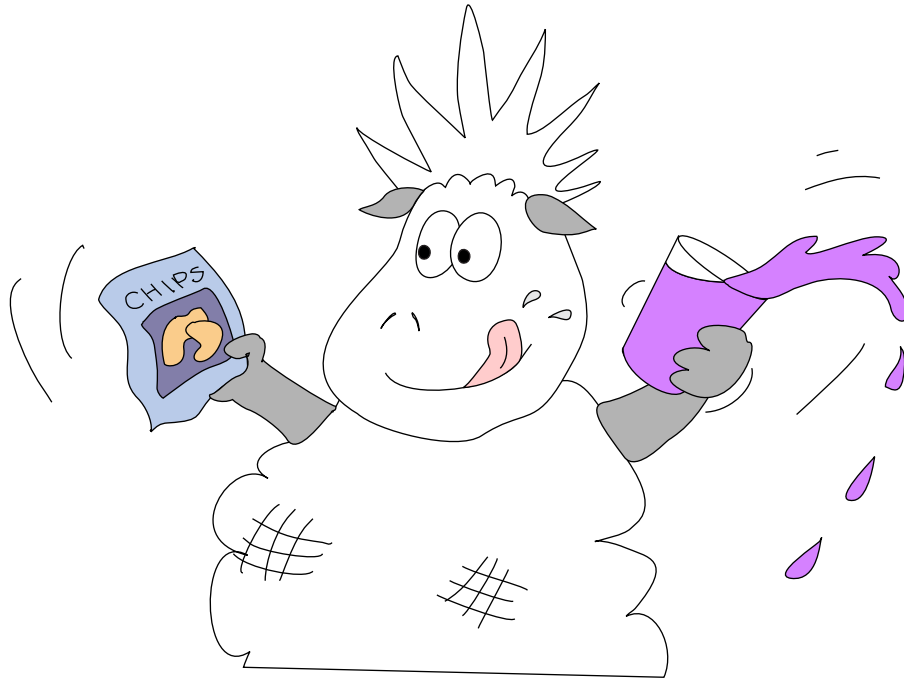
hal was never, ever
rude, so he opened the
door – what else could
he do?



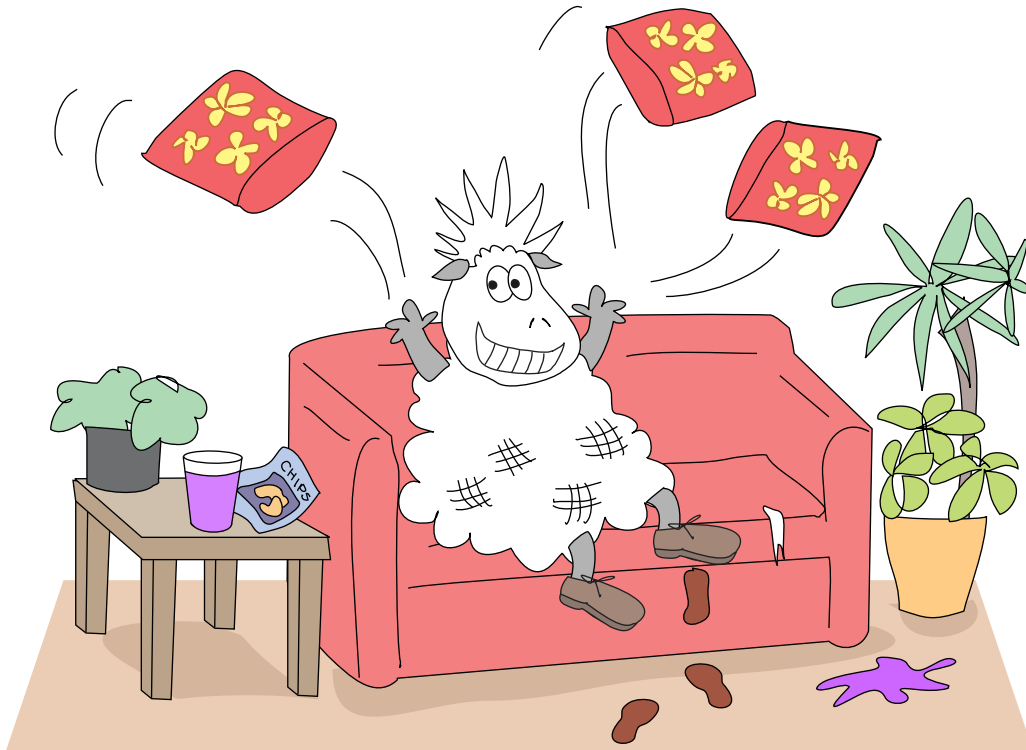
“Wheee!” said **al** as
he bounced right in.



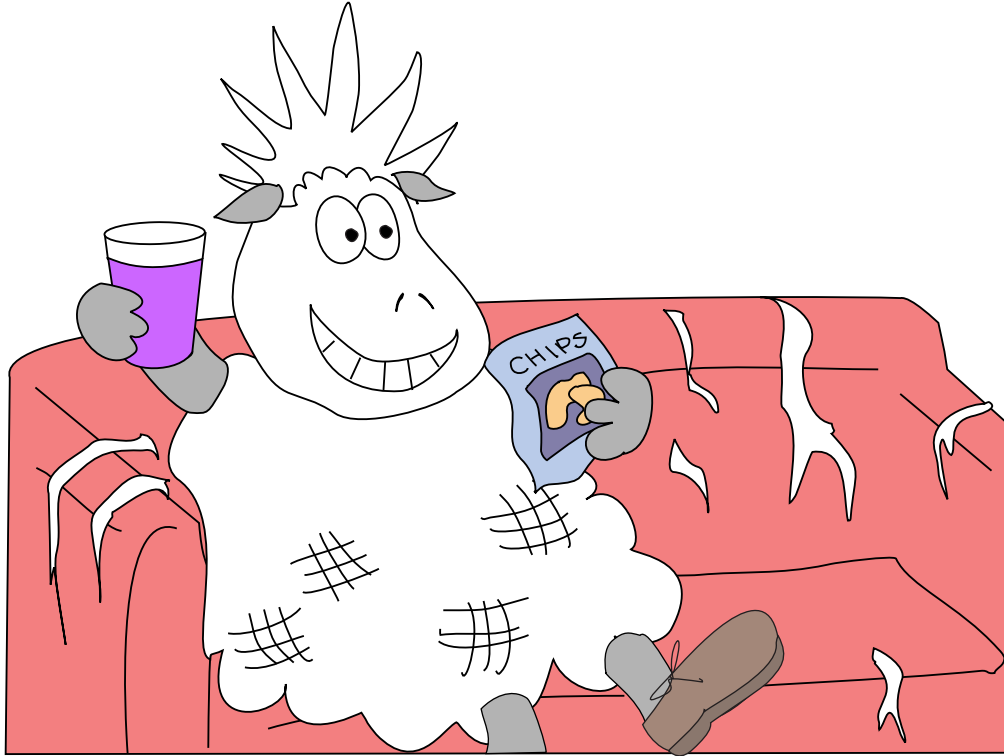
His sticky footprints
followed him.



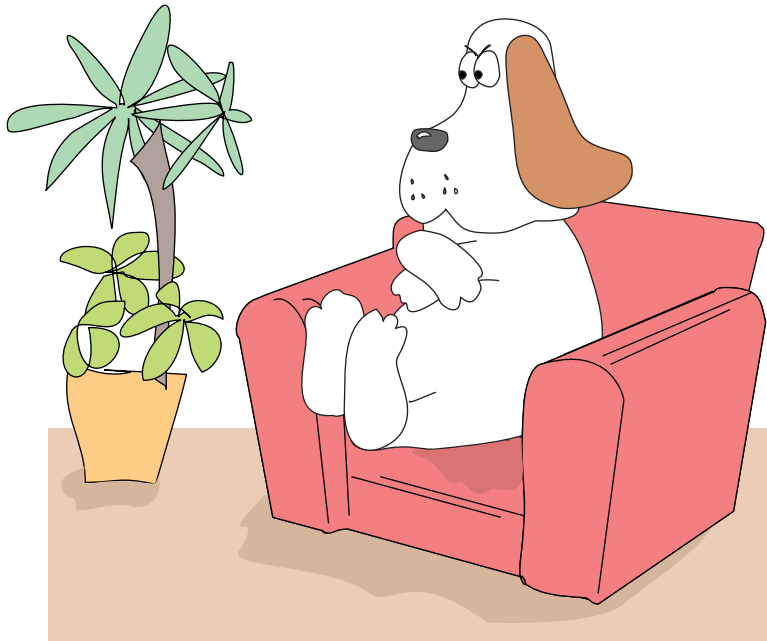
al grabbed a soda and
some chips. The soda
spilled, drip, drip, drip.



al sat down upon
the couch and threw the
cushions all about.



“**hal**,” said **al**, “sit
next to me. You and I
can watch TV.”



hal sat down on
the other chair – the
one not covered with
Al's hair.



al kicked his shoes
off, one by one. Oh,
no! They were full of
cookie crumbs.



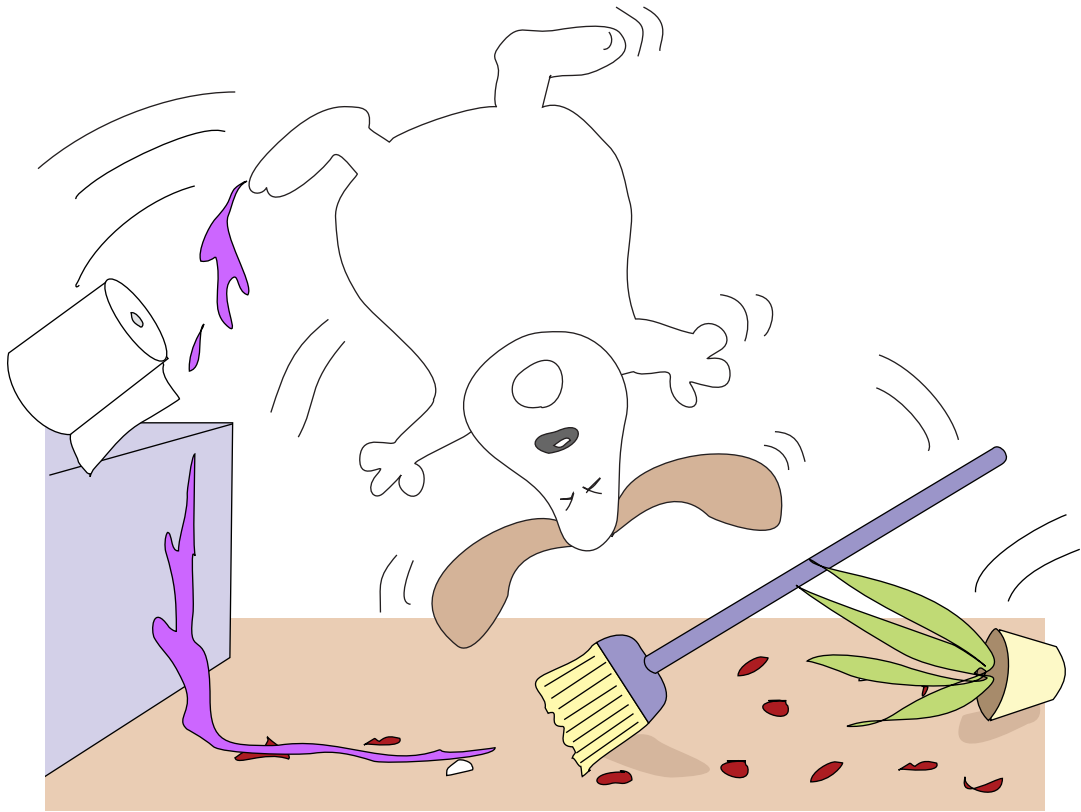
hal grabbed a
broom and started
to sweep, wishing
al would go to sleep.



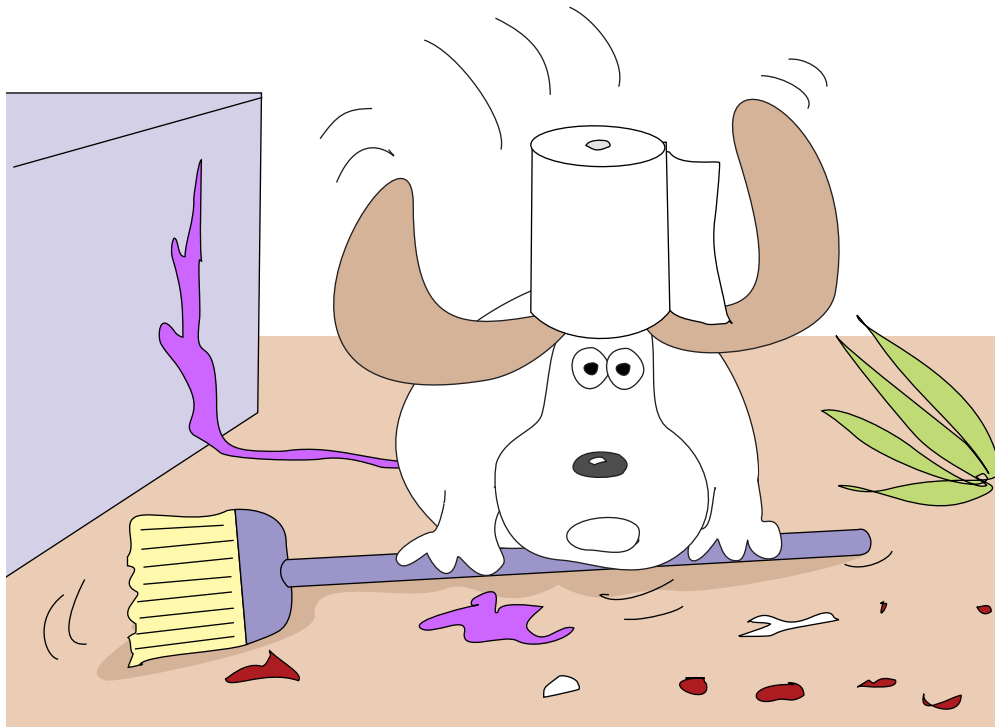
But **al** got up and
started to dance,
knocking over all
the plants.



“Stop, stop, stop!” said
hal with a howl as he
ran to fetch a paper
towel.



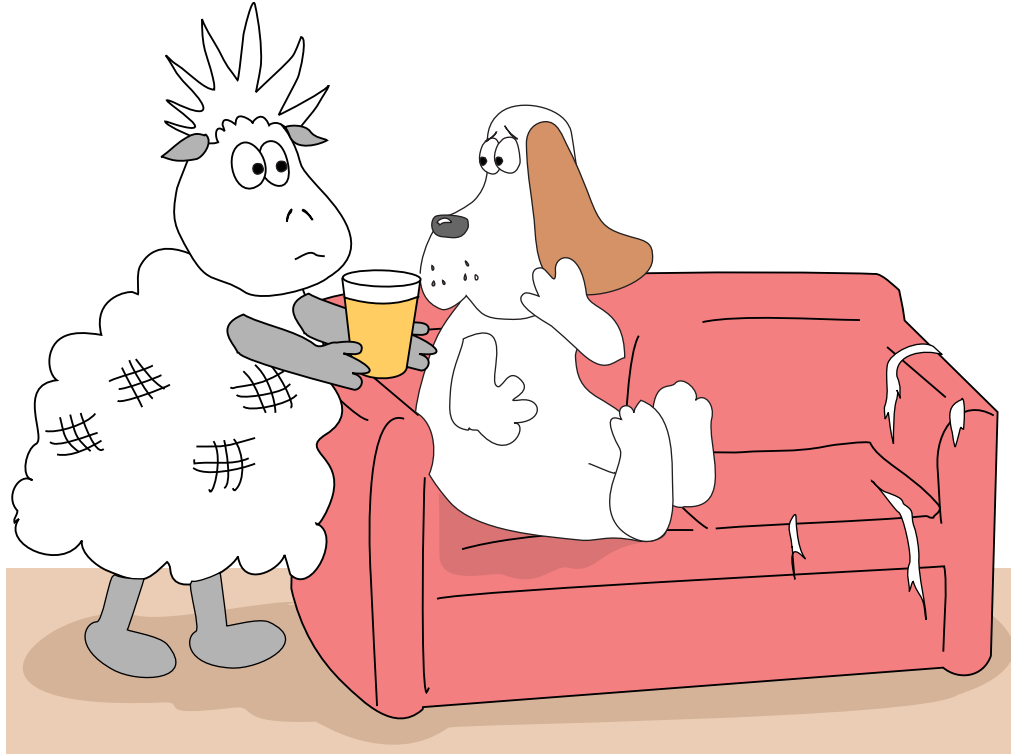
hal slipped in the
mess and flipped
around.



Splat! **hal** landed
on the ground.



“Oops!” said **al**
when he saw his
friend. He knew his
messes had to end.



al sat hal

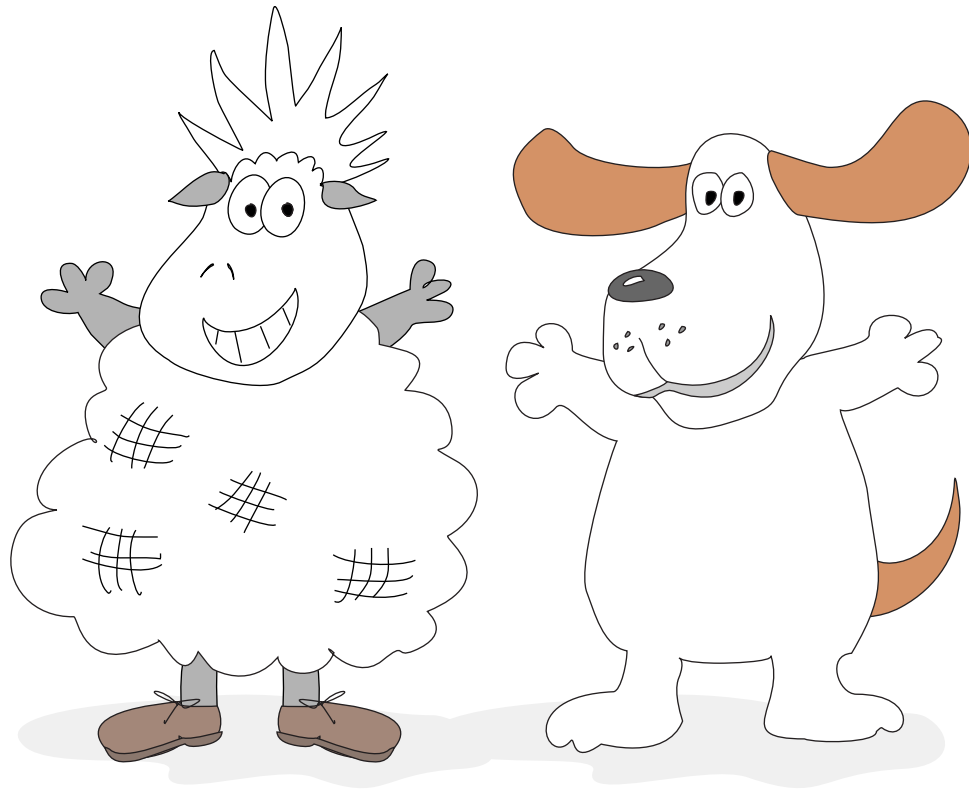
down on the sofa

with a cup of

orange soda.



Then **al** cleaned
up his big mess.



Clean and tidy
is the best!

THE END